

YOUTH (K-12) POWER SOCCER SERIES

The youth power soccer eight-week-series will consist of one, two-hour practice per week for eight weeks. The goals of the series are to: Introduce the participants to the basic of power soccer; Assess the participants chair skills, ball skills, and the comprehension of the game rules and game play as the program continues to develop.

THE GAME

- Allows individuals with a variety of diagnosis in power wheelchairs to participate in a fun, recreational game of soccer
- · Uses the same rules as traditional soccer
- · Three players and a goalie make up one team
- Players have guards temporarily attached to their wheelchairs and use a larger soccer ball
- · Participants must have swing away leg rests

CRITERIA

- Four-wheel power wheelchair will supply wheelchairs if needed
- Power wheelchairs with center posts or swing away leg rests are welcome. If you have center post leg rests or do not normally use a power wheelchair, please contact Mobility First (816) 350-7600.
- Participants must be able to independently maneuver a power wheelchair at varying rates of speed
- Participants must be able to follow one-three step directions independently
- For safety reasons, no cords or bags of any kind can hang from the wheelchair

PARTICIPATION

To ensure a fun and safe event, youth must be:

- Ages K-12 and able to actively participate in workshop*
- Seizure free for at least 2 months*
- Caregiver presence needed for assistance if participant is not physically independent*

*NOTE: Parent/guardian will need to sign a waiver before child can play. Waiver will be available at venue.

THANK YOU

Mobility First for helping make the power wheelchair soccer workshop possible.





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Thursdays Sept. 5-Oct. 24 6:00 - 8:00 pm

LOCATION

Hy-Vee Arena 1800 Genessee St Kansas City, MO 64102

\$40 registration fee

(pay full amount upon registration or pay \$5 at each practice. Financial assistance is available)

Sign up online at: thewholeperson.org/powersoccer

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