## Summer Newsletter



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July 2023

#### PUT YOUR FEST ON

Mark your calendars! The 3rd Annual South County Soccer Fest is coming Sunday, July 30th, hosted by OV Toros FC. ALL are welcome. Games, Prizes, Food, Drinks, and MUCH more. FREE to attend! 10am - 4pm, Morgan Hill Outdoor Soccer Complex. Volunteer <a href="here">here</a>.

#### FALL BALL

Register NOW for our Fall **Recreational** Program. The program runs for **10 weeks** with practices beginning August 14th. Provide your child with the opportunity to learn BOTH fundamental and new skills through FUN weekly topics! Don't delay, registration closes **August 13th**.

Cost: \$325 Ages: U6-U16

Location(s): Morgan Hill & Gilroy





#### COACH'S CORNER

Meet Coach Joseph Amoah! He joined OV Toros two years ago and coaches Boys 2013 Black, Red & White. Joseph played professional futbol in Europe and has been able to pass on his vast experience through his love of coaching! He enjoys helping his players grow with the game, improve their technical skills and most importantly, have FUN! Off the field you might find Joseph cooking, drawing, hiking, fishing, running, or watching Indiana Jones. Thanks for all you do Coach Joseph!

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#### ORANGE IS THE NEW RED

We are committed to supporting **Leukemia Awareness Month** in September! All **competitive** players will wear custom **orange jerseys** throughout **September**.

The cause is near and dear to our hearts, as **Meghan Noyes** was a former Toros player and coach who passed away from leukemia last year.

For more information on upcoming events, including "**Light the Night**," or to donate, please click <u>here</u>. And be sure to visit our booth at the Soccer Fest!

#### GET TO KNOW BYGA

**BYGA** Registration System: A reminder we have moved to **BYGA** for our club registration and communication system. We are no longer using TeamSnap. Please remember to **download** BYGA onto your phone (Search BYGA on your App Store) and **create your player's account.** Or visit **BYGA.net**. Please update with a profile photo of your player, birth certificate and upload any appropriate waivers.

### YOU BE STYLIN'

The OV Toros **Merch Store** will open for orders **August 8th.** The site will feature *NEW* **orange** T-shirts and trucker hats in support of Leukemia awareness month. These items will also be available for purchase at the Soccer Fest. Show your Toros pride while supporting a great cause! A portion of all sales will be donated to "Live & Play like Meghan" supporting the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society.



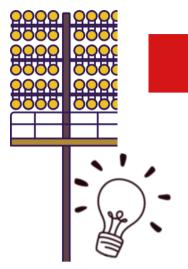
#### IT'S THRILLA' TIME!

It's our favorite time of year! We are hosting the South County **Thriller Classic, October 28th - 29th,** at the Morgan Hill Outdoor Sports Complex.

Get your **spook** on! **Prizes** will be awarded for the best team **costumes!** 

Registration opens early August.

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#### LET THERE BE LIGHT!

No sun? No problem!

We are lighting a new field! The 11v11 field (located behind football turf) will have **full floodlighting** by this Fall. The project will enable evening practices, especially during Daylight Savings. The future is bright, Toros!

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