



NEO United High School Girls Academy

2017-2018

Program Description & Registration Information

Evaluation will be held on:

Wednesday, Nov. 1 & 8 @ 8:00-10:00 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 2 & 9 @ 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 3 & 10 @ 5:00-7:00 p.m.

Player/Parent Orientation & Information Meeting:

Wednesday, November 1 @ 7:30 p.m.

Prior to the first evaluation training session in the cafe by field #3

NC Soccer Club

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with any inquiries

The NEO United Soccer Club **High School Girls Academy Program** is under the direction of Daniel DiPasquale, the Head Girl's Soccer Coach at Norton High School. ***Our program has produced over 45 players who are currently playing college soccer in our first ten (10) years.*** The NEO United Academy will be providing intensive training and competition for three (3) fall/winter indoor sessions and spring outdoor play. **In addition, we are expanding our competition reach by playing in full-field indoor leagues and full-field winter indoor "club friendlies" throughout the winter months.** We are looking to serve players who desire to achieve the next level of play:

- ***High school varsity players who are looking to train on a near year-round basis and who do not want to invest a tremendous sum of money for high-quality, professional training and who would like exposure to college coaches for recruiting purposes***
- ***High school junior varsity players who would like to train to the level to be able to compete for a place on their varsity team next year***
- ***Premier Club players who would like additional high-quality training that will not interfere with their premier club participation***

The program will consist of:

- **Two (2) to Three (3) weekly training sessions, four-hour total training sessions at the N.C. Soccer Club in Hudson**
 - **Each team/group will train together in the beginning.**
 - **Once teams are divided, then there may be different training sessions for each team.**
 - **Sessions will start Thursday 11/16 (7p-9p field #3), Friday 11/17 (5p-7p field #4).**
- **Commitment from November 2017 through Memorial Day 2018**
- **Participation in the N.C. Club league play and “club friendlies” hosted at NC and other facilities**
- **Participation in the Spire Academy Full-Field indoor league in Geneva, OH**
 - **Players selected from the top tier to participate in this league will pay an additional fee to cover the expenses of the league play**
- **Teams will compete in high school girls, divisions**
- **Players will be assigned to either two or three “pools” of players based on level, ability, experience, and evaluation**
 - **Evaluations will take place over a 3-4 week period of time during the training hours at the beginning of the first indoor session**
 - **Players can be promoted or demoted/eliminated from player pools based on attendance, attitude, coachability, and performance**
- **Minimum of 1-2 indoor/winter tournaments and 1-2 spring outdoor tournaments**
 - **ALL players are committed to the NC Spring Kickoff Tournament and to a Memorial Day weekend tournament if scheduled**
- **Spring play will be club “friendlies” and US Club Soccer affiliated tournaments & Showcases**
- **Player evaluations, Fitness, agility, and goalkeeper training**

Special Notes:

1. **We are looking to encourage players/families to commit to the entire program (indoor and outdoor) or to either all three indoor sessions OR spring outdoor. We are attempting to discourage the concept of “taking a session off” because those players will lose their place in their player pool and will have to “play themselves back into their position” if they want to come back.**
2. **Interested players can “try out” at any point during the winter indoor sessions. Any players entering after Indoor Session I will be REQUIRED to participate in the Mid-Level Training Group Tier regardless of their experience and ability for a minimum of two (2) full weeks before being formally evaluated for placement at any other level.**
3. **ALL PLAYERS will be re-evaluated at the conclusion of the winter indoor sessions for placement in the spring and also to be in accordance with all Ohio High School Athletic Association bylaws and rules**

Cost: **\$250.00 per session** (all inclusive: 2x-3x weekly training, matches, seminars, evaluations)

- OR - **\$910.00 per full year** payable in seven (7) \$130.00 monthly increments (this represents a \$90.00 savings if a player participates in all three (3) indoor spring sessions) and the

All fees must be paid in full by the end of each 2017-2018 SESSION!

We have club-wide adidas Team Custom Uniforms for 2017-18

- **\$80.00 MANDATORY Uniform/Gear package FOR ALL NEW PLAYERS** (training shirt, two uniform shirts, shorts)
- **\$30 fee for all returning/previous players (training shirts)**

****All tournament & additional league fees will be additional for those participating****

Dates: Session I: 11/15-12/29 (Evaluations: 11/1-11/24...Tier placement to follow)

Session II: 1/3 – 2/23

Session III: 2/26 – 3/30

Spring: 4/2 – 5/27

Directions: www.ncsoccerhudson.com

Staff:

- Director/Head Coach: Daniel DiPasquale, Head Women’s Soccer Coach, Norton High School
- GK/Asst Coach: Matt Davis, Asst. Women’s Soccer Coach, Norton High School

Facility:

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Overview of Guidelines/Expectations

Thank you for choosing to be a part of the NEO United Soccer Club High School Girls Academy Program. We very much honored to continue to be a part of this organization. We have been a part of the NC Soccer Club for almost 30 years and we all should be grateful for the work this organization has done for youth soccer in this area during those years.

This Academy Program has been designed as a preparation experience for girls interested in being highly competitive high school varsity players and potential collegiate players. Our expectations aren't nearly as much about winning and losing as they are about **maturity, "professionalism," organization, development, learning, playing and training hard, and having as much fun as possible while doing everything with great intensity.** Here is a brief list of essential expectations for the program:

- We will train three (3x) weekly throughout the sessions with matches on a weekday and the weekend
 - The first month will be used for an extensive evaluation to provide for accurate player placement
 - Training attendance WILL impact playing time in matches & your status in your pool
 - Training focus, attention, maturity and intensity WILL impact playing time & your status in your pool
 - All player movement between play pools will be managed by the COACHES
 - Players will establish goals and be evaluated according to the goals they set
- Players are responsible for the following:
 - Players will professionally and sincerely acknowledge all staff members prior to and after each session with a proper greeting, handshake, and farewell...a great habit to establish
 - Players must bring their own ball properly inflated...no ball=possibly no training
 - Players will wear the designated training gear to all training sessions w/black shorts and white socks
 - Players will provide their own water supply at the training field
- Players will attend all training sessions and be at least 10 min. early for sessions
 1. If a player is unable to attend, the PLAYER must contact their coach regarding the absence
 2. If possible, the PLAYER should inform the coach at least 24 hrs. in advance
- Players will immediately report to the field for training and begin a warm-up run and brief stretching routine as outlined by the coaches
- Players should plan on a brief meeting with the coaches following each training session

- Players should bring the two (2) designated uniforms to all matches w/ black shorts along with black socks
- Players will attend all matches and should be at least **15-20 min.** early for each match
 1. If a player is unable to attend, the PLAYER must contact the coach regarding the absence
 2. If possible, the PLAYER should inform the coach at least 24 hrs. in advance
- Players should immediately gear up and go for a brief run/jog in/around/outside the facility and stretch prior to the beginning of each training session and match
- Please be considerate of all spectators and teams while warming up in the facility
- There is no need for a ball to be used unless on the fields for training and matches
 - Players should plan on a pre-match briefing with the coaches prior to the designated start time
 - Players should be prepared to immediately start the match once they enter the field
- Bring gear and bag over to the bench area
- Begin the designated warm-up exercise on the field as soon as possible with a ball

Finally, we will provide feedback and the players WILL CONSTANTLY BE ENCOURAGED to ask questions and seek out as much feedback as possible. Players are encouraged to request additional formal assessments and evaluations at any time.

If you have any questions over the course of the session, please do not hesitate to ask us or contact us via email or phone.

Tournaments & Other Events:

- All tournament expenses are in addition to normal fees
- The NC Soccer Club may host a Spring Kickoff Tournament in April if so this is MANDATORY for all players
- Memorial Day weekend tournament play will also be MANDATORY for all players

College Preparation:

- The Directors and all other staff members are willing to meet individually with any player/family to discuss the process of college recruitment and to aid in contacting colleges on the behalf of the players
- We will be making every attempt to expose our players through club play, tournaments, and showcases within reasonable expectations and cost for families

Please pass this information to any of your current High School Soccer Teammates, or any soccer players you may know, that are looking to improve their soccer abilities.

Thank you and we are very much looking forward to working with all of you.

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