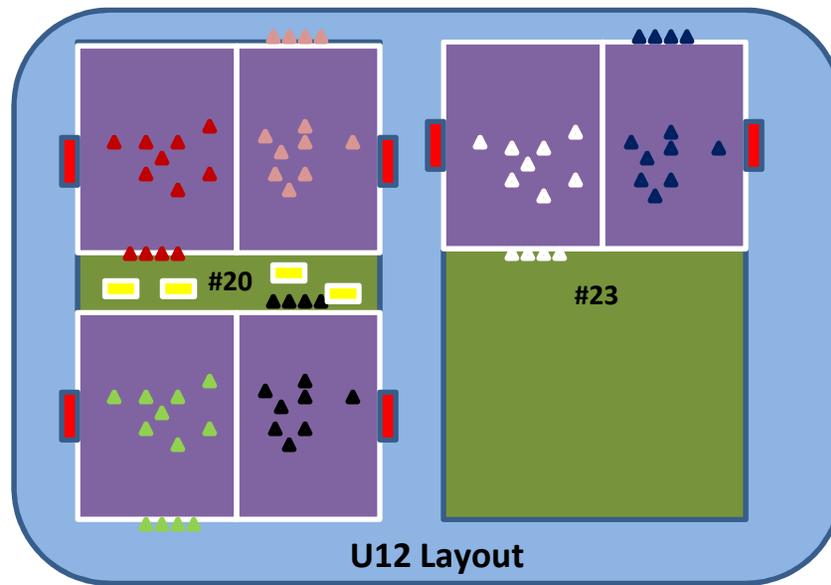
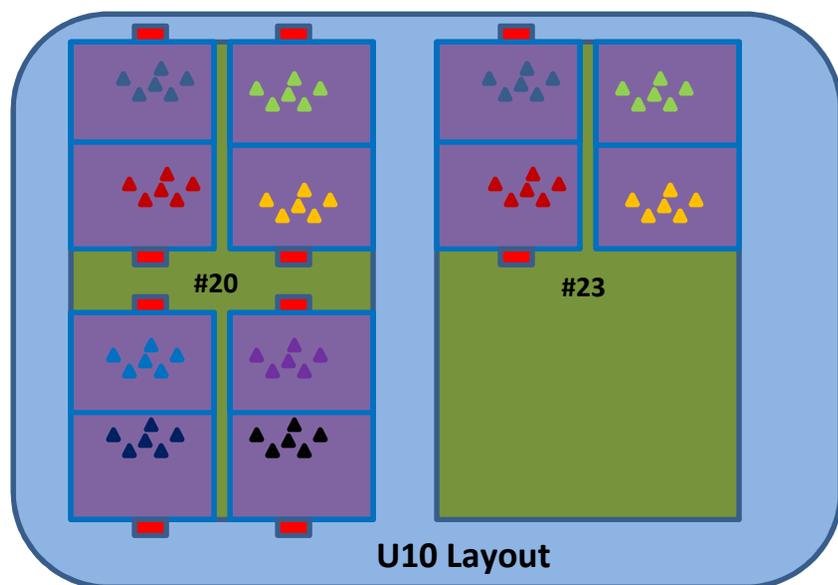


U10 Facilitators and U12 Coaches

The Buckland fields (#20 and #23) are dual lined for both U10 and U12 soccer.

The U10 divisions play on these fields in a North-South direction. The U10 layout will be lined with blue paint starting next week. Right now, due to an issue with the paint supplier, these U10 fields are lined in yellow.

The U12 divisions play in an East-West direction on same fields marked with white paint. For the U12 layout, there are center circles, penalty areas, and goalie boxes painted. Please look at the diagram below. The red boxes represent the goals, and triangle represent players.



Goal Movement: In order for these fields to serve both age groups, **goals must be moved between sessions.** For U10 soccer, all goals are needed and should be placed according to the U10 layout above. For U12 soccer, the goals will need to be moved to match the U12 layout. There are more goals than are needed for U12 soccer, so please move unneeded goals several feet off the sidelines in the middle of the field so that players do not collide with them when contesting balls near the edge of the field. The goals moved off to the center are indicated in yellow in the drawing on the right.

Moving a goal also includes moving the sandbags and weighing down the back bar. The sandbags purpose is to prevent goal tip-over injuries that can occur when a player climbs on the goal or hangs on the crossbar. Every year, several youth soccer players in the US are killed or receive severe head or neck injuries due to goal tip over incidents. Please warn players from climbing or hanging on goals and nets. Climbing on the goal is often a favorite pastime of kids this age as soon as the coach turns his head to organize the next activity. Please do not let kids ever play ON the goal.