

**All Penn Fusion rostered players should first obtain permission from their coach to guest play on another team.**

### **Guest Playing with a US Club Soccer Team:**

ECNL is a subset of US Club Soccer. It is managed through ECNL's demosphere site not by the usclubsoccer.com site.

Per the 2011/2012 ECNL Club Memo, ECNL players are not allowed to be dual rostered (on an ECNL roster and on a US Club roster) with different clubs.

Penn Fusion submitted the ECNL Girls rosters through the ECNL demosphere site. US Club will be issuing temporary ECNL cards to the Penn Fusion Administrator and then will be creating permanent plastic cards for each player. **These permanent plastic ECNL Player Pass cards MUST stay with the team manager at all times.** However, the "Temporary ECNL" player pass cards can be used by players to guest play. The card has ECNL on one side and USClub on the other so it can be used by a team carrying a USClub roster. The guest players must be hand written onto the roster as a guest player....**they will not be permanently added to the roster** because if they are then we are in violation of the ECNL rule of dual rostering with different clubs.

In addition, to the temporary card, you will need a signed US Club Medical Release form. Players can either get a copy of the one they gave the team manager or sign a new one. That copy (or new one) should be given to the guest team for the duration of play and then returned to the player. Now, this is not mandatory but highly recommended because the form has contact info etc. on it and should be present if an emergency arises.

Also, the player will need to send the team who they will guest play for a Player Loan Form. The player will fill out the top Player Information and Event Information sections and then send it to the club who wants them to guest play. That team needs to fill out their section (CLUB #2), scan it, and **email it to the Penn Fusion Administrator** to fill out section CLUB #1. The player will need a copy of the completed Player Loan form in order to guest play. This form **MUST** be sent to USClub prior to the start of the event tis covered by insurance. The Penn Fusion Administrator is responsible for sending the form to US Club...so this must be done in a timely fashion. Please remember that the administrator does not work full time so please do not wait until the last minute to complete this form! Also, please note that **Player Loan Forms are to be filled out for each event and expire once the event is over.**

In summary to play as a guest with a US Club Soccer sanctioned team you will need:

1. ECNL Temporary Player Pass
2. Completed Player Loan Form
3. Signed US Club Medical Release

At the end of the event you should get all three things back from the team you are guesting with and keep them for your records. If you guest play again at another event, all you will need to do is complete a new Player Loan Form.

Any further questions should be directed to the Penn Fusion Administrator.

### **Guest Playing in USYS Events:**

In order to guest play on a team which is rostered and carded with USYS, the player will need to obtain a Direct Player pass from EPYSA (or their home state USYS organization). The player will need to go to [www.epysa.org](http://www.epysa.org), click on Member Services, and then click on Online Registration. Click on Direct Player Registration Application and follow directions. ***This Direct Player Pass is also necessary for any player playing in ODP.***