

GVSA Club Pass Card Policy for Elite Players

In the spirit of developing players, GVSA will be adopting a new Club Pass Card policy **for the Gazelle Sports Elite Division teams only** beginning with the Fall 2012 season. This is the same as is currently used by the MSPSL and allows a player in a club the ability to play on a 2nd team in the same club up either one or two years from their current age group.

Who may participate in the GVSA Club Pass Card (CPC) system?

Only Elite teams registered with GVSA or Elite teams sponsored by a GVSA Club. CPC players may only be used within their own club during GVSA sponsored games.

Can a player use the CPC to another team in the same division?

No. CPC players can play up one or two divisions older on an Elite team but cannot play down an age group/division or in the same age group/division. No lateral movement between teams in the same division is allowed. This is also true if the team the Elite player is currently registered on is playing up a division that has an older team in the same division.

How many players may utilize the CPC?

Only 2 Club Pass Card players will be allowed in any one game.

Are there any other limits to the CPC?

Yes. Teams utilizing the CPC must meet all other roster requirements. This includes not exceeding the age group's roster limit. (14 for 8v8 teams, 18 for 11v11 teams and 22 for u17 teams). Players only utilize the CPC in 2 two games per week. These two games may be played in the same day. A week is designated as Sunday–Saturday.

Can select team players utilize the CPC to an Elite team?

Yes, they may play up one or two divisions to play on an Elite team. This is a way of assisting in the development of players.

Can players play on opposite gender games?

CPC players can be a girl playing on a boys team but not a boy playing on a girls team.

Can a player dual roster on two Elite teams?

No. The rules for dual rostering of players remains the same.

What are the responsibilities of the coach/team manager?

Prior to the game, the coach or manager must check and verify the age group, division and number of games for any CPC player's age group with his/her primary player card. Failure to follow the rules will result in a forfeit

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of the game. The coach/manager must notify the referees of any CPC players and also indicate those players on the yellow Game Report.

What are the responsibilities of the referee?

Referees will be required to follow normal regular season pre-game check-in with additional verification of any PCS player's age group with his/her primary player card. PCS players MUST present primary team pass card in order to play. No PCS player shall be allowed to participate in a game without presenting his/her current primary team player card.

Will players be given a second pass card to use in the CPC system.

No. The CPC player MUST present their primary team pass card in order to play. Please remember to return it to the player following the game. They will not be allowed to play with their primary team without it either.

What controls have been established to avoid potential abuse of the CPC system?

CPC players must present their laminated player card to the referee. The GVSA yellow Game Report must indicate any CPC players along with the player's primary team number. The team number is located on the front of the player card. GVSA will verify that these players were eligible to play in the game. The use of ineligible players will result in the game being forfeited and a forfeit fee may apply.