

2015-2016 State ODP Try-Out Information

Players wishing to try-out for a 2015-2016 State ODP Pool must begin here.

Try-Outs for the State ODP pools are by DOC Recommendation and Returning State, Regional and National ODP Players. All players wishing to play ODP at this level must be identified and recommended to attend try-outs by the Director of Coaching from their club or league. Players on the 2014-2015 State, Region or National pools are not required to provide a Coach Recommendation signature.

Player Eligibility:

Any Player of eligible age that demonstrates the ability to perform at the highest level in the sport of youth soccer and has been recommended by their Director of Coaching from their local league or club, or a player who participated on the 2014-2015 State ODP Pool, or is currently on the US Youth Soccer Regional Pool, or US Soccer Youth National Team pool.

Eligible Age/Gender:

Boys and Girls born in 2004, 2003 2002, 2001 and 2000. ODP Birth year is a "Calendar year", not "Soccer season year". Players must have been born any time during one of the years listed. (Example: January 1-December 31 during 2003 etc...)

Try-Out Dates:

BOYS: *September 13th/ *October 11th/ November 8th	*Each day will have (2) Sessions per day
GIRLS: *September 20th/ *October 18th/ November 15th	*Each day will have (2) Sessions per day

There are total of (12) hours for try-outs, (3 different days, 2- sessions per day, each session is 2 hours long). Attending every try-out session is NOT Mandatory, however if you fail to attend one of the first sessions and then you get ill, injured or have a club team conflict later in the try-out process, you may be eliminating yourself by virtue of not participating earlier on. We highly recommend you attend the first session possible in order to avoid any scheduling conflicts for a player. All players must pre-register, pay the try-out fee and attend at least ONE try-out Session (including State and Regional players) to be rostered to the pool. Try-outs will not be extended past the November dates due to High School Soccer rules.

Try Out Schedule:

The daily try-out schedule will be posted on the Cal North website/ODP Try-Out page by August 29th

Try-Out location:

Try outs will be held at Mistlin Sports Complex located at 1201 W Ripon Rd, Ripon CA (Also known as Ripon Soccer Complex).

Cost:**Early-Bird Registration (Must register and pay by September 1st):**

\$120.00: All Players

\$18.50: Insurance Fee for Non-Cal North players (This fee is in addition to the Try-Out Fee)

After September 1st:

\$145.00: All Players

\$18.50: Insurance Fee for Non-Cal North players (This fee is in addition to the Try-Out Fee)

Registration policy:

All registration for State ODP Try-Outs is online and the try-out fee must be paid at the time of registration. There are no exceptions. Registration will be open until the Friday night (midnight on 9/11 and 9/18) before the September try-out and will reopen on the Monday (9/14 and 9/21) afterwards. (Closing the registration on the Saturday before the September try-outs will permit the office to pull try-out lists for the coaching staff.) Final Registration will be the Friday night prior to the October try-outs. Players who are not pre-registered will not be permitted to try-out. Regional or National status players that have a documented injury (treating Physician letter required) may be waived from attending actual try-out process, but still need to register and pay the try-out fees. Players that fall into this category must contact the Cal North Office immediately.

There is NO Walk-up registration for try-outs.

Registration will close on October 9th for the Boys and on October 16th for the Girls

Concussion Policy

Any player that has been suspected of or being treated for a concussion must be cleared by a physician, per the Cal North Concussion Policy. No exceptions.

Refund Policy

If you registered for try-outs prior to September 1st, and request a refund prior to September 1st, you may be able to receive a refund. After September 1st, refunds will only be issued if you are injured and will not be able to participate for the duration of the try-out process. Refunds for injuries will require a Medical letter from the treating Physician, and must be submitted to the Cal North office, prior to the first set of try-outs (September). Medical injury letters must include the following: Type of injury, Date

of injury, and Statement from physician that the player is unable to participate until _____ (date). Refunds for injuries (or any portion of the try-out fee) will not be issued if a player has already participated in a try-out session. Again, we strongly encourage players to get to the first sets of try-outs in order to avoid conflicts, future injury or loss of try-out fees.

Regional/National Players:

Regional (those named to the final pool) and National Pool players will be relegated to the 2015-2016 State ODP Pools; however you still need to register, pay the try-out fee and attend at least ONE try-out session. We are most proud of the Regional and National players and feel it is very important for them to attend a try-out and provide the opportunity for other players to actually see the level of play that Regional and National coaches are looking for.

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Questions regarding State ODP Try-Outs or try-out the registration process?

Please contact: Joyce Bordley at: jbordley@calnorth.org

Or See ODP Try-Outs FAQs posted on the ODP Try-outs page

ODP Try-Outs

Registration Process

Read this entire section before you begin:

If your child is currently a Cal North player and/or was on the 2014-2015 State ODP Pool, please use your username and password to log on. If you cannot remember your username and/or password please select the option to have Affinity send it to you . Please do not create a new account, as it will create a duplicate account and will not permit you to complete the process. If all else fails email me and I can help you (jbordley@calnorth.org), but you will need to do this while the registration portal is open.

If your child is NOT a Cal North player and was NOT on the 2014-2015 State ODP Pool, you will need to create a new account. You will only need to do this one time. Once you are in the system, you will never have to do this again. Please note you will be required to pay an additional fee of \$18.50 for Insurance.

Follow all the page prompts and complete each section, leaving a blank answer may result in an incomplete registration. Once you complete the Registration, you will be asked to “print” the **Registration and Medical Release**. Print this form and sign, SECTION D: Medical Release.

- If you are a 2014-2015 State, Regional or National ODP player: Bring your form to check-in on your first try-out date. (No Coach Recommendation Required) (SECTIONS A,B,D must be complete)

- If you are “New” to ODP, you will need to complete SECTION C: Coach Recommendation. Bring your form to check-in on your first try-out date. (SECTIONS A,B,C,D must be complete)

Please do not email, fax or send your Medical Release to the Cal North Office. Bring the form to your first try-out at check-in. All players must have the ODP Medical Release to participate in try-outs.

Important Reminders:

- Pre-Register and pay for Try-Outs (No walk-on Try-outs).
- Print the Registration and Medical Release and Bring to the Try-outs for your 1st check in.
- Tips to “reprint” your Registration Medical Release are posted on the web.
- DOC signature on form (SECTION C) for new ODP players.

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