Michigan State Youth Soccer Association
Press Release

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Now Accepting Girls Teams for the 2015 MSYSA Fall State Cup!

Plymouth, Michigan (April 17, 2014) – The Michigan State Youth Soccer Association will host more than 3,000+ players from 200+ teams as they compete in the US Youth Soccer MSYSA State Cup, which will be played in the fall of 2014. This will be the first of three legs in the US Youth Soccer National Championship Series. This fall, MSYSA will host the following age groups: Under 14 Girls through Under 18 Girls.

The US Youth Soccer Association MSYSA State Cup Champions will qualify to compete for a regional title in the US Youth Soccer Midwest Regional Championships hosted in Fox Cities, Wisconsin being held June 19 through June 24, 2015. Those who are crowned champions at the US Youth Soccer Regional Championships in the Under 14 through Under 19 brackets earn a place to compete in the 2015 US Youth Soccer National Championships which will be played from July 20 through 26, 2015 at the Mohawk Soccer Complex in Tulsa, OK.

2014 was an exciting and successful year for Michigan teams! MSYSA invites you and your team to participate in the 2015 MSYSA Fall State Cup Tournament!

The MSYSA State Cup Tournament is intended to provide teams a high level of competition for teams in the Under 13 through Under 19 age groups. If you or other teams you may be aware of, are interested in participating in the tournament, please make certain you register and pay the team fee for your team(s) before Friday, June 27, 2014. The cost per team to register is $455. The MSYSA State Cup is for current MSYSA league affiliated teams and MSYSA League affiliated members only. Preliminary matches will commence on August 16, 2014 and end on September 21, 2014. The MSYSA State Cup Round of 16 and Quarterfinals will take place on October 4-5, 2014 in Saginaw, Michigan at the STSA Soccer Complex. The Round of 16 will be for the Under 14 and Under 15 age groups provided there are 32 teams or more in those two age groups. The MSYSA State Cup Semifinals and Finals are scheduled to take place on October 18-19, 2014 at the Ultimate Sports Arena in Pontiac, MI.

Register your team(s) by clicking here or by going to https://events.gotsport.com/forms/app/Default.aspx?eventid=38736.

REGISTER EARLY! DON'T FORGET REGISTRATION ENDS JUNE 27, 2014 AT 4:30PM
Please note that the deadline to register is earlier than in previous years!
REGISTER HERE

Watch the US Youth Soccer MSYSA State Cup Highlight Video on the MSYSA YouTube Page! After you register for the tournament, be sure to follow the moments on the MSYSA Facebook Page and Twitter Page. **Facebook:** Michigan State Youth Soccer Association & **Twitter:** @MSYSASoccer

About Michigan State Youth Soccer Association
The Michigan State Youth Soccer Association, Inc. (MSYSA) is a nonprofit organization that represents over 89,000+ youth soccer players, 12,000+ coaches, and 8,000+ referees throughout Michigan. MSYSA consists of a vast number of leagues that register players (boys and girls) from ages 4 through 19 throughout the state. MSYSA is a member of the United States Youth Soccer Association and the United States Soccer Federation. For more information on MSYSA, visit www.michiganyouthsoccer.org.

About the US Youth Soccer National Championship Series
The US Youth Soccer National Championship Series provides more than 10,000 teams from US Youth Soccer's 55 State Associations the opportunity to showcase their abilities against the best in the nation while emphasizing teamwork, discipline and fair play. The yearlong competition begins with over 185,000 players in the US Youth Soccer State Championships. These champions and selected wildcard teams, through US Youth Soccer Regional Leagues, advance to compete in one of four the US Youth Soccer Regional Championships. Champions (U-14 through U-19) from each regional event advance to the National Championships. The Under-15 through 17 Boys and Girls age groups have two teams representative of the US Youth Soccer National League, in which the top two teams in each gender age group earn a direct path to the national championships. Overall the US Youth Soccer National Championship Series provides the nation's top collegiate coaches with the premier stage to identify and scout the most coveted players in the country.

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