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| Hello parents! I wanted to reach out and share some information on the Dowling Soccer Mini Maroons program we have planned this fall along with details on how to register.    Mini Maroons is an innovative instructional program that introduces boys and girls ages 5-7 to the basic skills of soccer. The program is designed to expose young players to a small, simple and realistic form of soccer. Fun is the primary focus. Our instructors use fundamental soccer activities, games and stories to develop their skills in the following areas:     * Balance, Agility and Coordination * Technical Skills * Physical Development * Social skills * Self confidence * Communication * Teamwork   The participants meet once a week for six weeks. Each week, players enjoy 20 minutes of age-appropriate instructions followed by 30 minutes of small-sided scrimmaging. Each player should bring shin guards, a size 4 soccer ball and a water bottle. Each child will receive a Dowling Soccer Mini Maroons T-shirt. Program cost is $75.    **REGISTERATION NOW OPEN**  Fall season sign-ups are now being accepted. Register your son or daughter today at:[www.dowlingsoccerclub.org](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.dowlingsoccerclub.org%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cm.meyer%40rcderm.com%7C1d08644545284733809d08da7552cd31%7C6974189b44f644b38055a175826a9366%7C1%7C0%7C637951295758707664%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=QjJd073lv%2FfqyDzIgtJT%2Bd6YorfgzGxw2ipehycICn8%3D&reserved=0)  **KEY DATES AND DETAILS**    6-week program is held each Saturday morning at Dowling Catholic High School on the upper grass fields on the west side of campus from 9:00 am to 10:00 am. Season begins Saturday, September 10  Cost  $75 per child  Each child will receive a Dowling Soccer Mini Maroons T-shirt.  Register  Register by visiting [www.dowlingsoccerclub.org](https://nam10.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.dowlingsoccerclub.org%2F&data=05%7C01%7Cm.meyer%40rcderm.com%7C1d08644545284733809d08da7552cd31%7C6974189b44f644b38055a175826a9366%7C1%7C0%7C637951295758707664%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000%7C%7C%7C&sdata=QjJd073lv%2FfqyDzIgtJT%2Bd6YorfgzGxw2ipehycICn8%3D&reserved=0)  Call for volunteers: **We are looking for 8-10 parents to volunteer to help out each week. If you are interested in volunteering, you can sign-up for via the SignUpGenius link below:**[**https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0c44aea729a4f85-mini1**](https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0c44aea729a4f85-mini1)    Matt Meyer Dowling Soccer Club, Director of Rec Soccer 515-577-1897 |