

Return of Fees Paid Policy

The success of our league/tournament teams is dependent on the players who make up each team – and their commitment to the program. Accordingly, we expect that all players and parents will follow through with their commitment by completing all required paperwork, paying all fees promptly, and attending all league games and tournaments. Because withdrawals can result in the unraveling of a team, our refund policy regarding league/tournament teams is stringent and non-negotiable. After rosters have been announced, requests for refunds will be treated as follows:

- Player withdrawal after rosters have been announced will result in no refund of the deposit.
- Player withdrawal after the team's season fee due date for any reason will result in no refund of the team's season fee.
- Player dismissal due to a violation of the AUSC Player/Parent Manual will result in no refund of the team's season fee.
- Partial Player refunds will be issued on a case by case basis if a season-ending injury occurs during the beginning of the playing season.
- Full refunds will be awarded if selected to a team that ends up with an insufficient number of players.

Fees are due when registering for AUSC Activities. Online registration will be used for most activities. There are several options for payment of fees when registering. A **\$50** non-refundable registration fee is due at sign-up to cover VSA fees, GotSoccer fees, and administration fees (*fee is included in total cost of registration*). If a late fee is assessed upon registration, it is also non-refundable Steps to pay electronically by credit/debit card are part of the electronic registration process. If you choose to pay in full, there are no extra fees. If you opt to pay monthly installment payments, there is an \$8 per month installment fee. All payments are due by March 1st. *A player in bad standing will not be rostered, issued a player pass, or participate in practices and/or games.* If families are late with their payment, then a \$25 monthly late fee will be charged to their account, unless other arrangements are established. Installment and late fees are non-refundable.

All payments are non-refundable after teams are rostered, and the first Club activity (training/practice, game, or tournament) is played because we have committed costs for each player: roster space, coaching time, and field rental/equipment.

Special consideration may be given to players experiencing unforeseen circumstances, injured during the regular season with no possibility of returning to the team as a participant or moving more than 50 miles from the team. The AUSC Board will consider if a portion of the fees shall be returned, upon a written request detailing the injury and provided detail around the player's inability to return to the team as a participant in any activity or role with proof of injury stated by a physician and/or new address documentation.