



Guide for Travel Team Social Coordinators

Arlington Soccer Association (ASA)

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TEAM SOCIALS

Team Socials afford the opportunity for players and families to socialize and build memories off the field. Below is a list of possible team's socials that might spark ideas as you begin planning your event.

[Click on event to link to further information](#)

OUTDOOR EVENTS

An outdoor gathering at the park, pool or lake makes for a great team event with lots of room to play. For a celebration after an early game, consider a brunch and serve coffee, orange juice, donuts, bagels and fruit.

- [Reserve a picnic shelter](#)
- [Overnight camping trip at a park](#)
- Outdoor Water Park or Indoor Pool Party (look into rec centers and/or hotels)



ACTIVITY EVENTS

Keep the team active by celebrating at an activity venue

- Bowling, Laser Tag, mini golf, Ultimate Frisbee or Ice Skating Party
- [Rent an inflatable obstacle course](#)
- [\(Indoor\) Rock Climbing Party](#)
- [Paintball](#)
- [Terrapin Adventures](#) (Zip line, high ropes, challenge course)



- If you can't get enough soccer, consider renting an indoor soccer court/field:
 - [Fairfax Sportsplex](#) (Indoor soccer or Volleyball)
 - [Dulles Sportsplex](#)
 - [Sports Network and Fitness](#)
 - [KIDS Choice Sports Center](#)

- Participate in a charity fun run or community service activity together
 - [Healthy Kids Fun Run](#) – Marine Corps Marathon
 - Laying [Wreaths at the Arlington National Cemetery](#)



- Collecting food for the Arlington County Food Bank
- Work at the Optimist Club of Arlington Tree Stand
- Preparing Breakfast for the [Juliet Grace Smith](#) Memorial Golf Tournament



- Tailgate and watch a professional or college soccer game
 - [DC United](#) or [Washington Spirit](#) Games



MOVIE & VIDEO GAME EVENTS

Looking for something less active, then try:

- [Arlington Cinema & Drafthouse](#)
- [Inflatable Movie Screen Rentals](#)

RESTAURANT PARTIES

Team parties at restaurants have it all, food and fun. Contact restaurants for group package and reservation information. Perhaps a party at [Ireland's Four Courts](#), an ASA sponsor?



AT HOME PARTIES

Is your game field near a team family's house? Gather after the game for a Pot Luck Meal, Baked Potato Bar or Taco Bar Party. In the summer after tryouts hold an Ice Cream Sundae Party (everyone brings a topping) so the new families can meet the team.

FORMS

Financial forms that may be needed while planning your social event can be found on the club website on the [Travel Forms](#) page.

QUESTIONS?

If you have questions regarding the financial forms please contact Diane Oden, ASA Finance Manager, dianeoden@arlingtonsoccer.com, 703-527-0157.