

ASBURY SOCCER

Kids Soccer Camp FAQ

- Q – Since Asbury is a distinctively Christian university and this camp is being advertised as a Christian camp, how does that affect how the camp is run?
- A - Our staff's number one priority is to take care of your children. We want them to learn about the game of soccer but also hear about Jesus and his love. We will be sharing stories and lessons from the Bible each day. Also, our coaches will be sharing their personal testimonies so that the kids can hear specific examples of how God has impacted their lives for the better.
- Q - How are the campers grouped? What if my child is advanced for his/her age?
- A - Upon registration, campers will initially be grouped by age. Before we move a camper to another group, that coach will look to challenge on an individual basis. If the coach then believes it would be best to move the camper into another group, he/she will speak to the camp director about doing so.
- Q - Can my camper be put in a group with a friend/sibling?
- A - Campers are grouped by age initially. If the pairing requested is between two campers from different age groups, a request can be made to the camp director after registration has commenced.
- Q – What does a typical camp day schedule look like?
- A – Each day, camp will start off with a morning skills session. During this time, each camper will be asked to focus on fundamentals and based on age and skill, different games may be used to do this. Water breaks will be offered throughout the morning and it's during these times that the coaches will be sharing the personal testimonies. Lunch will take place in the middle of the day. During lunch, Bible stories and lessons will be presented to the campers. After lunch, the afternoon will consist of tournament games. Campers will be placed on teams that they will stay in and compete with throughout the week.
- Q – What happens if it rains?
- A – We will do our best to wait out a temporary rain shower; however in any event of lightning or thunder we will move the camp inside. There will be limited spaces inside for us to conduct soccer activities but will do our best to accommodate. You can call the Luce Physical Activities Center at 859-858-3511 ext 2478 to get up to date info.
- Q – Who will coach my child?
- A – For this specific kid's camp, AU Men's Soccer Head Coach Ben Andrews will be the camp director. Coach Ben Andrews will be present each day and will be the one making decisions on

groups and locations. AU Men' Soccer Assistant Coaches Zachary Welch and Nathan Andrews will also be present and helping out. The other camp coaching staff will be made up of former and current Asbury University Men's Soccer players. Each camp coach will have an approved background check on file with the University.

Q – How do I pick up my child at the end of the day?

A – Each parent will be required to sign out their child at the end of the day. During registration on the first morning, parents will be able to give the names of those people who have permission to pick up their child.

Q – What does a camper need to wear to camp? Should they bring anything in particular?

A – Each camper should come dressed in comfortable clothes that they can play soccer in. It is also recommended (but not mandatory) that each camper have cleats and shin guards. Each camper should also come with a water bottle. Water will be readily available throughout the day for fill ups.

Q – How will lunch be handled during camp?

A – Lunch will not be provided during camp. Each camper must bring their own lunch each day. We will have large coolers for each age group available for those who need to keep their lunch at a cool temperature. Campers are encouraged to bring snacks to help them get through the day.