



SIU SELECT

Job Description



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Job Title: Select Youth Soccer Coach

Company: Southern Indiana United/Net-Surfer Soccer Club

Communication with: Director of Coaches, Howard "Dutch" Vigar
VP of Select, Amy Grelinger

Job Summary

We are seeking youth soccer coaches who have a passion for teaching the game of soccer. Candidates must demonstrate the ability to create an environment that supports and guides players to develop to their fullest potential in practice and games. Candidates must create an environment of inclusion and engage players based on agreed upon team behaviors and goals. Our clubs greatest commitment is to players reaching their fullest potential as a player and person in a positive and respectful environment.

Overall Roles and Responsibilities

Coaches are responsible for all team operations keeping with the Club's Mission and Coaching Performance Standards, including but not limited to:

- communicating positively and productively with relevant stakeholders about coaching philosophy, scheduling, tournaments, and player evaluations,
- demonstrating conduct that is ethical, professional and in compliance with Indiana Code of Conduct
- engaging in continued learning opportunities offered by the club and outside agencies,
- organizing, attending, and conducting regular developmentally-appropriate practices for your team according Club curriculum and methodology
- attending necessary Club meetings
- begin practices at the established time, which means arriving early to set up
- arriving 45 minutes early to all games
- arranging for coverage should practice or game conflicts occur
- working closely with the Director of Coaching, Team Managers, and parents to foster the esteem and growth of young people through soccer

Hold a coaching license from a reputable licensing association (i.e.) US Soccer, United Soccer Coaches Association, and UEFA

Applicants must be currently qualified for employment within the United States, as U.S. citizens, or with an existing Green Card / work visa.

Specific Duties and Responsibilities

Hold at least two practices per week, commencing no later than two weeks before the team's first scheduled league game.

Create training sessions that are player-centered, engaging, and effective at addressing the four components

(pillars) of soccer (technical, tactical, physical, and psycho-social)

Arrive early enough to set up practice, so that practice can begin and end at the scheduled times

Remain at practice until all players have been picked up, or assigned to a legitimate and responsible adult

Hold a team meeting with all stakeholders before the first scheduled game to go over coaching philosophy, goals, and expected behaviors of coach, player, and parents.

Complete a player evaluation at the end of each fall and spring season.

Participate in tryouts to evaluate and assist in selecting players for teams.

Create a safe and developmental appropriate environment conducive player development.

Enforces rules and regulations governed by leagues, state and local organizations.

Enforces discipline policies and emphasizes sportsmanship and healthy lifestyles.

Effectively communicates with all stakeholders (team manager, parents, players, and director of coaches).

Abides by and follows SIU's By-Laws and Policies and Procedures (including Risk Management Plan and Zero Tolerance Policy Against Abuse), as well as the Indiana Soccer, US Soccer, and League Rules (regardless of which league the team is participating).

Other Duties

Attend staff development meetings, clinics, seminars, workshops, training sessions and other professional activities to improve coaching performance.

Attend Board Meeting yearly.

Make a reasonable effort to improve licensing and soccer education.

Support and respect the SIU board decisions.

Support and respect the leadership at the Jeff Parks Department, the New Albany Parks Department, and the Floyd County Parks Department at all times, always projecting a positive representation of SIU.

Applicant Respond to the Director of Coaching, Howard "Dutch" Vigar, via email at dutchvigar@gmail.com with letter/resume explaining your experience, qualifications, etc.