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DELAWARE FUTBOL ACADEMY DFA 2007/08 BOYS WHITE TEAM AT PRESIDENT'S CUP

THE 2024 USYS EASTERN REGIONAL PRESIDENT'S CUP KICKED OFF ON FRIDAY, JUNE 14 AND RUNS THROUGH TUESDAY, JUNE 18, 2024 IN CHARLESTON & BARBOURSVILLE, WEST VIRGINIA FOR AGE GROUPS 12 TO U19 BOYS AND GIRLS.

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DELAWARE'S TEAM - DELAWARE FUTBOL ACADEMY DFA 2007/08 WHITE COACHED BY MCCLAIN SMITH, ARTURO MORA SALAS AND KYLE WHEATLEY HIT THE FIELDS ON FRIDAY, AGAINST DEPTFORD PREMIER FC FROM NEW JERSEY. OUR TEAM PLAYED WITH INTENSITY IN THE SWELTING HEAT WITH A FINAL SCORE OF 4 TO 0 WITH NEW JERSEY BEING THE WINNER. WHILE THAT WAS NOT THE OUTCOME WE ALL WERE HOPING FOR THE TEAM HANDLED THE LOSS GRACEFULLY.

SATURDAY THE TEAM FACED OFF AGAINST FC ALLIANCE FROM WEST VIRGINIA. THE BOYS WERE DETERMINED TO AGAIN PLAY WITH INTENSITY AND CAME OFF WITH AN IMPRESSIVE WIN OF 4 TO 1.

SUNDAY THE TEAM FACED OFF AGAINST SAC/BA PREMIER BLUE. THE TEAMS HIT THE TURF FIELDS WITH TEMPERATURES AT 93 DEGREES. OUR TEAM AGAIN HIT THE FIELD BUT UNFORTUNATELY, THEY LOST 6 TO 1.

DYSA IS EXTREMELY PROUD OF THE CHARACTER OF OUR ATHLETES AND WISH THEM THE BEST IN THEIR UPCOMING SEASON!

WHAT IS PRESIDENT'S CUP? THE US YOUTH SOCCER PRESIDENTS CUP IS DESIGNED FOR THOSE TEAMS SEEKING ADDITIONAL CHALLENGES TO PLAY AGAINST TEAMS OF SIMILAR ABILITIES FOR A NATIONAL TITLE. THE PRESIDENTS CUP PROVIDES A PROGRESSIVE, COMPETITIVE EXPERIENCE TO TEAMS THAT MIGHT NOT OTHERWISE GET THE OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN A SERIES OF UNIQUE EXPERIENCES HIGHLIGHTING COMPETITION, CAMARADERIE AND COMMUNITY FROM THE STATE TO REGIONAL TO NATIONAL LEVELS OF US YOUTH SOCCER.

US YOUTH SOCCER REGIONAL PRESIDENTS CUP EVENTS WILL DETERMINE THE REGIONAL QUALIFIERS THAT WILL COMPETE IN THE US YOUTH SOCCER NATIONAL PRESIDENTS CUP. REGIONAL WINNERS IN THE 13U THROUGH 19U GROUPS, BOTH BOYS AND GIRLS, WILL VIE FOR THE NATIONAL TITLE.

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DYSA MEMBERS,

REFEREES AND COACHES ARE VERY IMPORTANT TO THE FUTURE OF YOUTH SOCCER ACROSS THE COUNTRY AND ESPECIALLY HERE IN DELAWARE. WE ARE WORKING WITH THE CLUBS TO PROVIDE COACHING EDUCATION TO YOUR NEW COACHES. IF YOU HAVE ANY INTEREST, PLEASE REACH OUT TO DYSA AND WE WILL BEGIN TO FORMULATE THE CLASSES. AS FOR THE REFEREES, THIS YEAR DELAWARE HAS SEEN THE LARGEST PARTICIPATION IN NEW REFEREES. DYSA'S ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY IS VERY IMPORTANT IN KEEPING THOSE NUMBERS GROWING.

THANKS,

CHAD REED
DYSA PRESIDENT

LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING STATEWIDE:

JUNE 24-28, 2024	RSC SUMMER CAMP, FRANKFORD, DE
JUNE 27, 2024	DYSA SWEET FROG EVENT, BEAR, DE
JUNE 27-JULY 3, 2024	NCS REGIONAL TOURNAMENT, CHARLESTON, WV
JULY 20, 2024	RIVER SC SUMMER SELECT 3V3 TOURNAMENT
7/23 -7/28/2024	NCS NATIONAL TOURNAMENT, ORLANDO, FL
SEPT. 20-22, 2024	GRASS ROOTS SYMPOSIUM, SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH
OCT. 11-13, 2024	24TH ANNUAL COLUMBUS DAY CLASSIC, RIVER SOCCER CLUB



DELAWARE YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION'S CONTINUING PARTNERSHIP WITH DICK'S SPORTING GOODS

DID YOU KNOW THAT DICK'S SPORTING GOODS IS COMMITTED TO PARTNERING WITH AND SUPPORTING TEAMS, LEAGUES AND ATHLETES IN THE COMMUNITIES WE SERVE? DICK STACK, FOUNDER OF DICK'S SPORTING GOODS, BELIEVED THAT SPORTS PLAY A VITAL ROLE IN TEACHING OUR CHILDREN FUNDAMENTAL VALUES LIKE A STRONG WORK ETHIC, TEAMWORK, AND GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP. HE ALSO UNDERSTOOD THAT SUPPORTING THE ORGANIZATIONS THAT MAKE YOUTH SPORTS POSSIBLE IS THE BEST WAY TO PROMOTE THOSE VALUES. TODAY, THAT LEGACY CONTINUES. HIS BELIEF IN SPORTS AND HIS DEDICATION TO SUPPORTING LOCAL ATHLETES CONTINUES TODAY. THAT IS WHY DICK'S SPORTING GOODS PROUDLY OFFER SPONSORSHIPS TO TEAMS, LEAGUES AND ATHLETES IN THE COMMUNITIES THEY LIVE AND PLAY.

EACH PLAYING SEASON DICK'S SPORTING GOODS PROVIDES HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS' WORTH OF SPORTING EQUIPMENT TO CLUBS SIMPLY BY FILLING OUT A SHORT APPLICATION PROCESS. VISIT [HTTPS://DICKSSPORTINGGOODS.VERSAIC.COM/LOGIN](https://dickssportinggoods.versaic.com/login) TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THIS EXCITING OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUR CLUB.



ARE YOU LOOKING TO BUILD A STRONG FOUNDATION IN SOCCER COACHING?

THE NATIONAL DIPLOMA IS YOUR GATEWAY TO BECOMING A KNOWLEDGEABLE AND EFFECTIVE COACH.

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS:

- FUNDAMENTAL COACHING PRINCIPLES AND TECHNIQUES
- FOCUS ON PLAYER DEVELOPMENT AND TEAM MANAGEMENT
- HANDS-ON TRAINING WITH EXPERIENCED COACHES
- OPPORTUNITIES TO CONNECT WITH FELLOW COACHING PROFESSIONALS

UPCOMING COURSES:

NATIONAL - CASTLETON, VT 6/11 - 6/16/24
NATIONAL - OAK BROOK, IL 6/17 - 6/22/24
NATIONAL - COLORADO SPRINGS, CO 7/29 - 8/03/24
NATIONAL - UNION CITY, NJ 8/05 - 8/10/24

WHY CHOOSE THE NATIONAL DIPLOMA?

THE NATIONAL DIPLOMA IS DESIGNED FOR COACHES AT ALL LEVELS WHO WANT TO IMPROVE THEIR COACHING SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE. IT PROVIDES A SOLID GROUNDING IN THE ESSENTIALS OF SOCCER COACHING, PREPARING YOU FOR MORE ADVANCED COURSES AND COACHING OPPORTUNITIES.

DON'T MISS OUT ON THIS CHANCE TO ENHANCE YOUR COACHING CREDENTIALS AND MAKE A POSITIVE IMPACT ON YOUR TEAM. [REGISTER NOW TO SECURE YOUR SPOT](#)

QUESTIONS, PLEASE REACH OUT TO:
MEMBERSHIP@UNITEDSOCCERCOACHES.ORG

DELAWARE YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION TO RESTRUCTURE

BEAR, DE-THE DELAWARE YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION (DYSA) IS UNDERGOING A RESTRUCTURE OF MANAGEMENT. WE WILL BE HIRING AN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TO FILL THE ROLE OF LAURA STURDIVANT WHO WILL BE TAKING A MORE RELAXED APPROACH AND MOVING INTO THE ROLE OF BOOKKEEPER AND ODP ADMINISTRATOR. THE NEW EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR WILL SHADOW LAURA THROUGH THE END OF THE YEAR. SHE WILL STILL BE ON STAFF TO HELP AND LEND HER EXPERTISE TO THE NEW ED, BUT IN A PART-TIME CAPACITY.

WE WILL ALSO BE HIRING AN ADMINISTRATOR (IN SEPTEMBER) TO FILL THE ROLE OF TERRY REED WHO WILL ALSO BE TAKING A MORE RELAXED APPROACH AND MOVING INTO THE ROLE OF COMMUNITY OUTREACH DIRECTOR WRITING ON A PART-TIME BASIS. TERRY WILL ASSUME HER NEW ROLE AS OF AUGUST 1.

TYLER BASTIANELLI, WILL REMAIN AS THE DIRECTOR OF ODP AND TALENT IDENTIFICATION.

WHILE WE MAY "SCOFF" AT CHANGE, CHANGE IS NECESSARY AND NEEDED FOR AN ORGANIZATION TO REMAIN ON THE FOREFRONT FOR INNOVATIVE IDEAS AND INCREASE PRODUCTIVITY IN THE LANDSCAPE OF SOCCER. WE FEEL THESE CHANGES WILL ENABLE OUR ORGANIZATION TO GROW QUICKLY AS THE SOCCER LANDSCAPE IS CONSTANTLY CHANGING.

THESE CHANGES WILL BEGIN TO EVOLVE OVER THE NEXT 6 TO 7 MONTHS.

APPLICATIONS ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED FOR THE POSITION OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AND WE WILL ACCEPT APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION OF ADMINISTRATOR BEGINNING IN AUGUST. INTERESTED PERSONS FOR THE ROLE OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR SHOULD SEND A COVER LETTER, RESUME AND SALARY REQUIREMENTS TO INFO@DYSA.ORG NO LATER THAN MAY 17TH.

WHO IS DELAWARE YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION (DYSA)?

THE DELAWARE YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION, INC. (DYSA), IS AN AFFILIATE OF THE UNITED STATES SOCCER FEDERATION (USSF) AND UNITED STATES YOUTH SOCCER (USYS). IT IS ALSO SUBJECT TO THE AUTHORITY OF THE FEDERATION INTERNATIONALE DE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION (FIFA).

THE MISSION OF DELAWARE YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION IS TO PROMOTE AND FACILITATE THE GAME OF SOCCER FOR ALL YOUTH AT ALL LEVELS OF PLAY IN DELAWARE.

THE ULTIMATE VISION OF OUR ASSOCIATION IS TO BE THE BEST YOUTH SPORTS ORGANIZATION THROUGH THE PROVISION OF SERVICES, EDUCATION AND OPPORTUNITIES TO THE YOUTH OF DELAWARE. DELAWARE YOUTH SOCCER ASSOCIATION SEEKS TO WORK WITH INTEGRITY, COOPERATION, FAIRNESS, ACCOUNTABILITY, PROFESSIONALISM, COLLABORATION, INNOVATION, PASSION, AND EXCELLENCE IN ALL OF OUR ACTIONS.

WE WILL HOLD OURSELVES ACCOUNTABLE TO ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THESE BASICS AND EXPECT THAT OUR MEMBERS, AFFILIATES, AND VENDORS WILL UNDERSTAND THESE BASICS AND WORK CONSISTENTLY WITH THEM. ANY DECISION OR CONSIDERATION MADE BY OUR BOARD OF DIRECTORS OR OPERATIONAL STAFF SHOULD BE MADE ONLY AFTER DUE CONSIDERATION OF THESE BASICS.

DYSA MEMBERSHIP IS OPEN TO ALL SOCCER PLAYERS, COACHES, TRAINERS, MANAGERS, ADMINISTRATORS, AND OFFICIALS IN THE STATE OF DELAWARE. THE GOAL OF DYSA IS TO PROVIDE A GOVERNING BODY AT THE STATE LEVEL TO FUNCTION AS AN ADMINISTRATOR OF THE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES SET FORTH BY THE NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS.

OUR PHILOSOPHIES MIRROR THOSE OF THESE ORGANIZATIONS IN SUPPORTING THE CONCEPT OF FAIR PLAY, WHILE PROVIDING A SAFE AND ORGANIZED PLAYING ENVIRONMENT FOR OUR YOUTH SOCCER PLAYERS.

DYSA IS RESPONSIBLE FOR SEVERAL PROGRAMS WITHIN OUR CALENDAR YEAR. THE ASSOCIATION HOLDS THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS SERIES (STATE CUP) ANNUALLY TO DECIDE THE STATE CHAMPION TEAM IN EACH COMPETITIVE SOCCER AGE GROUP, 9U TO 19U. THE WINNERS OF THIS TOURNAMENT (12U AND OLDER) GO ON TO COMPETE AT THE REGIONAL COMPETITION AND EVENTUALLY TO THE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS OF US YOUTH SOCCER.

THE US YOUTH SOCCER PRESIDENT'S CUP IS A NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT THAT WAS DESIGNED FOR THOSE TEAMS LOOKING TO PLAY AGAINST TEAMS OF SIMILAR ABILITIES FOR A NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE. THE CUP PROVIDES A PROGRESSIVE, COMPETITIVE EXPERIENCE TO US YOUTH SOCCER TEAMS FROM THE STATE TO THE REGIONAL TO NATIONAL LEVEL. THE PRESIDENT'S CUP GIVES PLAYERS AN ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITY TO COMPETE AGAINST TEAMS FROM ACROSS THE COUNTRY AT A HIGH LEVEL FOR THE JOY AND CHALLENGE OF THE GAME. IT PROVIDES THE CHANCE TO EXPERIENCE A UNIQUE US YOUTH SOCCER EVENT WITH CAMARADERIE, COMMUNITY AND COMPETITION THROUGH SPORT. THIS COMPETITION IS NOT FOR TEAMS THAT EXPECT TO ADVANCE IN THE US YOUTH SOCCER NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES.

OUR MICKEY WHERRY 3 V 3 IS A TOURNAMENT FOR PLAYERS 8U TO 16U, RECREATIONAL AND COMPETITIVE PLAYERS. DYSA HAS CREATED A SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR THOSE ATHLETES THAT MIRROR THE PHILOSOPHY OF MR. MICKEY WHERRY. MICKEY WAS A FORMER DYSA BOARD MEMBER AND A BOARD MEMBER OF

KIRKWOOD SOCCER CLUB. HIS PASSION WAS THE RECREATIONAL PLAYER, AND HE CREATED THE DYSA INTER CLUB LEAGUE FOR OUR CLUBS. THE ASSOCIATION ALSO ADMINISTERS THE STATE'S OLYMPIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM. THE US YOUTH SOCCER OLYMPIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM IS A NATIONAL IDENTIFICATION AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FOR PLAYERS. THE PROGRAM IDENTIFIES AND DEVELOPS YOUTH PLAYERS THROUGHOUT THE STATE TO REPRESENT THEIR STATE AND REGIONAL ASSOCIATIONS. AT THE STATE ASSOCIATION LEVEL, POOLS OF PLAYERS ARE IDENTIFIED IN EACH ELIGIBLE AGE GROUP AND BROUGHT TOGETHER AS A TEAM TO DEVELOP THEIR SKILLS THROUGH TRAINING AND COMPETITION. FROM THE STATE POOLS AND SUBSEQUENT TEAMS, PLAYERS ARE IDENTIFIED FOR REGIONAL AND NATIONAL POOLS AND TEAMS. DE ODP TEAMS ARE COMPRISED OF SOME OF THE BEST DELAWARE PLAYERS IN VARIOUS AGE GROUPS. THIS IS A SYSTEM WHEREBY POTENTIAL U.S. NATIONAL TEAM MEMBERS AND OLYMPIC HOPEFULS CAN BE IDENTIFIED AND DEVELOPED TO THEIR FULLEST POTENTIAL.

DYSA ALSO OFFERS SEVERAL COACHING CLINICS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR OUR UPCOMING CLINICS. DYSA.ORG

DYSA HAS MANY OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE TO OUR MEMBER CLUBS, COACHES, PARENTS, AND PLAYERS. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS, PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO CONTACT US AT EXECUTIVEDIRECTOR@DYSA.ORG.



DELAWARE ODP 2009 GIRLS TEAM, FINISHED THE ODP EAST REGIONALS WITH 2 WINS AND 1 LOSS, CAPPING OFF A WEEKEND WITH A 5-2 COMEBACK WIN AGAINST CONNECTICUT AFTER GOING DOWN 0-2!

DELAWARE ODP

DELAWARE ODP 2023-2024 CAMPAIGN: EAST REGION ODP TOURNAMENT SUCCESS

BY TYLER BASTIANELLI, DYSA DIRECTOR OF TALENT IDENTIFICATION & DE ODP DIRECTOR

DELAWARE ODP TEAMS COMPETED IN THE EAST REGION ODP TOURNAMENT ON JUNE 8-9, 2024!

IT WAS A VERY SUCCESSFUL SHOWING FOR OUR TEAMS REPRESENTING DELAWARE WITH THE DELAWARE ODP BOYS FINISHING THE WEEKEND WITH 14 WINS, 4 LOSSES, AND 3 DRAWS IN LANCASTER, PA AND THE DELAWARE ODP GIRLS TEAMS GRABBING 11 WINS, 3 LOSSES, AND 1 DRAW AT TUCKAHOE TURF FARMS IN HAMMONTON, NJ.

DELAWARE ODP COMBINED WEEKEND RESULTS:
25 W - 7 L - 4 D

THE EAST REGION ODP TOURNAMENT IS FOR PLAYERS TO REPRESENT DELAWARE, SHOWCASE THEIR ABILITIES, AND CONTINUE TO IMPROVE AND DEVELOP AS PLAYERS. ALTHOUGH RESULTS ARE NOT THE ULTIMATE OBJECTIVE, IT IS CLEARLY AN INDICATOR THAT OUR PLAYERS PERFORM AT A HIGH STANDARD AND CAN COMPETE ACROSS THE EAST REGION. THE GAME RESULTS COUPLED WITH OUR STRONG LIST OF PLAYERS SELECTED BY THE EAST REGION TO ATTEND THE ODP SUMMER ID EVENT/EAST REGION POOL CAMP CONFIRMS OUR PLAYERS AND STAFF DID WELL REPRESENTING DELAWARE.

"I AM VERY PROUD OF THE WAY THE DELAWARE ODP PLAYERS PERFORMED ON THE FIELD AND CONDUCTED THEMSELVES OFF THE FIELD. THE FEEDBACK FROM THE EAST REGION SCOUTS WAS EXTREMELY POSITIVE, AND WE HAD 49 PLAYERS IDENTIFIED AND SELECTED TO THE EAST REGION SUMMER ID EVENT / POOL CAMP IN MID-JULY IN FARMINGTON, CT. THE DELAWARE ODP STAFF AND THE PLAYERS CAME TOGETHER VERY QUICKLY TO FORM A TACTICAL AND RELATIONAL UNDERSTANDING WHICH ALLOWED US TO PLAY WELL COLLECTIVELY AND AS INDIVIDUALS." - TYLER BASTIANELLI, DIRECTOR OF TALENT IDENTIFICATION & DELAWARE ODP DIRECTOR

STAY TUNED AT THE END OF THIS MONTH FOR AN EXCLUSIVE DELAWARE ODP COMMUNICATION ON THE 2023-2024 CAMPAIGN INCLUDING:

- FULL 2024 EAST REGION ODP TOURNAMENT RESULTS
- DELAWARE ODP PLAYERS SELECTED TO THE EAST REGION SUMMER ID EVENT/POOL CAMP
- TRYOUT DETAILS FOR THE 2024-2025 ODP SEASON!

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THE OSPREY'S SCHEDULE FOR 2024:

TUESDAY, JUNE 4 AT 7:00 P.M.

THURSDAY, JUNE 13 AT 7:00 P.M.

THURSDAY, JUNE 20 AT 7:00 P.M.

SUNDAY, JUNE 30 AT 7:00 P.M.

ALL GAMES ARE PLAYED AT ABESSINIO STADIUM IN WILMINGTON, DELAWARE. COME OUT AND ENJOY SOME FUN!



WITH THE SPRING SEASON GETTING UNDERWAY, REMEMBER THAT DICK'S SPORTING GOODS IS THERE FOR YOU AND YOUR PLAYERS WITH MONEY SAVINGS DISCOUNTS ALL YEAR LONG! REMEMBER EVERY SEASON STARTS AT DICK'S!

[CLICK HERE FOR DICK'S SPORTING GOODS COUPON](#)

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A SPONSOR OR PARTNERING WITH DYSA?

AS MANY OF YOU KNOW, DELAWARE YOUTH SOCCER (DYSA) IS A 501(C)(3) NONPROFIT CORPORATION SO SPONSORSHIP DONATIONS ARE 100% TAX DEDUCTIBLE. YOUR SUPPORT HELPS CHILDREN BECOME SUCCESSFUL IN DEVELOPING THEIR SOCCER SKILLS BUT MORE IMPORTANTLY, HELPING THEM LEARN TEAMWORK, HARD WORK, AND SPORTSMANSHIP.

ALSO, IT ALLOWS US TO IMPROVE OUR SOCCER PROGRAMS AND FACILITIES, PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIPS FOR WORTHY PLAYERS AND OF FSET THE COST OF PARTICIPATION. SOME OF THE BENEFITS OF SPONSORSHIP FOR BUSINESSES ARE EXPOSURE TO A BROAD CUSTOMER BASE, COMPANY AND PRODUCT EXPOSURE; AND, SHOWING COMMUNITY SUPPORT.

AS A SPONSOR YOUR LOGO WILL BE INCLUDED ON OUR WEBSITE. DYSA HAS MANY OPPORTUNITIES FOR YOU OR YOUR COMPANY TO SHOW THEIR SUPPORT OF OUR YOUTH PLAYERS FROM SCHOLARSHIPS, TO BUSINESS LISTINGS, OR INTERESTED IN CREATING YOUR OWN GIVING LEVEL, DYSA IS AVAILABLE TO HELP YOU CHOOSE THE RIGHT OPPORTUNITY FOR YOU! FOR MORE INFORMATION ON HOW TO BECOME A SPONSOR OR PARTNER WITH DYSA, PLEASE CONTACT TREED@DYSA.ORG



DELAWARE FC AND DELAWARE UNION TO MERGE UNDER THE DELAWARE FC BRAND

DELAWARE FC AND DELAWARE UNION SC ARE EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE THEIR OFFICIAL MERGER, CREATING DELAWARE'S MOST COMPREHENSIVE YOUTH SOCCER ORGANIZATION. THE MERGER, EXPECTED TO CLOSE OVER THE NEXT SEVERAL WEEKS, BRINGS TOGETHER TWO NON-PROFIT, COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS WITH LONG AND ESTABLISHED HISTORIES PROVIDING YOUTH SOCCER IN DELAWARE.

THE MERGER CREATES A DELAWARE-BASED YOUTH SOCCER ORGANIZATION WITH THE DEEPEST AND MOST EXPERIENCED PROFESSIONAL STAFF IN THE STATE AS WELL AS DELAWARE'S LARGEST RECREATIONAL PROGRAM AND A COMPETITIVE PROGRAM THAT OFFERS A PROFESSIONAL AND PERSONALIZED APPROACH THAT CATERES TO EVERY PLAYER'S NEEDS.

DELAWARE FC REMAINS DEDICATED TO DEVELOPING WELL-ROUNDED PLAYERS, PRIORITIZING TALENT DEVELOPMENT OVER TALENT IDENTIFICATION, WHICH UNFORTUNATELY HAS BEEN A GROWING SEGMENT OF THE YOUTH SOCCER LANDSCAPE WITH THE CONTINUED EXPANSION OF FOR-PROFIT YOUTH SPORTS BUSINESSES.

THE GENESIS OF THE MERGER WAS CRAFTED BY BOTH CLUBS FROM THE VIEWPOINT OF WHAT IS BEST FOR ALL PLAYERS AND THEIR FAMILIES. WITH COMBINED STAFF AND RESOURCES, DELAWARE FC IS POSITIONED TO SERVE THE LARGEST NUMBER OF SOCCER PARTICIPANTS IN THE STATE WITH A COMMON-SENSE YOUTH SPORTS EXPERIENCE.

DELAWARE FC IS A NOT-FOR-PROFIT 501 (C)(3) ORGANIZATION FORMED TO PROMOTE THE DEVELOPMENT AND ENJOYMENT OF YOUTH SOCCER.



RIVER SOCCER CLUB
SUMMER SELECT 3V3 TOURNAMENT
JULY 20, 2024
RIVER SOCCER CLUB, FRANKFORD DE

FAST-PACED GAMEPLAY:

WITH ONLY THREE PLAYERS PER TEAM ON THE FIELD, THE GAME IS FASTER AND MORE INTENSE, WHICH CAN HELP PLAYERS IMPROVE PACE AND REACTION TIME.

MORE OPPORTUNITIES TO TOUCH THE BALL:

WITH FEWER PLAYERS ON THE FIELD, EACH PLAYER GETS MORE OPPORTUNITIES TO TOUCH THE BALL AND MAKE AN IMPACT ON THE GAME.

TEAMWORK:

3V3 SOCCER REQUIRES A HIGH LEVEL OF TEAMWORK AND COMMUNICATION. PLAYERS LEARN QUICKLY TO ATTACK AND DEFEND AS A UNIT.

COMPETITIVE ATMOSPHERE:

TOURNAMENTS ARE USUALLY COMPETITIVE, AND THE ENERGY AND EXCITEMENT THAT COMES WITH IT CAN BE A FUN CHALLENGE FOR PLAYERS.

SOCIALIZING:

TOURNAMENTS PROVIDE AN OPPORTUNITY TO MEET NEW PEOPLE WHO SHARE THE SAME PASSION FOR SOCCER AND MAKE NEW FRIENDS.

PARTICIPATING IN OUR 3V3 SOCCER TOURNAMENT WILL BE A FUN AND MEMORABLE EXPERIENCE FOR ANYONE WHO LOVES SOCCER AND ENJOYS THE THRILL OF COMPETITION.

- MAX ROSTER- 6 PLAYERS
- DIVISIONS- U8-U16 BOYS/GIRLS AND OPEN ADULT
- AWARDS TO FIRST PLACE
- MUSIC, FOOD TRUCKS, SKILLS COMPETITION, ICE CREAM, VENDORS, MERCHANDISE
- \$175.00- NONREFUNDABLE REGISTRATION FEE PER TEAM
- DEADLINE TO REGISTER- JULY 13TH, 2024 ([CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#))
- [TOURNAMENT RULES](#)
- [PARTICIPANT WAIVER](#)

DYSA IS PLEASED TO HAVE THE SUPPORT OF THESE SPONSORS
FOR THE 23/24 SOCCER SEASON:



DELAWARE ORTHOPAEDIC SPECIALISTS

