



Hello Classics FC Families!

It's that time of year again! Time to sign up for the **7th Annual Classics FC President's Day 4v4 Soccer Day** held at SuperKick on **Monday, February 20, 2012**.

This event is open to all Classics FC players. This includes the SuperKick Classics FC Juniors Academy (U7 only), CFC Premier and CFC Competitive players in the U8-U12 age groups. Please take a few moments to read the information below. If/when you decide to register a team/ individual child, please complete and return the registration form on page 3 no later than Monday February 6th. The application and money must be received by this date. Each year the event grows in size; scheduling the games and assigning individual players takes time. **Get your application in early!**

IMPORTANT Schedule Change – the U10, U11 and u12 age groups will play first, kicking off at 8:30am. The u7, u8 and u9 age groups will play in the afternoon, kicking off at 12:30pm. See page 2 for more details.

[History of the CFC President's Day 4v4 event](#)

In January 2006, Classics FC started a 4v4 tournament that allowed players to have fun playing soccer on a day off from school. Players can pick their own teams or be assigned to a team, create goofy uniforms, play soccer and then enjoy time with friends. In 2007, the event moved to SuperKick which allowed us to expand the event. Each year the number of participants and teams has grown and more kids are having fun playing soccer on a day off from school.

[2012 event Benefits Nationwide Children's Hospital](#)

A portion of the proceeds are donated to charity. Past charities included the *Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure* and the *Make-A-Wish Foundation*. This year, the event will benefit Children's Nationwide Hospital. Your children will still have fun playing soccer on a day off from school, but the excitement of playing soccer will also support a greater cause. The Classics FC mission statement promises to help raise family and player awareness for social responsibility through club sponsored events and activities.

For the 6th consecutive year, our club partner, SuperKick will be donating the facility use. This means more of the proceeds can be donated to the Nationwide Children's Hospital!

[2012 CFC PDF 4v4 Application](#)

The 2012 Classics FC President's 4v4 Soccer Day application is on page 3. The application will also be added to the CFC website. Please note: this event is only open to CFC players. Players from other teams/clubs are not eligible to participate. Why? We simply don't have enough field space. Each year we max out the available field space.

[Volunteers](#)

A small number of parent volunteers are needed to make the 4v4 event a success. If you are able to volunteer, please send an email to Katy Gullo at KGULLO@columbus.rr.com Sorry, but the only adults allowed on the field during the event will be the volunteers. Parents will not be permitted to coach or watch games on the field. The last 2 years we have been relaxed on this policy but have found parents trying to coach their child's team and influencing substitutions... this is a day for the kids and we will enforce the "volunteer" only policy.

[How the games works:](#)

The players run the show. The entire event is designed to allow the kids to manage their own experience. They will have the help of older players from the U15, U16, U17 and U18 teams. These HS age players are "paying it forward" by helping the younger players manage their schedule, field rotations and in-game substitutions. Many of the older age group players were the first participants in the CFC 4v4 event and have helped it grow each year!



Morning Schedule : 8:30 AM to 12:00 PM

Age Groups : CFC Premier and CFC Competitive Programs u10, u11 and u12 boys & girls players

- * Players must arrive between 8:00-8:15 AM for an introduction and explanation of rules from 8:15-8:30; Games begin at 8:30 AM
- * Games and the pizza party will conclude no later than 11:45 noon. Players must be picked up by 12:00noon
- * Players may register as a member of a team or as an individual. Individual players will be assigned to a team by CFC Directors.
- * Players may create teams that include players from one age group, or any combination of all three age groups. The team will be placed in a division of the oldest player. Additionally, the game match-ups will be carefully scheduled to ensure a fun, fair and competitive experience for all participants.
- * We encourage parents to form teams that include players from different teams. This event is not designed to be a must win, US vs THEM tournament. The goal is to see kids having Fun playing soccer with friends on a day off from school while raising money to help a greater cause. We want to build club spirit and ensure an equally competitive and fun experience for all.
- * No game scores, game results or standings will be kept. We (player, coaches, volunteers) are there to have FUN!
- * Players will enjoy a pizza party and have the chance to win prizes at the end of the day
- * Games – the length and total number of games played will depend on the total number of teams that register.
- * Cost – \$16/player. Checks made payable to OYAA must accompany the application for registration to be considered complete.

Afternoon Schedule : 12:30 to 3:00 PM

Age Groups : SuperKick Classics FC Juniors U7, CFC Premier and Competitive u8 & U9 boys & girls

- * Players must arrive between 12:15-12:30 PM for an introduction and explanation of rules at 12:30; Games begin at 12:40 PM
- * Games and the pizza party will conclude no later than 3:00 PM. Players must be picked up by 3:15 PM
- * Players may register as a member of a team or as an individual. Individual players will be assigned to a team by CFC Directors.
- * We encourage parents to form teams that include players from different teams. This event is not designed to be a must win, US vs THEM tournament. The goal is to see kids having Fun playing soccer with friends on a day off from school while raising money to help a greater cause. We want to build club spirit and ensure an equally competitive and fun experience for all.
- * No game scores, game results or standings will be kept. We (player, coaches, volunteers) are there to have FUN!
- * The teams will be assigned a chaperone(s) from the U15-U18 teams to manage schedule, field rotations and substitutions.
- * Players will enjoy a pizza party and have the chance to win prizes at the end of the day
- * Games – the length and total number of games played will depend on the total number of teams that register.
- * Cost – \$16/player. Checks made payable to OYAA must accompany the application for registration to be considered complete.

Questions: please direct questions regarding the 4v4 event to any of the following people: Mike Lentz (MLentz@insight.rr.com); Brandon Koons (BKoons@otterbein.edu); Katy Gullo (KGullo@columbus.rr.com); Heidi DeNoi (hhdnoi@yahoo.com)

Hope to see you on President's Day!
Classics FC