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Corpening Memorial YMCA – Fall 2018

Early Registration (begins July 1)
Regular Registration (begins July 10)
Late Registration (begins Aug. 7)

AGES 3&4

\$38 Members	\$58 Non-members
\$48 Members	\$68 Non-members
\$58 Members	\$78 Non-members

Financial assistance is available.

Ages 5+

\$48 Members	\$68 Non-members
\$58 Members	\$78 Non-members
\$68 Members	\$88 Non-members

Financial assistance is available.

How do I register? Sign up online at ymcawnc.org or at the front desk of any of our YMCA locations.

When does registration end? Registration is open until Aug. 15 or until teams are filled.

What do I need? Required: shinguards/water bottle/smile; recommended: cleats

Where can I get it? Walmart, Target, Dick’s, etc. Don’t spend too much; they will grow out of it in six months.

What will my child get? Ages 3-4 will receive a T-shirt; 5+ will receive a jersey, shorts, and socks.

What size ball will my child use? Ages 3-6 use a size 3, ages 7-10 use a size 4, ages 11-12 use a size 5.

I want to volunteer but I don’t know anything about soccer? You can be a coach or an assistant coach and just help out with drills. You can also be a team parent and help with communication. We have loads of resources and personal experience to share with the first-time volunteer!

When is the coaches meeting? Thursday, Aug. 23, 6-7 p.m., Corpening Memorial YMCA

When is the parents meeting? Thursday, Aug. 23, 7-7:30 p.m., Corpening Memorial YMCA

How are teams made? Teams will be made based on age/gender/playing experience/last season’s performance/coach availability/practice time availability.

When will I get more information? Your team coach will contact you sometime during the week of Aug. 27-31 (find out team, practice day/time). Please make sure your contact information listed at the YMCA is correct.

Where are the practices? Corpening Memorial YMCA outdoor fields

When and how long are practices?

Ages 3-4: Two preseason Thursday practices followed by only games on Thursday evenings

Ages 5-8: One hour once a week (Mondays, Tuesdays, or Thursdays) between 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Ages 9-12: One to 1.5 hours once a week (Mondays, Tuesdays, or Thursdays) between 5:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

When do the practices start?

Ages 3-4: Sept. 6 (Thursdays)

Ages 5-12: Sept. 3 (Monday, Tuesday, or Thursday)

When will I get a game schedule? Game schedules will be ready by Sept. 7 at the latest.

When do games start and end?

Ages 3-4: Thursdays from Sept. 20-Oct. 25 (six games)

Ages 5-12: Sept. 15-Nov. 3 (eight games)

Will we make up games? Rained out games will be made up on practice nights if the schedule allows.

How will I hear about game and practice cancellations? Please download the YMCA of Western North Carolina app and turn on notifications to receive program updates. We will also update the Sports Weather Hotline with current weather-related information. A decision on sports events will be made by 5 p.m. on weekdays and by 9 a.m. on weekends.

Location

- Corpening Memorial YMCA, 348 Grace Corpening Dr., Marion, NC 28752

Corpening Memorial YMCA Contacts

- Healthy Living Manager 828 559 2406
- Corpening Sports Weather Hotline 828 575 2915 (please put this number in your phone!)