

## Registration - Now Open for HS Players, Coaches, Referees & Admins!



Registration for the new CIPP cycle is now open. USA Rugby registrations expire on August 31st each year. Part of their efforts to come out of bankruptcy involved the formation of stakeholder communities as separate entities. USA Youth & High School Rugby is the new sanctioned partner of USA Rugby and it is the governing body for rugby, up through U19, in the United States. Your liability and accident insurance previously came through USA Rugby. Now liability is through USA Rugby but accident is through USA Y&HS. As you complete your registration renewal you will see a breakdown of fees, with some going to each of those entities.

Due to the uncertainty of return to play due to COVID, Rugby Ohio is not adding any fees to your registration at this time. If we are able to play matches this fall, costs will be shared by the participating teams. We have every expectation that we will offer a normal Spring 15s season for high school. Registration for that season will open as we approach 2021. You will not need to pay the national fees again but there will be fees for the spring season for those who opt to participate.

We encourage you to register with USA Rugby and USA Y&HS Rugby now so that you have full coverage as soon as you are able to begin training. All tackle players pay \$25 for the year. At the present time, registration is open for high school players, coaches, referees and admin/managers. Youth registration will open as programming is announced. The breakdown of fees is shown below.

USAR \$14 Cost Breakd Community Support Services Community Support Staff and Human Resources Liability Insurance Match Officials TBE	\$ 7.10 \$ 2.48 \$ 0.92	Y&HS \$11 Cost Breakdown
Medical Membership Expenses	\$ 0.05 \$ 0.15 Sub-Total \$ 10.70	<ul> <li>Accident Insurance (incl brokerage)</li> <li>Non-contact \$2.50 - \$2.80 (TBD)</li> </ul>
USAR Overhead Audit Board Expenses Communications Independent Contractors Legal Fees Other Including Sportslomo Rent Travel Fee per player payable to USAR	\$ 0.18 \$ 0.15 \$ 0.23 \$ 0.18 \$ 0.92 \$ 1.30 \$ 0.14 \$ 0.20 \$ ub-Total \$ 3.30 \$ 14.00	<ul> <li>Coaches and Referees \$2.50</li> <li>Contact \$3.75</li> <li>Operational Cost allowance \$1.25</li> <li>Youth Development, T&amp;E \$6.00</li> </ul>
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**Rugby Ohio Virtual** 

## Strength & Conditioning Program -2nd Session Wednesday, 9/9 at 4pm!

Rugby Ohio recognizes how important it is for teams to try to maintain some level of engagement during these challenging times. It is also vital that our players remain active and healthy. We have partnered with Friendship Fitness and Jerade Parks to offer strength & conditioning programs for both players, held virtually, and coaches to use as they work with their players.

The virtual sessions for players will run on **Saturdays at noon** and **Wednesdays at 4pm** during the month of September, with the next session on **September 9th**. Live participation is available through Zoom. The live sessions will be available as a YouTube link for those not able to attend in real time.



## **New Website Coming Soon**



Rugby Ohio is excited to share that a new website will be launching soon! The newly improved user-friendly site will be powered by SportLoMo, the same platform used for registration, to create a cohesive experience for our players, parents and coaches.

The ascetically pleasing new design and interface was built for both youth and high school. While we take the next few weeks internally to populate content and test functionality, we are eager to share with you and your teams!

The picture to the left is a speak peak of our home page, which will even feature upcoming events and an Instagram gallery.

## Stay tuned for the next update on the new Rugby Ohio website!

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