

CBYSA Parent Class Questions

Please answer the questions and return to the person who gave the class to you. Thanks.

1. Dr. Shane Murphy asks the question, “Is your child old enough for YOU to participate in youth sports?” Why is it important to suppress our emotions at a youth sporting event?

2. What are 3 reasons players play?

3. What is the number one reason players quit?

4. What are two traits of U6 players?

5. What is one of the challenges for U6 players?

6. At what age group are children generally able to play the ball out of the air? _____
7. Which age group is egocentric yet psychologically fragile? _____
8. Which age group starts to “practice”? _____
9. At what age group are children normally ready for the “tactical” side of the game?

10. Why is it important for children to participate in multiple sports and activities rather than just soccer? _____

11. What are three things soccer parents need?

12. When would be a good time to meet with a coach about a concern? _____
 - a. Never
 - b. Right after a game
 - c. Right before practice
 - d. At a mutually arranged time

(More)

13. Why is it true that many things shouted from the sideline come across as negative even if what we say is positive?

14. List three things you can do to model sportsmanship for the children and other parents.

15. One of the slides (Game Day) suggests that we think of the soccer field as a playground and not as a sports venue. What do they mean by that??

16. What is a good question to ask your child after a game?

17. What is the main goal of a referee?

- a. the safety of the players
- b. to make the game fun for the players
- c. to earn extra money for an X-Box
- d. to look good in the uniform

18. The performance level of many players degrades when parents start yelling at referees. Why is that?

Player information

Last Name

First Name

Age _____ Age Group U6 U8 U10 U12 U14

Parent(s) Name _____

Team Name _____ Coach's Name _____

Date _____