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**Q. Are there games and teams in Hollandia Academy?**

A. All training is game based, with an age-appropriate mixture of skill acquisition and cognitive training (game intelligence).

**Q. Can a player do club and Hollandia academy? Is there overlap of times?**

A. Yes a player can do both club and Hollandia Academy. There will be no overlap of practice times.

**Q. Is Golden Glove an outside academy?**

A. Yes, Golden Glove is an outside academy.

**Q. Does a player have to choose between an academy and club soccer?**

A. Players can play in club and an outside academy if the academy is operating in Phase 1 of the Saskatchewan Soccer Return to Play Plan. If the outside academy is operating in phase 2 or higher, a player is not allowed to play zone and an outside academy. With this in mind, Hollandia is offering an internal academy with the same coaching level as any outside academies.

**Q. Will in-house teams be re-shuffled at Christmas for Session 2?**

A. Teams may be re-shuffled after Christmas depending on what happens with registration numbers and if the session is structured differently.

**Q. Are masks required at the soccer centres?**

A. Anyone on the field, excluding players will need to wear a mask. The Saskatoon Soccer Centre has not released their opening plan regarding if spectators will require a mask.

**Q. Will Hollandia still have the shoe exchange at evaluations?**

A. Hollandia has not decided at this time if we will have the shoe exchange. If players are in need, please contact [operations@hollandiasoccer.ca](mailto:operations@hollandiasoccer.ca) to do contactless pick-up.

**Q. Will players in academy play games against other teams?**

A. Not until after December, and then only if COVID restrictions are relaxed. It will also depend if players from the same team all being in the academy. The goal of the academy is enhanced individual development, as opposed to team development.

**Q. Do I need to submit a volunteer cheque?**

A. Hollandia will not be collecting volunteer cheques for session 1.

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**Q. Do I need to submit a uniform deposit cheque?**

A. Only U15-U19 players need to submit a uniform deposit cheque. U7D-U13 players will use their blue practice jerseys and pinnies for the in-house games.

**Q. Will players of all divisions be mixed together?**

A. U7D and U9D - Teams will be balanced for U7D and U9D. Players will be assigned to a “World Cup” team for a period of 4-6 weeks with internal “championships”, after which they are assigned to a new “country” and a new “championship” is started.

U11 – open roster, teams will change week to week

U13 - loosely tiered groups with flexible rosters

U15 – same as previous years

U19 - same as previous years

**Q. Will there be evaluations?**

A. Hollandia will hold evaluations for U11-U19.