Guest Player Release Form Instructions

- 1. North Texas Soccer must approve a Guest Player Release form when:
 - a. A player will guest play with a North Texas Soccer-rostered team in a tournament held outside of North Texas
 - b. A player has been released from a competitive team by North Texas Soccer and has not joined another team In order to guest play with a North Texas Soccer-rostered team, a player must be registered through an association affiliated with North Texas Soccer. Please contact a North Texas member association to register *if* the player is not already registered.
 - 2. The Guest Player Release form must include the following signatures:
 - a. Player signature
 - b. Parent signature
 - c. Player Registration Number. Please contact your coach or member association for this number.
 - d. Releasing Head Coach signature (if currently on a team roster)
 - e. Receiving Head Coach signature

Please do not send the release to NTSSA without all the necessary signatures; incomplete forms will not be processed.

- 3. If a player has been released from a competitive team to either recreational or competitive soccer, that release must be submitted with the Guest Player Release form. NTSSA will act as the Releasing Coach for players who have been released from a competitive team.
- 4. If you submit a release from by fax, please include a cover sheet and provide your name, phone number, and the email address/fax number to which we may send the approved release.
- 5. If a guest player needs a player card or a registration number, please contact the <u>Member Association where the player is</u> <u>registered</u>. The Member Association is responsible for printing the player card and issuing registration numbers. If you do not know who your **Member Association** is, please contact your team manager or coach.

NORTH TEXAS SOCCER GUEST PLAYER RULES (See complete rules in NTSSA Rule Book at www.ntxsoccer.org)

4.6.1

When traveling out of NTSSA for friendly or tournament games, NTSSA shall allow the use of the number of guest players that is allowed by the tournament or hosting organization, providing the tournament or hosting organization allows their use. The use of guest players shall be in accordance with the following procedures:

- 1. NTSSA Guest Player form must be filled out in triplicate and a copy sent to the NTSSA State Office, one copy to the coach releasing the player, and one copy to the coach requesting the loan of the player.
- 2. The recreational guest player may not be transferred or added to the hosting team's recreational roster for the remainder of the current soccer year, and all of the following soccer year, unless the player transfer is approved by the player's home Member Association.
- 3. A guest player's current team's membership pass signed by the Youth Commissioner will be used in activities necessitating the use of USYS travel I.D. cards.
- 4. Guest players may practice with the team on which they are guests only if the dates for the practices are included on the guest player release signed by the guest player's registered coach. Violators of this rule are subject to discipline under the rules governing use of ineligible players.
- 5. Academy players who are not rostered to a recreational team are not eligible to participate as a guest player on any other recreational team.

4.6.2

Teams will be allowed up to five (5) guest players, providing the hosting organization allow guest players. These guest players and guest players on teams traveling out of NTSSA may participate in any or all of the tournaments that the team may enter.

EXCEPTION: At any time, a team that loses a player(s) to participate in a USSF, USASA, USYSA National Team Activity (including the U. S. National Team, Regional Teams or Olympic Development Program Teams) may replace that player(s) with guest player(s) for competition in sanctioned tournaments if the tournament and National Team activity occur at the same time.

A properly completed Guest Player Release form will generally be approved within 24 to 48 hours. For releases that require NTSSA approval, please email the form to travelandguestplayer@ntxsoccer.org



GUEST PLAYER RELEASE FORM

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Guest player release - For recreational players, the Member Association <u>must sign</u> at the bottom. A youth player wishing to guest play with a team from a different State Association, other than North Texas State Soccer, must fill out the Region III Interstate Permission form available at <u>www.ntxsoccer.org</u>

Please select one: \square Rec \square Comp	ect one: \square Rec \square Comp Please select one: \square Boy \square Girl	
Player Name:	DOB:	
Address: State: <u>TX</u> Zip:		
City:	Phone Number:	
Name of Current Team:	Age Group:	U
LIST ONI	LY ONE TOURNAMENT PER FORM	
Tournament Name:	City/State:	
Tournament Start Date:	Tournament End Date:	
Dates of Practice before tournament:		
Name of Team Guest Playing with:	Age Group:	U
REQUIRED SIG	NATURES. NO ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES	
Player Signature: Player must Sign	Registration #:	_ Date:
Parent Signature: Parent of Guest Player must sig	n	_ Date:
Releasing Head Coach: Releasing Head Coach must sign	a - (HEAD COACH'S SIGNATURE ONLY NO D. O. C NO Manager)	Date:
	n – (HEAD COACH'S SIGNATURE ONLY NO D. O. C NO Manager)	Date:
Member Assoc. Signature:		Date:
	only signs when Recreational Player is Guest Playing	
NTSSA Youth Commissioner:		Date:

Only submit if needing the Youth Commissioner signature. Youth Commissioner only signs when Guest Playing outside of North Texas Soccer Association.

Submit completed form to: travelandguestplayer@ntxsoccer.org

This Release is not valid until all appropriate signatures are present.