

# Brooklyn Heights Recreation Department



## Soccer

### Dyna-Mites

Cost: Residents, Free  
Non-Residents \$25

Fall Season: September / October

Spring Season: April / May

Sign Up Deadline: Fall Season, July 21st  
Spring Season, February 17th

Late fee of \$25 for all registrations received after February 17th

Teams are Co-Ed:

#### **Pre Dyna-Mites** - Age Group: 3 & 4 Year Olds

- Introduction to soccer
- Practice 1 - 2 times per week, dependent on parent participation
- Team based on number of participants
- Players merge with Dyna-Mites Program if participation is low
- Practices held at the top level of Village Park at Field #1

#### **Dyna-Mites** - Age Group: 4 - 7 Year Olds

- Players learn basic skills and rules of the game
- Scrimmaging is usually done at the end of practices
- Practices held at the top level of Village Park at Field #1

### Competitive Soccer

Brooklyn Heights is a member of the SRSL Soccer League

Cost: Residents, Free  
Non-Residents \$55 (covers both Fall and Spring seasons)

Fall Season: Early September / Late October

Spring Season: April / Mid-May

Sign Up Deadline: Fall Season, July 21st  
Spring Season, February 17th

Late fee of \$25 for all registrations received after Deadline

Team Age Groups: U7, U8-9, U10-11, U12-13, U14-15

*Ages as of August 31st*

- Home games are held at Village Park
- We may combine with Valley View teams if insufficient number of players
- Every effort is made to have separate boys and girls teams

#### **What equipment is required for my child to play soccer?**

Soccer is a sport that requires very little equipment. Your child will need cleats, shin guards, a soccer ball, and a water bottle. A mouth guard is a good idea at older age levels. Shin guards which have an ankle guard (pads on the ankle bone) and a strap that goes under the foot are ideal. Kids kick at the ball like crazy, and the ankles can get kicked a lot. Be sure to get guards that are long enough (within a couple inches of the bottom of the knee). The size of the soccer ball depends on your child's age.

#### **What Size Ball Should My Child Be Using?**

Size 3 U4-U8, 3-7 Years Old  
Size 4 U9-U12, 8-12 Years Old  
Size 5 U13-U18, 13-17 Years Old



## **Basketball**

- Cost: Resident, Free  
Non-Residents, \$55
- Season: Early December through March
- Age Groups: Grades 3 & 4 and Grades 5 & 6
- Sign Up Deadline: October 15th  
Late fee of \$25 for all registrations received after October 15th
- Separate Boys and Girls teams
  - Practice in November and throughout season
  - Games are held in Valley View, Seven Hills and Independence
  - We may combine with Valley View teams if insufficient number of players



## **Youth Baseball & Softball**

### **Pre T-Ball & T-Ball**

- Cost: Residents, Free  
Non-Residents, \$25
- Season: Starts early June
- Sign Up Deadline: March 31st  
Late fee of \$25 for all registrations received after March 31st
- Age Groups: **Pre T-Ball, Ages 3 & 4, Co-Ed**
- Introduction to baseball
  - Practice once per week
  - Team based on number of participants
  - Players merge with T-Ball program if insufficient participation
  - Practices are on the top level of Village Park
  - *Age as of August 31st*
- T-Ball, Ages 5 & 6, Co-Ed**
- Players learn basic skills and rules of the game
  - Home games are played on Diamond #1 of Village Park
  - Games are mostly on Saturday mornings
  - Practice starts mid-May
  - 6 year olds can play coach pitch (parents must specify on registration PRIOR to deadline)
  - *Age as of August 31st*

### **Girls Softball (Fastpitch)**

- Cost: Resident, Free  
Non-Residents, \$55
- Season: Games begin early June through mid-July
- Sign Up Deadline: March 31st  
Late fee of \$25 for all registrations received after March 31st
- Age Groups: Girls Coach Pitch, Ages 7-9  
Girls Mini Tail, Ages 9-11  
Girls Pig Tail, Ages 12-14  
*Age as of August 31st*
- Home games at Village Park
  - Mini Tail is first year of Fastpitch
  - Girls who are 9, or will be by August 31st, have option to be with Girls Coach Pitch, or move up to Mini Tail

- Pig Tail age group plays in the Seven Hills League
- Practice starts early May
- Champion Teams receive trophies

### **Boys Baseball**

Cost: Residents, Free  
Non-Residents, \$55

Season: Early June through mid-July

Sign Up Deadline: March 31st  
Late fee of \$25 for all registrations received after March 31st

Age Groups: Boys Coach Pitch, Ages 7-8  
Boys Minor, Ages 9-10  
Boys Major, Ages 11-12  
Boys Pony, Ages 13-15  
*Age as of August 31st*

- 8 year olds can play Minor (parents must specify on registration PRIOR to deadline)
- Home games at Village Park
- Practice starts early May
- Champion teams will receive trophies



### **Adult Softball**

Cost: Teams are self-funded, assume \$20-25

Sign up Deadline: July 15th

Age: 18 Year Old Minimum

#### **Men's League**

- Games on Sunday, Monday or Wednesday
- Season from early August through early October
- Most games played on Diamond #2 in Village Park

#### **Women's League**

- Games on Tuesday and Thursday evenings
- Season from early August through late September
- Games are played on Diamond #2 in Village Park



### **Blue Wave Swim Team**

Call Cuyahoga Heights Municipal Center at (216) 641-7020 for information