



NEWSLETTER

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Fall / Winter Season End

Surrey United's vision is to be more than a soccer club, by being a community leader, providing a safe, inclusive, and encouraging environment for all members to achieve their full potential.

It is incredible to believe we have come to the end of another season. We entered into the fall/winter season not quite knowing if game play would be cut back, if cohorts would be introduced, or if the pandemic would continue to impact us for another season of play in new ways. We are so fortunate to have had a more typical season of play, a competitive season of play, a season of immense player development that extended beyond the individual skills-based development

experienced over the last two seasons and into tactical game play development and growth in strategic understanding of the beautiful game of soccer. We worked through the referee shortage with the help of our volunteer coaches and managers, and we all worked through the major supply chain challenges that we faced in the fall.



A huge thank you to our volunteers and our players for

their patience, their support and their tireless efforts in making this season possible. Our Operations and Technical staff were rock solid all season and continue to work tirelessly to deliver and support what has become a year round sport in British Columbia so that we can continue to excel as a Canada National Youth Club Licence holder of Canada Soccer and to compete on the field as successfully as we have in the past. As a club we could not ask for a better soccer community and we look forward the spring and summer club events ahead with so many of you!

IMPORTANT DATES

Spring Player Academy Programs Registration
Online Now!

Fall/Winter Registration
Online Now!

Spring Break Camps
March 14th – March 18th, 2022
March 21st – March 25th, 2022

Fall Player Placements (evaluations process)
March & April 2022 schedule online

Scholarships Application
Open online until April 30th, 2022

SUSC Whitecaps FC Night
April 2nd, 2022

Annual General Meeting
April 2022 – TBC

TS3 Inspires Tournament
Sunday, June 5, 2022

Youth Nations Cup Tournament
July 8th-10th, 2022

SUSC WHITECAPS FC NIGHT



Join Surrey United SC members at the April 2, 2022 Whitecaps FC match vs. Sporting KC at BC Place Stadium. As this match is the SUSC annual Whitecaps night, players, coaches and family members will all have access to specially priced \$25 tickets. SUSC players are encouraged to wear their SUSC tracksuits or jerseys and represent the club.

Please be aware of the provincial health guidelines regarding entry to BC Place, masks and vaccinations here: <https://www.whitecapsfc.com/matchday/>

[PURCHASE TICKETS -> CLICK HERE](#)

NEW PLAYERS

Interested in joining SUSC? New players to Surrey United Soccer Club that would like to be informed of upcoming U11-U18 evaluations under the new Canada Soccer designed process for the Fall/Winter soccer season are required to complete the New Player Interest Form on our website.

CLICK HERE FOR
THE FORM

FALL VOLUNTEER FEE PROGRAM

Information on the fall volunteer fee program can be found online alongside a list of volunteer opportunities and details on signing up for your choice of events, activities, tasks and support opportunities from July 2022-June 2023.

Basic details of the program include:

4 hours of volunteer time is required to fulfill the requirements, regardless of how many players you may have registered at any one time

You may choose to pay the fee and opt-out of completing any volunteer hours

Volunteer hours can be fulfilled between July 1st and June 30th of the calendar year

Volunteer hours are managed centrally by the Club's Volunteer Coordinator and there is a process in place for scheduling and recording of these volunteer hours

2nd Annual Bootcamp Against Bullying



On the week of February 21st – 25th, 2022 Surrey United to the field in pink and participated in a fun and challenging Bootcamp Program designed by our very own SUSC technical staff in our 2nd annual Bootcamp Against Bullying sponsored by Soccer Express and Panago.

Award recipients are below – but truly you were ALL deserving of an award, the energy at the

park was electric and everyone did an amazing job bringing awareness to this important topic.

BEST DRESSED (IN PINK) – U12G PRIDE

BEST PHOTOS - U10B FIRE

MOST ENTHUSIASTIC – U12B LIVERPOOL

BEST PARTICIPATION – 2007B BCSPL



2022/23 FALL REGISTRATION

Fall/Winter season registration is now open online. We are again offering installment payments for this as well and we are proud to share once again that there are no registration fee increases to any of our registration base rates!

Frequently asked questions are available online and all members should consult our website before emailing our Registrars with their specific questions.

[CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION](#)

2022 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ONLINE NOW

Surrey United Soccer Club annually awards four \$500 scholarships to SUSC graduating players each year. To be considered for a scholarship, applicants must meet the stated criteria and submit all parts of the requested documents. Complete eligibility requirements and details about the four scholarships available can be found on our website. If you have immediate questions, please reach out to our SUSC Events Coordinator, Briann Spencer at: vpsocial@surreyunitedsoccer.com.

YOUTH NATIONS CUP TOURNAMENT

July 8th – 10th, 2022



The Youth Nations Cup Tournament returns to Cloverdale Athletic Park this summer, July 8th-10th, 2022. Interested players 2004 born and younger can register for team roster consideration beginning March 15th. Check the website for more details:

www.youthnationscup.com

RESPECT IN SPORT

Reminder to all Spring Coaches and Managers that the Criminal Record Check and Respect in Sport requirements must be complete prior to the April season start. Please contact Risk Management with any questions or access code requirements.



2021 AWARDS SUMMARY

The 6th Annual Awards Night Celebration was a fun, virtual event with a live trivia contest that was more popular than anticipated. Thank you to all that attended and participated. The annual awards night video can be found on our website and on our YouTube channel and was so well done, yet again, by our SUSC Media team. We also unveiled our new TikTok channel and hope members will follow along as we start to post on this latest social media channel.

Recipients of this year's awards are listed below. Huge thanks to our sponsors, Go Auto, Vesta Properties, B&B Contracting Group, Robbie Johal, Coast Capital Savings, K4 Construction, Cloverdale Country Market, Physiostation, E11even Management, Envision Financial, Art Knapp Surrey, Soccer Express, Weir and First Choice Security, Audio and Vacuums Ltd.

Annual Award Recipients

New Referee of the Year	Mya Lowrey
Referee of the Year	Daniel Murchie
Manager of the Year	Lucy Griffith
Coach of the Year	Oliver Villagran
Gus Beck Volunteer of the Year	James Bunting
Sponsor of the Year	Robbie Johal, RE/MAX Lifestyles Realty
Girl Player of the Year (U13-U18)	Shonteya Walker
Boy Player of the Year (U13-U18)	Nolan Woode
Adult Female Player of the Year	April Coffin
Adult Male Player of the Year	Ajit Thiara
Community Award	Rachel Krisnawan
Girls' Team of the Year (U6-U12)	U9 Aston Villa Lions
Boys' Team of the Year (U6-U12)	U7 Golden Eagles
Girls' Team of the Year (U13-U18)	U14 Surge
Boys' Team of the Year (U13-U18)	U13 Manchester United
President's Inspirational Award of the Year	Dano Thorne, NIFA Canada

SPRING BREAK CAMPS



Our spring break camps are back and better than ever! This spring break we have some great programs for multiple ages and levels and play. Two weeks of fun March 14th – 18th and March 21st – 25th, 2022. Registration is open but there are limited spaces left and registration will close very soon.

Technical Skills & Shooting Spring Break Camp

This camp is for U6 - U11 players and will consist of fun practice of technical and fundamental ball control/dribbling & shooting drills

NEW Soccer Conditioning & Strength Training Spring Break Camp

Age-specific speed, agility & conditioning training, as well as a focus on technical skill development. This camp will build on the highly successful SUSC Speed and Quickness training program.

Goalkeeper Training Spring Break Camp

Provides participants with great training of technical skill and goalkeeper-specific conditioning & movements.

FALL SPONSORSHIP

Our jersey sponsorship options for the Fall/Winter 2022/23 season are coming to an end shortly and interested sponsors should contact our Sponsorship Coordinator soon to secure a jersey sponsorship (very limited availability!) for the fall season.

Available sponsorship opportunities for Youth Nations Cup and TS3 Inspires as well as other, upcoming events are also available and a title sponsor for the new Thanksgiving tournament the Club is planning to host in October is being sought as well. Wherever you would like to be involved in our club community, we can work with you for the best partnership opportunities customized to your budget.

Our Sponsorship Coordinator, Rachel Krisnawan can be reached at:
sponsorship@surreyunitedsoccer.com

FALL SPONSOR THANK YOU

We would like to thank Go Auto North Surrey and Vesta Properties for their fall/winter 2021/22 season sponsorship and the impact they have made on our Club this season. Thank you for being fantastic community partners and supportive of our mission, values and vision in this Return to Play environment.



2022 SPRING ACADEMY PROGRAMS



Surrey United Soccer Club prides itself on its focus on player development, enjoyment, and advancement. Our academy programming provides accessibility to players of all skill levels and experience in the sport. The objective of our academy programs includes a personalized skill development approach, that sets out to boost and maximize each participant's self-confidence, enjoyment, technical skills, vision, and awareness, and overall understanding of the game.

All player academy programs are led by our SUSC Technical Staff coaches. Registration opens soon and includes programs listed on our website located here: <https://www.surreyunitedsoccer.com/springacademy>. Spring Player Academy Programs run April – June.

TS3 Inspires Tournament Returns!



Surrey United Soccer Club proudly supports the TS3 Inspires Tournament in memory of SUSC player, Travis Selje. The tournament will be held at Cloverdale Athletic Park on Sunday, June 5, 2022 and will be a fun, small-sided game tournament for U9-U12 development level teams.

This tournament is open to development level teams U9-U12 and 100% of the tournament proceeds go to the Travis Selje Foundation in support of scholarship funding to local athletes in Cloverdale, BC. All SUSC teams are strongly encouraged to register for this club event. Watch for further club communication on this as the spring season gets underway.



Team Registration Opens Mid March and we will be seeking volunteers for this great event to assist. Tournament details can be found over the coming weeks – including an early bird registration fee – on the tournament website: www.ts3inspires.com.

Coach Recognition



At our 6th Annual (VIRTUAL) Awards Night, the club recognized two members for their long-term service in coaching and managing teams. This year we recognized Marcello Fortuna and Ravi Bachra for their 10 years of service with the Club! Thank you for your dedication and selfless volunteerism over the years!

