



VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES – FALL LIGA ACADEMY

Liga HEB is made possible each season by dedicated volunteers who have a passion to reach and invest in the next generation. Volunteers are crucial to the success of the league. Each junior high school in HEBISD has one or more LIGA HEB Soccer Club teams. The fall academy season will combine teams at each school and focus on character development, fitness, and soccer skills.

6 Stones is committed to creating a safe environment free from abuse of any kind. All volunteers must register with HEB ISD through the [Volunteers In Public Schools \(VIPS\)](#) program unless they are employed by 6 Stones or HEB ISD and have been previously background checked. Liga HEB volunteers will also be required to complete MinistrySafe's Sexual Abuse Awareness Training before participating in our program, and will receive a training link upon registration.

The following volunteer opportunities are available for the fall Academy season:

Assistant Coach

Time Commitment: 1-3 hours per week, August – October

Number Required: 2 per school

- Responsible for assisting the head coach with organizing the academy program weekly at the assigned school for a maximum of 3 hours per week.
- Assists with conducting practices, motivating students, and instructing student athletes in game strategies and techniques.
- Oversee students from the locker room to the field and back to campus or into parent's custody.
- At least one Assistant Coach will implement and execute character development curriculum at each practice; reinforcing the importance of character development at the end of every practice.
- For each school campus, at least one coach or an assistant coach MUST be an employee of HEB ISD. All other volunteers are required to register under the [\(VIPS\)](#) program at HEB ISD.
- All coaches must maintain communication through appropriate channels with both the Commissioner and their players in order to properly facilitate the program. Communication with students may only occur through district-approved tools such as Remind.com or email; volunteers must not make personal contact with students outside of scheduled events.

League Equipment Manager

Time Commitment: 1-3 hours per week, August – October

Number Required: 1-2 per school

- Assembles supplies such as spare shin guards, corner flags, water/snacks, trash cans, etc in accordance with direction from the League Equipment Coordinator.
- Is responsible for the transportation of those materials to respective junior high schools, and oversees their placement with assistance from other volunteers.
- Checks in with coaches to ensure that all basic student needs are met and that league resources are properly distributed before and after practices or games. When water or snacks are distributed, the Equipment Manager will be responsible for fair sharing and clean-up (though students should be responsible for their own trash).

League Photographer

Time Commitment: 1-3 hours per week, August - October

Number Required: 2-4

- Attends scheduled practices or games for the duration of the season in order to capture photos of players, volunteers, and spectators.
- Edits and compiles photos for publishing within 48 hours from event.
- Coordinates with League Commissioner and 6 Stones Communications Coordinator to deliver photos in a timely manner.