# Arsenal Colorado Competitive U11 Orientation



# **Register Online for BYT / Player ID**



#### Returning Arsenal Players:

- Log into Playmetrics app and click on registration button New to Arsenal Players:
- Click on registration link on home page <u>www.soccerfortcollins.org</u>
- Create account in Playmetrics (or add players to existing account)
- Complete registration steps

## **Tradition**



- Established in 1978
- USC Club Standards Advanced Assessment Member Nationally recognized for best practices
- Continuously recognized as a Premier Club in Colorado and Region IV

## **Excellence**



#### **College Placement**

(112 players in the last 10 years!)

#### **Championship Teams**

- 36 State Cup Champions
- 39 Far West Regional Appearances
- 4 Region IV Finalists
- 3 Region IV Champions
- 4 National Championship Appearances
- 3 National Finalists
- 4 Presidents Cup Champions
- 1 Presidents Cup National Champion

#### **Arsenal Colorado Excitement**

Projecting 64 competitive teams for 2025/26 Seasonal Year

## **Arsenal Colorado Foundations**



#### **Player & Coaching Development**

Consistent with national standards of US Soccer, US Youth Soccer and USC

#### **Competition Platforms**

Colorado Soccer Association (CSA)

Elite Clubs National League – Regional League (ECNL RL) (U13-U19)

US Youth National League – Desert Conference (U13-U19)

# **Partnerships**

























# **Coaching Staff**





Dave Shaffer Technical Director Academy Director



Trey Harrington
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# **Coaching Staff**



## Total experience includes ...

USSF A license or USC Premier Diploma	6
USSF B License or USC Advanced National	5
USSF C License or USC National Diploma	3
USSF D License or USC Regional Diploma	19

# **Player Placement Objective**



Identify and group players of like ability

# Benefit of grouping by ability?

Enhances player development and overall experience!

## Structure



## Multiple teams per age group

- Allows for players to develop at their own appropriate rate based on current physical & emotional stage
- Earn promotion with level of team & level of competition
- Allows for players to train/play "up"
- Always a higher level team and competition

# **Player Evaluation Criteria**



- Technical Abilities (dribble, pass, shoot)
- Tactical Awareness (decision-making)
- Athleticism (speed, fitness, agility)
- Psychology (attitude, competitiveness)

#### **2015 BIRTH YEAR TRAINING**



Monday, May 5<sup>th</sup>

Thursday, May 8<sup>th</sup>

Boys: 4:30 – 5:45 Complex

Girls: 6:00 – 7:15 Complex

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\*(Includes Goalkeeper ID)

- Part of the overall player identification and selection process
- BYT's will consist of a technical warm-up and scrimmaging

# **Player Evaluation Process**



## **Arsenal Colorado Player Identification**

Arsenal Colorado Soccer Complex

Players & Goalkeepers: May 15<sup>th</sup> 2015 Boys 4:30 – 5:45 pm

2015 Girls 6:00 – 7:15 pm

#### **Team Placement**



- Coaches meet for player placement directly after Player ID
- Coaches contact their players <u>by phone!</u>
- All player notifications will begin immediately after Player ID session
- Start with Academy team work our way through all teams

One family's delay in decision-making affects everyone!

# **League Structure**



Champions League (seeded by historical data)

Premier 1, Premier 2, Premier 3

Promotion & Relegation occur between seasons

Centennial League (club placement)

Elite, Platinum, Gold, Silver, Bronze

No Promotion & Relegation - club places team each season

## **CSA State League**



#### **Year: 16 - 18 games**

- 8/9 in the Fall and 8/9 in the Spring
- Half games at home (Complex) and half away
- "Away" may be anywhere in Colorado

#### **Fall Season**

- Begins August 23<sup>rd</sup>
- Ends early November

#### **Spring Season**

- Begins mid-March (you will play games over spring break)
- Ends mid-May

## **Tournament Information**



- Most teams play in 3 tournaments during the seasonal year (Fall/Spring)
- U11 teams typically travel within Colorado for tournaments; Academy and Gold teams may travel out-of-state

# **Training Programs**



- Club Staff Training
- Academy Style Training (AST)
- Tech Nights
- Weekly Goalkeeper Training
- Game and Tournament Support

# Player Fees (due to team)



■ Exact amount: determined by the team coach and parents as part of the process of forming and approving the team's annual financial statement. Organizational team meetings scheduled by club — early June.

■ Fees include: costs for practice space, equipment, clinics, tournaments, social activities, and coaches expenses.

# Player Fees (due to team)



#### Fees due to the team:

- Tournament Entry Fees
- Team coach reimbursements
- Team equipment
- Social activities
- PlayMetrics
- Practice space
- Techne subscription

Yearly AVERAGE: Academy: \$500

Gold: \$400

Royal - Black: \$300

# Player Fees (due to Club)



2025/26 registration fees for U11: (payment plan) (fees subject to change)

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Academy $1,815 / year
Gold $1,657 / year
Royal, Blue, White, Black $1,485 / year
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- Uniforms: (team price \$250) (ordered through soccer.com)
   Required 2 jerseys, 2 shorts, 2 socks, 1 training jersey
   Optional warm-ups, backpack, training short
- Fee and uniforms scholarship available to qualified players
- In the past 5 years more than \$270,000 has been awarded in scholarships

# Player Fees (due to Club)



#### Fees cover...

- Club Registration
- Colorado Soccer Association fees
  - Games / referees / insurance
- Training Programs
- Coaches Compensation
- Club Overhead
- Soccer Complex field maintenance / prep

## **Arsenal Colorado**



## Again, the *Objective* of Player ID's is to...

Allow coaches the opportunity to fully evaluate every individual ...



Group players based on like-ability...



Players achieve maximum development!

# 2025/26 U11 Coaching Staff



Academy

Gold

Royal

Blue

White

Black

Red

**Boys** 

Kris Banghart

Tim Notz

Stephanie Dohn-Augusto

Jacob Daniel

Eli Burbach

Luis Galvaz

**TBD** 

**Girls** 

Mary Casson

Brian Donovan

Brian Donovan

Nick Weitenberner

**TBD** 

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Thank you for the *privilege* of working with your children and welcome to our FAMILY!