

Tryout information - Boys Soccer

Riverton High School boys soccer tryouts will be held beginning Monday, February 28th and going until Wednesday, March 2nd. Tryout times will be from 3-5 for 10-12 graders, and 4-6 for 9th graders. Please be ready to take the field at your appointed time. You must wear shin guards to participate in tryouts. The tryouts will take place on the soccer field west of the football stadium. In case of snow (covering the field) we will move the tryouts to the gym on Monday morning at 5:30 AM. I will try to leave it as late as possible to make a decision about the weather, because I would really like to be outside if possible, so please check the website www.rivertonsoccer.com on Sunday so you will know where and when to show up. If we hold tryouts in the morning, everyone will show up at the same time. In the gym, you will need to wear indoor shoes or sneakers along with your shin guards.

Tryouts will last three days, and we will make cuts each day. I plan on keeping about 35 players on the team and I usually try to keep a balance of each grade and position. This means an "ideal" team is 8-9 players of each grade and about 3 players at each position. I have never had a team with these exact numbers, but they are a guideline in choosing a team. I am looking for athletic players with good soccer skills, who play well with others, understand the game well, and are coachable. There are about 80 different people who have been at conditioning sessions the past two months, so this will be a difficult team to both choose and make. Make sure you come to tryouts ready to play and ready to show your abilities.

You will need to bring back the Tryout Checklist to participate in tryouts. You must also have a 2.0 GPA from 2nd Quarter with no more than 1 F to be eligible to play sports at the high school. There will be a \$65.00 participation fee to play soccer, which helps cover the cost of buses and officials, and a further cost of about \$150.00 to cover uniform and warm up costs. If you have any questions, contact me at paul.moizer@jordan.k12.ut.us. Good luck!