

RECREATIONAL TEAM FORMATION 2010-2011

REGISTRATION

- Players who desire to only play at the recreational level must submit their registration to the CB United Recreational Coordinators ("RC") no later than June 1, 2010. Frank Bruneel (509) 760-5370 coordinates boys' recreational teams and Angie Albertson (509) 760-9873 coordinates girls' recreational teams.

TEAM FORMATION

- Recreational Teams are formed usually in mid-June after CBU completes its team formation sessions.
- Whether a rec team is formed depends upon whether there are a sufficient number of players and whether there is a volunteer willing to coach. The minimum number of players necessary to form a rec team is 14.
- Consistent with CBUSA and CB United rules, there is no selection process allowed in forming recreational teams. If there are more than 18 players who wish to play on a recreational team, registration will be on a first come first serve basis.
 - In other words, teams are formed based on a player's date of registration and not by the player's residence of the player or the coach's preference. This ensures that there is a fair opportunity for ALL kids to play.

COACHING

- Persons interested in coaching a rec team must submit their name to the RCs by May 24th.
- Coaches must be willing to hold practices at various locations throughout the Basin, depending on team make-up.

Appointment of Coaches for Recreational Level Teams:

- The RCs shall be responsible for locating and appointing recreational coaches, but all appointments are subject to the DOC's final review. All appointments of coaches for recreational teams are contingent upon the coach's acceptance and willingness to abide by the "equal playing time for all players" requirement imposed on all recreational teams.
- Where there is more than one interested volunteer who wishes to coach a recreational level team, the RCs shall consult with the DOC, who will decide who will serve as coach based on the following criteria: 1) coaching experience; 2) playing experience; and, 3) willingness to adhere to all Club policies, including but not limited to "equal playing time" for all recreational players in all games. The DOC may, at their sole discretion, appoint co-coaches.
- Coaches will be named in late summer, prior to the fall season by the RC.

NO TOWN-BASED TEAMS

- There is no guarantee that there will be town-based teams in U12 and older age groups. Therefore, coaches and players can expect to have practices at various locations throughout the Columbia Basin depending on the makeup of the team. For example, if half the team is from Moses Lake, and half the team is from Ephrata and Quincy, practice will be held in Moses Lake and Quincy or Ephrata.
 - CB United's RCs will ensure that the practice locations are fairly scheduled based upon the geographical make-up of each individual team. The RCs will communicate this to the coaching candidate prior to any coach being assigned to a team.