



West Michigan Youth Soccer Association

The Commitment Application must be submitted no later than July 5th, 8:00 pm for the 2021 Fall Season. The Commitment Application includes your home venue field location, Head Coach Integration, Division Placement Request and up to 4 Blackout Dates.

The registration uses the new GotSport account. The coach/manager will need to be listed on the team in order to complete the process. They will sign into the GotSport link with their own Username and Password. If you do not have this information, your club registrar or president should be able to get you the information. *They may have a Search feature which will allow them to look for their team and add themselves to a team as a coach or manager and complete the Team Commitment Application.

Keep the following in mind while completing the online registration:

- a. Season is September 10th – October 30th
- b. We will not schedule any games after October 30th
- c. You will be able to pick 4 blackout dates while making your commitment. This function will be closed on July 5th.

The steps to complete the Commitment Application Registration:

1. First using the link above
2. **Use your personal GotSport account to login.**
3. Make sure your coach/manager information is entered correctly. Save and Continue button at bottom of page
4. Team Information: This is a review of the team name, gender and Event age. You do not select the Division on this step. Save and Continue button at the bottom of the page.
5. Registration Form: This is the list of questions you need to answer to commit to playing this Fall 2022 season:
 - a. To be placed into the fall season, you **MUST** meet the minimum roster requirement policy.
 - b. Primary Home Team Field: Give the Venue name
 - c. Age Division of Play - this is the Division level you want to play - not necessarily the roster age of the team.
 - e. Level of Play - this lists all potential division levels:
 - i. *Elite is for U12 and older wanting to play in the interleague division with GVSA and CASL. There are limited numbers of teams accepted into this division.
 - ii. A Division is the top WMYSA choice; C is rarely used, but signifies the team wants to play in the lowest division possible.



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- iii. Academy is our 7U & 8U ages. They do not pick blackout dates since this is a 4 Sunday afternoon jamboree set up by the league. They do need to complete the commitment so we can correctly schedule field needs.
 - f. If a team is in an Elite Division with Self Scheduling, then they are not part of the integration process.
 - g. If your team (whether requesting Elite or Select) needs a blackout date for any reason, this would be "Yes." Reasons to think about needing blackout dates: tournament, school events (track meets, prom, graduation), church events (confirmation, 1st communion) where a significant number of players on the team would not be able to come on the particular date. Limit will be 4 for the Fall season to request.
6. Please indicate if you will be using blackout dates.
7. Comments: If you have additional information for a placement request, please enter the information here. Click the Save and Continue box
8. The next page will ask for dates to exclude (up to 4 blackout dates) Click inside the box and a calendar will appear go to the date you want to blackout.
9. If you have additional dates, click on the Add Additional Date link below the dates already showing. An additional Exclude Date box will appear, click inside it and the calendar will appear. Follow the same procedure for up to 4 dates. Click Save and Continue
10. Click on the box to agreeing to committing to play this Fall 2022 season. Save and Continue button at bottom of page
11. The Team Commitment has no fee; however, GotSport requires this page. There should be a box showing no fee and the team will need to click the Select button.
12. The next page shows a cart with the team name and a checkout button. Click on the button
13. The final page will show no charges for the team and they must click on the blue Register button in order to fully submit their Application Agreement.