

## **Summer Tournament Guest Policy (reviewed March 2020)**

In order to maximize the development opportunities for Crossfire Select players, the following are the steps to be followed for procuring guest players for summer play (there are no guest players allowed for league play, the player pass should be used);

- 1. Reach out to other Crossfire Select coaches in your age group to inquire if their players would like the opportunity to guest play
- 2. Reach out to other Crossfire Select coaches in the age group below to inquire if any of their players would like the opportunity to guest play
- 3. If players cannot be found from following the above steps, obtain coaching director approval **before** reaching outside of the club. Bear in mind that some tournaments have rules about guest players and playing level should be similar to that of your team so as not to create an unfair advantage.

## Note:

- It is the coach responsibility to obtain permission from the guest players coach.
- Do not reach out to players directly, go through the coach and cc Crossfire Select coaching director if player is from another club.
- Remember; plan ahead and ask for confirmation from players of their commitment.
  Team fees should be divided equally amongst all team players regardless of whether they choose not to participate in a summer tournament. Guest players register as a guest player with the club but do not pay team fees.
- Your regular team players, regardless of where the guest player would rank, should receive the bulk of the playing time. Your players are the ones that have paid and committed to you for the season.