

# **CAPITAL SOCCER CLUB CONSTITUTION**

## **Article I. TITLE**

The name of this organization is Capital Soccer Club (hereinafter referred to as CSC)

## **Article II. COLORS**

The official Club colors of CSC are forest green and white.

## **Article III. AFFILIATIONS**

The CSC shall be an affiliated branch of, and comply with, the authority of the United States Youth Soccer Association (USYSA).

## **Article IV. AUTHORITIES**

This organization shall be governed by its Constitution and By-laws except when these are superseded by the USYSA or the Missouri Youth Soccer Association (MYSA).

The governing authority of CSC shall be the Board of Directors as defined in the By-laws, Article III. The Board of Directors shall hold 10 monthly General Meetings, and may meet at other times, as directed by the Board of Directors.

## **Article V. OFFICES**

The principal office of the CSC for its transaction of business shall be at such place as determined from time to time by the Board of Directors. The designation of a principal, or change thereof by the Board of Directors shall be appended to these by-laws by the Secretary, but shall not be considered an amendment of these by-laws. In the absence of a designation of the principal office by an incumbent Board of Directors, the residence address of the President shall be deemed the principal office of the CSC.

## **Article VI. MISSION**

The CSC strives to teach, promote and develop soccer for young people in the community. The CSC will provide soccer players from the Central Missouri area the opportunity to develop as competitive soccer players and to compete at their highest level while demonstrating good sportsmanship and to provide the necessary training to enhance their skills. The CSC will develop players in body, mind and character. The CSC will work to develop player's public awareness and responsibility, in an effort to not only develop soccer players, but productive members of our community.

## **Article VII. ORGANIZATION**

**Section 1.** The CSC was created and exists solely as a non-profit organization.

**Section 2.** The CSC shall be non-partisan. No substantial part of the activities of the CSC shall be the carrying on of propaganda or otherwise attempting to influence legislation and the CSC shall not participate or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of, or in opposition to any candidate for public office.

**Section 3.** The CSC is organized exclusively for charitable, educational, religious, or scientific purposes within the meaning of Section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. No part of the income, gross or net, of CSC will inure to the benefit of any member or group of members of CSC, or any individual, and CSC is not organized for profit or to engage in any activity ordinarily carried on for profit.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of these articles, the CSC shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by an association exempt from Federal income tax under section 501 (c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or corresponding section of any future Federal tax Code).

**Section 4.** The name of CSC or the names of any members in their official capacities shall not be used in connection with a commercial concern or with any partisan interest or for any purposes not appropriately related to the purposes of CSC.

**Section 5.** The CSC may cooperate with other organizations and agencies concerned with the members/players welfare. However, persons representing CSC in such matters shall make no commitments that are binding without the authorization of the Board of Directors.

**A.** Missouri Youth Soccer Association – Work as a correspondent representative with the Central District Commissioner and Missouri Youth Soccer office for the CSC. A Board appointed representative of CSC will attend scheduled district meetings and the annual AGM Convention as a voting delegate/representative for the CSC and report on such to the CSC Board of Directors and members during regular scheduled meetings.

**B.** Jefferson City Youth Soccer League Representative – Work as a correspondent representative with the CSC. Attend the regularly scheduled meeting and act as a voting delegate representative for the CSC. JCYSL is an organization, which controls the operation and maintenance of the 179 Soccer Complex.

## **Article VIII. CLUB RECORDS**

Confidentiality of club records. Computer data base information will be for CSC use only. Persons or organizations wishing to obtain the names of players shall submit a

request in writing for such names to the Board of Directors. All records that any member has in their possession shall be turned over to the Board President within two weeks of leaving the CSC. No refunds will be given until all records have been received.

**Article IX. DISSOLUTION**

Upon dissolution of the CSC, any remaining assets after payment of, or provision for payment of, all debts and liabilities of CSC, shall be distributed to one or more organizations, as determined by the Board, which are recognized as exempt from taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, or any successor statutes, and used exclusively to accomplish the purposes for which CSC is organized.

**Article X. CONSTITUTION CHANGES OR AMENDMENTS**

**Section 1.** The CSC Constitution may be amended at any general meeting by a two-thirds majority vote of the members present provided that notice of proposed amendment is given to the general membership either in writing or by telephone, no less than ten days in advance of the meeting. Notice to include, but not limited to, posting of proposed amendment on the CSC website and an email to all coaches.

**Section 3.** The Secretary shall maintain an updated Constitution and distribute to all outside organizations requiring a copy of the CSC Constitution (ie. MYSA, IRS).

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