



# SOCCER CHAMPS®

## NEWSLETTER – Fall 2025

### Dribbling Into Action!

Soccer Champs® program is off to a great start! The champs are having a great time both playing games, and improving their skills.

Champs are concentrating on listening skills, left & right skills, and coordination. These fundamentals help improve their overall skills in soccer. They are learning the correct terminology for soccer, and working on numerous drills and games to reinforce these skills. Not only is your Champ learning valuable individual skills and ball handling, but also learning to work within a group and team.

### What Your Soccer Champ Has Been Doing:

- Dribbling, using the Tick-Tock-Clock drills – Moving ball back and forth between feet. Using insides of feet, kicking back and forth
- “Bear Trap” – drills to practice stopping the ball
- “Freeze Ball” – game in which they dribble the ball around the room. When the whistle blows, they have to stop the ball with their “Bear Trap.” Music is used, and the Champs dribble with the music on, and “Bear Trap” when it stops.
- All classes begin with appropriate warm-ups, both for safety, and to develop good athletic habits.
- Many general drills are used to increase physical development and coordination: skipping, galloping, marching, running, hopping (one and two feet), and balancing skills.



**Avoid Late Fees – Use Automatic Monthly Drafts!**  
(automatically end at end of session)

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### School Closings

Soccer Champs follows the same closings as the county in which your child's school is located for Thanksgiving, Winter & Spring Break only. Church enrichment and Parks & Rec, and private schools may differ we will follow their schedules.

### Holiday & Teacher Workdays

County schools throughout the metro Atlanta area have several teacher workdays scheduled which CMD does not observe. CMD will hold classes as scheduled on these days. As detailed in your registration brochure, CMD follows the same holiday closings as the county in which your child's school is located for Thanksgiving, Winter Break, and Spring Break only. Private schools and church enrichment programs may differ – at these schools, we follow their closing schedule.

# IMPORTANT REMINDERS

## Holiday and School Closing Calendar

Classes follow the same closings as the county in which your child's school is located for Thanksgiving, Winter, and Spring Break only. Generally, other than those holidays, if your school is open, we have class.

**Church enrichment programs, County Parks & Recreation facilities, and private schools may differ.** At these schools, we follow their closing schedule.

We will post a holiday closing schedule and reminder in November by "handout" newsletters, as well as on our website. All monthly newsletters are posted at the on-site locations and on our website under "Newsletter." Classes are held on Early Release days and on County Teacher Workdays/Student Holidays at all locations. Again, **Church enrichment programs, County Parks & Recreation facilities, and private schools may differ.**

## Tuition

**PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE PAYMENTS AT YOUR CHILD'S SCHOOL!** Teachers CMD **are not permitted to accept checks that are left at schools!** Teachers do not come to the business office, and locations frequently misplace checks.

Please be sure to pay your tuition **on time**—make your monthly payment online, or mail it in. Please adhere to the guidelines below to avoid having your child withheld from class. This can be embarrassing and uncomfortable for the child as well as the teachers.

- 🕒 Payments are due on the **1st of each month**
- 🕒 Late charge incurred after the 10th is \$15.00
- 🕒 Tuition is based on entire session, divided into equal monthly payments (not based on number of weeks/classes in a month)
- 🕒 We encourage **AUTOMATIC MONTHLY DRAFTS** and monthly payments online. **You can authorize auto draft by logging in to the Parent Portal- just change Membership Type from Monthly Self-Pay to Auto Draft, if you haven't already.** This is our most popular method, and the easiest way to ensure timely payments. Payments will be made automatically through May 1st. **OR**
- 🕒 Make check payable and mail to: CMD. Payments must be **mailed with Tuition Coupon or complete with Student name, school name/location, etc. to ensure proper credit to your account.**
- 🕒 If payment is not received by 20th, **student will be withheld from class.** CMD will notify parents through contact information provided in registration materials before any child will be withheld.



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