



Job Title: Boston Unity Cup Tournament Commissioner
Contract Position: June 1, 2024 - August 15, 2024

Soccer Unity Project is seeking an individual who shares in our commitment to building community through sport to serve as the 2024 Boston Unity Cup Tournament Commissioner. An ideal candidate would be passionate about soccer and driven to use the sport to connect our city by building community through creating safe and inclusive spaces across demographics. This position will report to the Soccer Unity Project Executive Director and work in partnership with the Tournament Director.

Responsibilities

- Serve as point of contact for all tournament participants (40 teams, 750 players)
- Assist with implementation of all game day planning in partnership with BUC staff
- Work with Referee Assignor to confirm and onboard all tournament referees
- Implement tournament rules and regulations
- Manage on field challenges and obstacles in partnership with BUC staff

Desired Qualifications

- Attend Boston Unity Cup Captains’ Meeting at Alumni Center (Northeastern Campus)
- Attend all Boston Unity Cup game dates at Carter Fields (709 Columbus Ave in Roxbury)
- Experience serving in leadership role(s)
- Knowledge and understanding of the game of soccer
- Must be able and willing to lift 50lbs
- Must be able and willing to move goals across soccer fields
- Ability to communicate effectively both verbally and in writing in English and other language(s)
- Language skills in Spanish and/or Portuguese strongly preferred

Job Type: Part-time, contracted
Salary: \$3,000 compensation (potential for additional compensation dependent on experience, certification level and additional responsibilities managed)

Tournament Dates (In Person) June 4 : Captains’ Meeting (evening)
July 13: Opening Day (full day)
July 16 - August 2 : Group Stage Play (Weekday evenings - dates vary)
August 4 : Closing Day (full day)

Location: Carter Fields in Roxbury
— plus virtual administrative and communication hours each week

To work for Soccer Unity Project, staff must:

- Have authorization to work legally in the US
- Pass background check and all required registrations and trainings with Mass Youth Soccer & US Soccer



- Access to reliable and consistent transportation

Interested candidates should submit professional resume with a brief message or cover letter outlining their experience in soccer, and working with diverse populations to Caroline Foscatto, President and Founder, carolinef@soccerunityproject.org

About Boston Unity Cup

The Boston Unity Cup is a city-wide adult soccer tournament celebrating Boston's diverse community around a shared passion for sport. Hosted in collaboration with local leaders, community organizations, non-profit programs, and the City of Boston Mayor's Office, the Boston Unity Cup is a testament to the power of partnership and what our city can do when we come together.

This summer marks five years of play and will feature 32 men's teams and 8 women's teams from 34 flag bearing nations and regions competing at Carter Fields in Roxbury. Additional activities for fans and families will feature a resource fair of city organizations, food trucks and vendors, a youth soccer jamboree presented by the New England Revolution, along with additional games, giveaways, food, performances, and more. Learn more at www.soccerunityproject.org/boston-unity-cup.

About Soccer Unity Project

Soccer Unity Project is a certified 501(c)(3) non profit based out of Boston, MA. Soccer Unity Project reimagines the power of soccer to build community, connect people from diverse backgrounds, and promote equity in youth play. Our free soccer programming activates varied levels of play for over 1,200 youth and 800 adults annually. We see the soccer pitch as a hub of intersection and seek to build a safe, inclusive space for families to connect through their shared passion for sport without the financial burden of play.

Learn more at <https://www.soccerunityproject.org/>