



**North County Youth Soccer Association
Annual Report 2007**

Respectfully submitted by Ron Lambalot, President

2007 was a year for changes within NCYSA with the Snohomish Club breaking off and forming a new Association. The merging of clubs to improve the select program was successful even with some “growing pains”. Our player count is approximately 9,200 players; with the team count at 894. The registration process continues to improve with 10 of our 12 clubs on the Bonzi/SAM system. And, the new feature of online approval for travel papers through Bonzi. A new online scheduling program for our recreational league was used this year; there were some technical problems but overall coaches and clubs were happy with the instantaneous posting of game changes, standings. We hope to continue moving forward in this direction for the 2008 season.

NCYSA held a Coaches D Clinic in April with a full class of 32 coaches. An E License Clinic was held as well as several U-10 youth modules were sponsored throughout the Association by different clubs. A Mastery of Coaching Workshop was held in Everett in August.

Grade 8 and 9 referee entry level clinics were offered throughout the Spring and Summer in Sky River, Lake Stevens, Marysville, Lakewood, Mukilteo, Irish, Everett and Silver Lake. Re-certification clinic were held in Marysville in May and Everett in December by North Chapter Referees. This has helped with the demand for more referees. NCYSA hosted a referee assignor clinic in May.

NCYSA offers a wide range of playing opportunity for our membership:

- We continued to inter-tie our recreational league with South Whidbey, Snohomish, Sno-King, Terrace-Brier and older Skagit teams. This provides our organizations with a good level of competition for players in the recreational program.
- Evergreen, Pacific Premier, Mukilteo, Lakewood and Sky River Clubs offered select programs with teams playing at all levels; District I, CYL, PDL, WSYDL and WSYL.

North County sanctioned the following successful tournaments in 2007:

Evergreen International Invitational in July
Lakewood Netbuster in July
Lake Stevens Soccer Bash & Little Bash Jamboree in August
Marysville Strawberry Classic in August
Sky River in August
Mukilteo Turkey Shoot in November
Washington College Showcase in December

NCYSA hosted the WSYSYA President’s Cup semi-finals for U17 Boys and U12 Girls at Lochsloy Fields in Lake Stevens.

Through the work of many volunteers our program continues to be successful, giving players from ages 3 – 18 another fun and positive season of soccer.

MEMBER CLUBS

Arlington-Everett-Evergreen -Granite Falls-Irish-Lake Stevens-Lakewood North-Marysville-Mukilteo-Pacific Premier FC-Silver Lake-Sky River