



LOUDOUN S O C C E R

Travel Team Pre-Tryout Information Sheet 2014 – 2015

Welcome to the Loudoun Soccer Travel Team 2014-15 Tryouts. Below is key information regarding the Loudoun 97G White team for which your child is trying out. It includes general team information, as well as financial and logistical commitments associated with being part of this team in the Loudoun Soccer Travel Program. If you would like further information, please feel free to contact the Head Coach.

Team Name Loudoun Soccer 97G White

Age Group U17 Girls

There are expected to be 3 teams in this age group. This team is in the Loudoun Soccer Travel 1 tier and is considered the C Team.

This team plays in the following Competitive League: Washington Area Girls Soccer (WAGS) or Old Dominion Soccer League (ODSL)

Head Coach: David Lazorchak

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Head Coach Qualifications / Experience

- Hold a U.S. Soccer National D License.
- Trained in the Positive Coaching Alliance methodology.
- Certified in CPR (1993-2013), First Responder (1993-2013), Maryland EMM (2008-2013)
Prince Georges Community College defensive player
Duval High School, Lanham, Maryland 1981-85, 4 year defensive starter, Captain 2 years.

COACHING PHILOSOPHY

My goal is to create life-long athletes who will enjoy playing soccer well into their adulthood. I create an environment that is challenging but enjoyable, filled with hard work and positive attitudes. Taking chances are encouraged and mistakes are used as teaching opportunities. I strive to develop players' abilities both on and off of the field and work to create athletes of strong character. Sports should leave a positive impression on athletes, so that they want to continue their play to whatever degree their abilities allow them. I keep current on the latest coaching developments and techniques and incorporate new ideas into challenging team practices. I feel fortunate for the opportunities that I have been given as a coach to contribute to my player's growth from youth athlete to young adults of character.

All players and parents should be aware of the commitment required for this team:

This team is a year-round team and will train two to three times a week as well as participate in additional technical training sessions and play games on the weekend (spring/fall). It will also require various winter and summer training commitments. The number of practices and the requirement for attendance at practices and games will necessitate a very high degree of dedication on the part of all team players and their parents. If your child is selected and you cannot make such a commitment, please do not accept a spot on the team. One of the other teams should be able to match your ability level and commitment. If you are accepted on the team and cannot maintain your commitments to the team, the coach **will** limit your playing time to represent your level of commitment in all areas.

In accordance with "VYSA Policy Regarding Nonpayment of Club/Team Financial Obligations by Travel Players", approved in April 2012, players may be released by the team for non-payment of club or team fees. A team may release a player from the team roster for failure to meet financial obligations as outlined in VYSA

Registration Manual (5.27). Accordingly, VYSA will not process a transfer of a player from one club/team to another during the seasonal year if that player is not current on his or her financial obligations.

This team will practice through the winter. This is expected to involve training once a week outdoors at Loudoun Soccer Park. The team will also play in an indoor or outdoor league in the winter with games one a week on the weekend.

Additional Try out

There are a number of players who may be either injured or who have conflicts with tryout dates. Therefore, a supplemental tryout may be held, should the coach wish to. Any additional tryouts will be at the coach’s discretion and information regarding such will be posted on the team website.

Potential Fall Tournaments

Dulles National Soccer Tournament (local) (August 23-24, 2014)

Battlefield Classic (local) (October 11-12, 2014)

Richmond Capital Classic (Overnight) (November 15-16, 2014)

Probable Spring tournaments include:

Virginia Beach FC Tournament (Overnight) (March 13 & 15, 2015)

PWSI Icebreaker (Local) (March 21 & 22, 2015)

Virginian or Bull Run (Local) (May 23 – 25, 2015)

Loudoun Soccer Club Fee (Travel 2-White Team)

Club fee per player for the full seasonal year (Fall 2014 and Spring 2015) \$915 less \$100 discount \$815

Installment plans are available for club fees (4 month/9 month payments)

Club fee includes trainer salary as defined in the standard trainer plan

8 winter Club Training sessions are included in Club fee

Approximate Estimated Team Finances (per calendar year based on a 18-player roster): Budgeted Items for 97 White: 2014-2015	
Activity	Budget Team Cost
Fall 2014:	
Dulles National	\$700
Battlefield Classic Manassas	\$800
Capital Fall Classic, Richmond	\$650
Trainer Fee	
Goalie Trainer Fee	\$200
Winter Indoor League	\$950
WAGS League Fee	
Loudoun Team Camp	\$1,400
Miscellaneous	\$200
TOTALS	\$4,900
Payment to Team Due June 28th	\$272
Winter 2014/Spring 2015:	
Virginina Beach FC Tournament	\$675

PWSI Icebreaker	\$725
Goalie Trainer Fee	\$200
Winter Indoor Rental Space	\$200
Spring WAGS fee	
Virginian	\$675
Spring Trainer fee	
TOTALS	\$2,475
Payment Due to Team Jan 15th	\$138
Yearly Total	\$7,375
Total Number of Players	18
Loudoun 97G White Costs	\$410
Loudoun Fees (paid individually in installments)	\$815
Total Cost per player for the year	\$1,225
Uniform Basic(adult SM) (2 jerseys, 2 shorts, 4 socks)	\$126

Fundraising

As a member of this team, you are expected to be proactive in fundraising, along with the rest of the team families. All funds raised are for the benefit of the team and remain as team funds. We participate in the Field Lining program once or twice a season. Everyone is expected to participate. Other fundraisers are possible.

Financial Refunds

Please be aware that financial refunds will not be given to any player's family or associated person, partner, colleague or alike should the player choose to leave a Loudoun Soccer team. Please refer to the Loudoun Soccer website for the full Travel Financial Policy. If the website does not answer your questions, please contact the Loudoun Soccer office. Thank you for your understanding.

MANDATORY TEAM MEETING INFORMATION:

Loudoun Soccer 97G White will hold a mandatory meeting for the parents of players offered a spot on the team. The date/location of the meeting will be determined once the team has been selected. We will be discussing team expectations / plans, budget and roles, as well as answering any questions.

If you have questions about this team that have not been answered here, please feel free to contact the team coach .If you have general questions regarding the Loudoun Soccer Travel program please contact Fiona Legg, Travel Program Manager at tpm@loudounsoccer.com / 703.777.9977 or contact Mark Ryan, Director of Coaching (Travel) at traveldirector@loudounsoccer.com / 703.777.9977

We thank you for your interest in the Loudoun Soccer Travel Program and trust that you will have a very enjoyable experience at our tryouts. Thank you for your attendance and please let us know if we can be of any assistance to you in the soccer community.