



CITY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION & PARKS



2023 CITYWIDE YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT



“Sportsmanship is everyone’s responsibility! Be a Good Sport!”

Achieving gender equity through a continuous commitment to girls’ and women’s sports.

CITYWIDE SPORTS BOARD

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CITYWIDE YOUTH SPORTS SPORTSMANSHIP STATEMENT

Good sportsmanship among spectators, parents, coaches, players, and officials is expected. We require that ALL spectators practice supportive and encouraging behavior at all times.

Inappropriate conduct and/or negative gestures are not allowed during any part of the game. Examples of such behavior include the following:

- Taunting the opposing team and their supporters.
- Derogatory comments to the officials/referees.
- Distracting players with stomping, yelling, and/or banging devices. Usage of loud sounds such as horns/whistles/bells are prohibited.

Failure to comply with the above rules may officially end the game and result in a forfeit loss for the offending team.



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TOURNAMENT FORMAT

1. All Citywide Youth Soccer rules shall apply.
2. All participants must sign in prior to playing in the game.
3. **RULES PROTEST PROCEDURES:** Protests will only be accepted concerning a misinterpretation of the rules. Coaches must notify officials prior to the start of the next play if there is a protest. The game will be stopped at that point and the committee will be called to make the final decision. The committee's decision shall be final. Protest time is part of game time. Protests will not be heard on official's judgment calls.
4. **Games will start on time.** There is no grace period. It is up to each team to allow proper travel time to get to each game venue on time. FLAG FOOTBALL: A team can start the game with 6 players but the 7th player must arrive before the start of the 2nd half.
5. Teams should arrive at least 30 minutes prior to game time in order to allow ample time to sign in.
6. All games will be played out until there is a winner. Please refer to the City Wide Flag Football Rules for tie breakers
7. Any player, coach, or spectator that is ejected from the game, must leave the immediate vicinity of the playing field. The Citywide Sports Board reserves the right to determine a possible suspension of the person ejected based on the severity of the act/s leading to ejection.

2023 Citywide Flag Football Schedule



All games to be played at John Ferraro Soccer Complex,

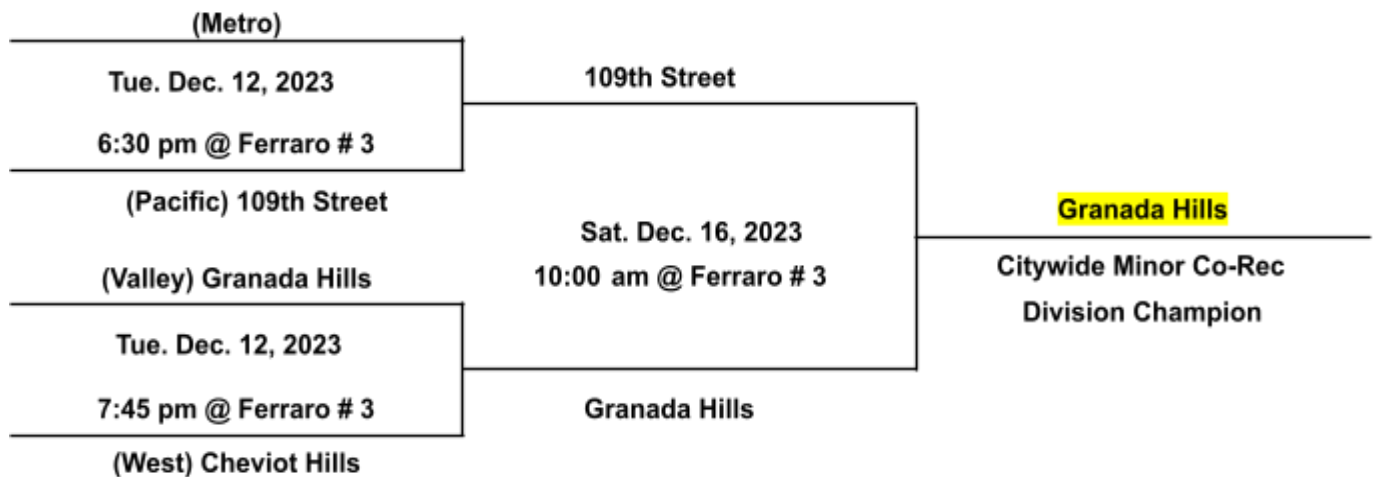
5101 N. Zoo Dr, Los Angeles, CA 90027

Located on Zoo Drive in Griffith Park where the 5 Freeway meets the 134 Freeway.

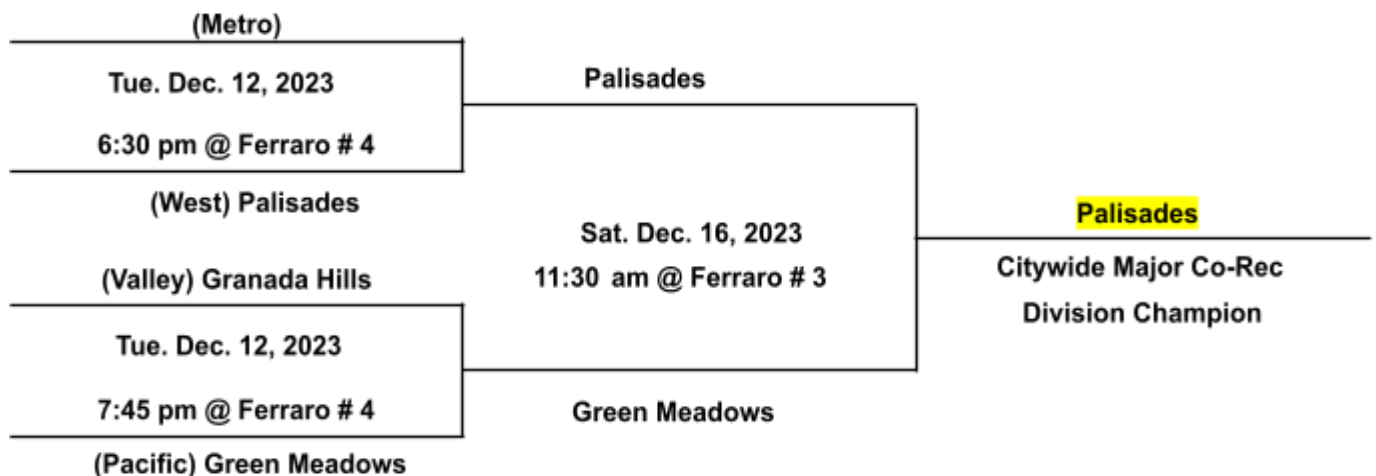
See Attachment for directions



MINOR CO-REC DIVISION



MAJOR CO-REC DIVISION



John Ferraro Soccer Complex

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- **From the North bound 5 Freeway.**
 - A. Exit Zoo Drive
 - B. Go left onto Zoo Drive
 - C. Complex is on the left hand side
- **From the South bound 5 Freeway.**
 - A. Exit Victory Blvd. and go right
 - B. Go left onto Zoo Drive
 - C. Continue on Zoo Drive over the 5 Freeway
 - D. Complex is on the left hand side
- **From the West bound 134 Freeway.**
 - A. Exit Zoo Drive
 - B. Complex is on the right hand side
- **From the East bound 134 Freeway.**
 - A. Exit Griffith Park / Travel Town
 - B. U-Turn onto Zoo Drive towards the L.A. Zoo
 - C. Continue on Zoo Drive over the 5 Freeway
 - D. Complex is on the left hand side