



# LINCOLNTON AREA SOCCER ASSOCIATION

**SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITY**

The Lincolnton Area Soccer Association (LASA) is a  
Federally Registered 501(C)(3) Non-Profit Organization  
Established in 2013



## Why Be a LASA Sponsor?

The Lincolnton Area Soccer Association (LASA) was formed as a tax-deductible charitable organization for the purpose of providing a fun, competitive, safe activity to the youth of our community. It is our belief that providing structure, discipline, and teamwork will help our youth stay focused on academic and athletic success, and veer away from distracting and inappropriate activities. There are many studies that show that athletics teach teamwork, problem solving skills, and socialization skills.

The creation of LASA was to provide children, regardless of economic standing, with the opportunity to engage in a structured and competitive athletic environment. Due to socio economic circumstances, there is a significant number of children in the county that would not get the opportunity to play soccer competitively. LASA is proud to say that, since 2013, we have been able to provide several children with opportunities to play; despite their social economic situation. With your help, LASA can continue to provide opportunities to more talented young children.

Since 2013 LASA has built a strong, long lasting, relationship with the school systems of Lincoln County (specifically Lincolnton Middle and Lincolnton High School). We are currently able to utilize the middle school soccer fields. We have shared the responsibility in fixing and maintaining the fields including planting grass, mowing the fields on a regular basis, and splitting the cost for new goals. With LASA and the Lincolnton Middle School organizations coming together the fields are now safe and well kept. With your help, in sponsoring LASA, we would like to see the rest of the fields in the county well-kept and safe.

Soccer is truly a year-round sport. We want to continue to provide proficient training to our youth by organizing teams for various age groups. We want to help provide activities to all genders, races and socio-economic groups in our community. We have a great group of coaches and staff, but we need local businesses to get behind our team and this program with financial support. This will build our kids and community as we teach our children teamwork, work ethic and pride in a safe and welcoming environment. Join us today in our efforts. Partner with LASA! Thanks for any amount donated!

Fernando Ibarra Avila

Club President

Lincolnton Area Soccer Association

(828) 446-330



## OFFICERS



Fernando Ibarra Avila  
Coach/President



Eric Radebaugh  
Coach/Treasurer

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Eric Radebaugh  
Josue Echeverria  
Fernando Ibarra Avila

Manuel Ibarra Avila  
Wes Hoyle



# CLUB SPONSORSHIPS AVAILABLE

\*Individual team sponsorship available. Please discuss through team coach to coordinate

## GOLD

\$1,000 for 1 year

Includes:

- Company Name on LASA warm-up jerseys
- Company Name/Logo on LASA banner to be displayed during LASA events
- Company Name/Logo on LASA Website and all social media accounts

## SILVER

\$500 for 1 year

Includes:

- Company Name/Logo on LASA banner to be displayed during LASA events
- Company Name/Logo on LASA Website and all social media accounts

## Bronze

\$250 for 1 year

Includes:

- Company Name/Logo on LASA Website and all social media accounts



# Donation Information

Please make all sponsorship donation checks payable to **Lincolnton Area Soccer Association** and remit to:

Lincolnton Area Soccer Association  
PO Box 266  
Lincolnton, NC 28093

You can use the form on this page as your tax-deductible receipt, however, upon receiving your sponsorship donation we will send you a confirmation letter with an official tax deduction receipt.

Lincolnton Area Soccer Association Office 501(C)(3) Federal Registration information:

- Non-Profit Name: Lincolnton Area Soccer Association, Inc.
- Federal Non-Profit Tax ID(EIN): 46-2627580
- DLN: 17053178360003
- IRS Contact Person: Stephanie L. Jones Taylor: ID#31395 - (877) 829-5500

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## TEAM SPONSORSHIP TAX DEDUCTION RECEIPT

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Donated: \_\_\_\_\_

Check Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Check was Mailed: \_\_\_\_\_



INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE  
P. O. BOX 2508  
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Date: **SEP 19 2013**

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INC  
PO BOX 266  
LINCOLNTON, NC 28093

Employer Identification Number:  
46-2627580  
DLN:  
17053178360003  
Contact Person:  
STEPHANIE L JONES TAYLOR ID# 31395  
Contact Telephone Number:  
(877) 829-5500  
Accounting Period Ending:  
December 31  
Public Charity Status:  
170(b)(1)(A)(vi)  
Form 990 Required:  
Yes  
Effective Date of Exemption:  
April 24, 2013  
Contribution Deductibility:  
Yes  
Addendum Applies:  
No

Dear Applicant:

We are pleased to inform you that upon review of your application for tax exempt status we have determined that you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to you are deductible under section 170 of the Code. You are also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under section 2055, 2106 or 2522 of the Code. Because this letter could help resolve any questions regarding your exempt status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

Organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined that you are a public charity under the Code section(s) listed in the heading of this letter.

Please see enclosed Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, for some helpful information about your responsibilities as an exempt organization.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kenneth C. Cohen".

Director, Exempt Organizations

Enclosure: Publication 4221-PC

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