



NVSC Travel Program 2024 – 2025 Overview



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Welcome to the NVSC 2024 – 2025 Program

- **Thank you for attending tonight.**
- **The objective of the meeting is to present the 2024 – 2025 program details and direction, answer questions that you may have either coming into the meeting, or during the meeting.**
- **Please mute your computer/phone.**
- **Please use the Q&A feature, not the chat feature, to ask questions.**
 - **For team specific or personal questions, please contact us for a follow-up discussion; contact listing provided at the end of the slide deck.**

Agenda

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Technical Director

- NVSC is pleased to have Hans Etienne return as the NVSC Technical Director for 2024-2025.
- Hans has been with the club for 20+ years, continually working to make NVSC the most professionally run club in Prince William County, Northern Virginia, and Virginia.
- Hans has significant coaching and playing experience to bring to bear on the NVSC program.



Hans Etienne

Technical Director of Coaching
CCL PRO23 Director
Staff Coach

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- Over 25 years of coaching at various levels, including Club Travel and HS
- USSF C Coaching License
- USSF National Director Diploma
- USSF National Youth License
- NSCAA Director Diploma
- La Liga Methodology Certificate
- College: Southern Connecticut University (Hall of Fame Inductee)
- West Central District ODP- 2006 Boys Coach
- State ODP Staff
- Positive Coach Alliance Member
- 1990 National Champion

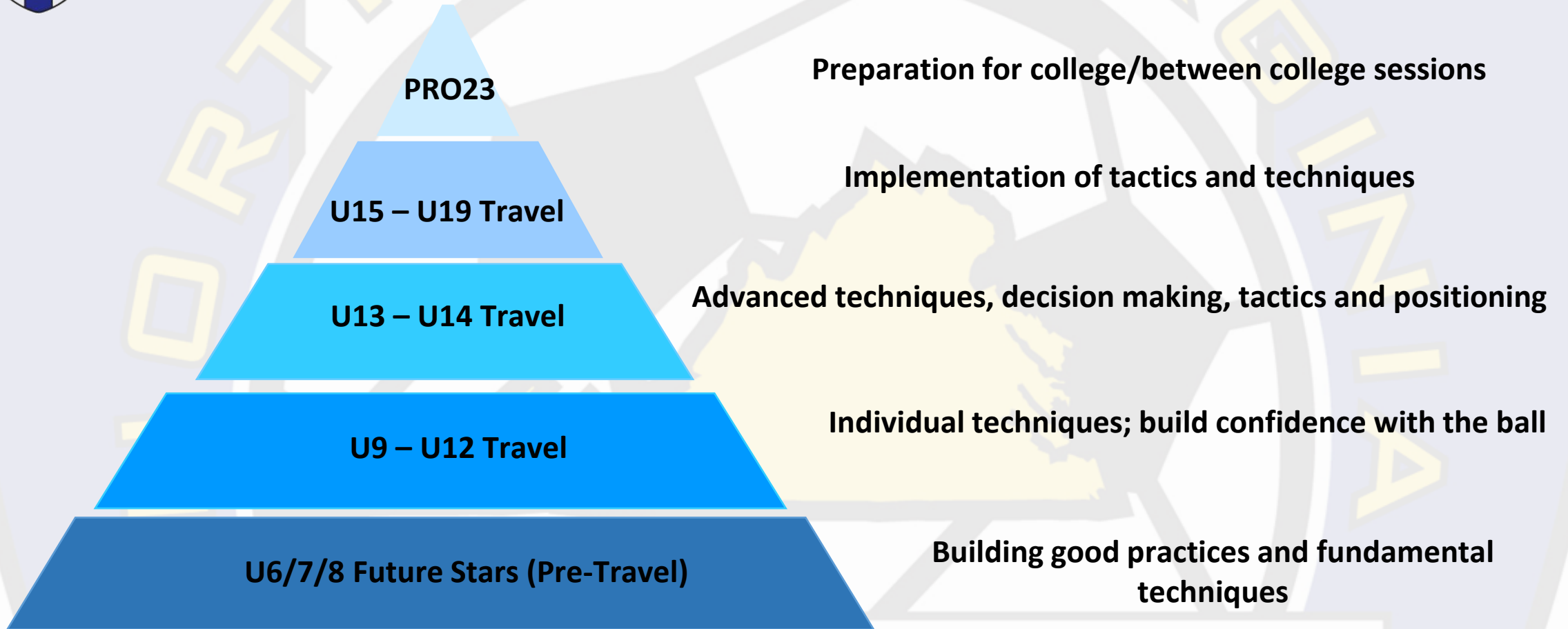
Why NVSC?

- **Clear pathway for player development to achieve their goals and objectives.**
- **Experienced technical and coaching staff, Licensed, College players, Pro and semi-pro players.**
- **Leagues offering competitive level play; pathway to Regional and National advancements.**
- **Great facilities for training and match play; three artificial turf fields at Hellwig for our primary use. All matches and training will be conducted at Hellwig Park, 14424 Bristow Road, Manassas, VA**
- **Supportive partners and alliances, Adidas, soccer.com, KwikGoal**





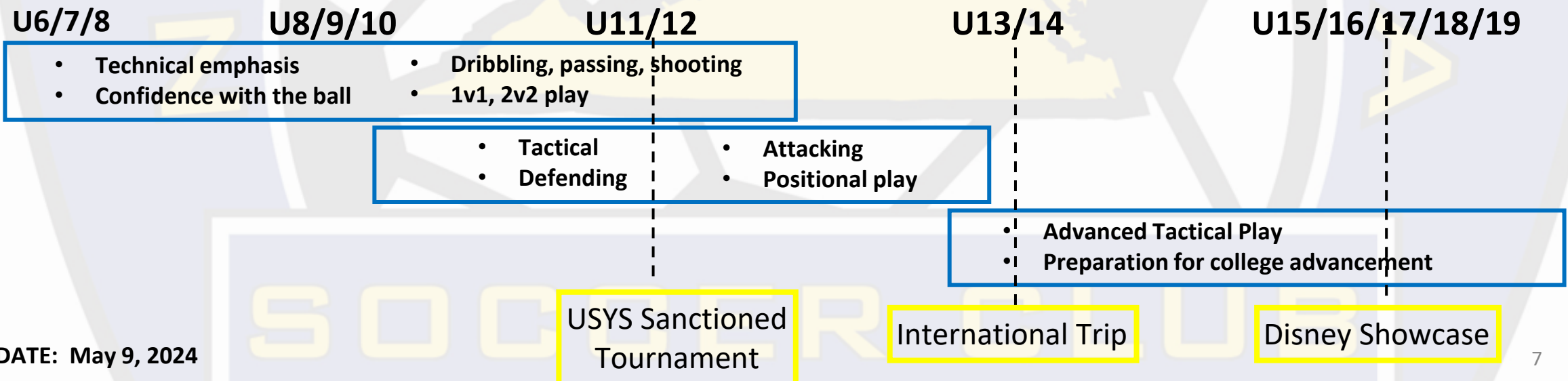
NVSC Building Block Pathway To Development



Northern Virginia Soccer Club strives to be the most professional, “Player Development-First” club in the region. Coaches and staff put the players' improvement over match results. We follow the four pillars of development, Technical, Tactical, Physical, and Psychological.

NVSC Vision

- Player development has been and will be the focus for NVSC.
- Our development process focuses on the Pillars of Development noted earlier, building on the success of the prior year of training and play.
- *In support of this initiative, NVSC is transitioning to a program to recognize player development and conduct ID sessions moving forward, with developmental milestones and events.*
- This allows a clear pathway and measuring tool for player development and provides parents with a clear vision of how their player can develop toward their end goals.



NVSC League Play for 2024 - 2025

- **NVSC is committed to Leagues that offer commitment to player development and advancement opportunities:**
 - **U13 – U19: National Capital Soccer League (NCSL)**
 - **U11 – U12: National Capital Soccer League (NCSL)**
 - **U09 – U10: National Capital Soccer League (NCSL)**
 - **U11 – U19 Alternate: USYS National League, South Atlantic Conference (Selected teams may play in both EDP and NCSL, depending on competitive level of team).**

NVSC continues to monitor opportunities for our players in terms of leagues and tournaments to provide appropriate competitive levels

Overview of NVSC 2024 -2025 Program

Summer Technical Training:

- NVSC will be hosting age group technical training in June, prior to team training which starts the first week in August. This period of training is primarily focused on individual skills and small sided activities. Scrimmages will be worked into the sessions as appropriate for the training.

(Enhanced) Fitness-Agility-Speed-Technique (eFAST):

- The goal of eFAST is to promote fitness that incorporates soccer footwork and technique. We have expanded the program to cover all age groups: U9 – U19. This program is included in the fees and is conducted 2x per year, during the pre-season (August and March). This effort is being led by Aaron Etienne coupled with staff support.

Training Format:

- Training will be 3 times per week for all teams during match play months. The approach is to focus 2 times per week on team training with a 3rd session for specialized topics (such as eFAST) as determined by the Technical Staff.

Overview of NVSC 2024 – 2025 Program (continued)

League Play:

- Teams will be registered to play in NCSL; higher competitive teams may be invited to play in USYS EDP.

Tournaments:

- All NVSC teams are eligible for play in NVSC-sponsored tournaments, with the prerequisite that each team, playing or not-playing, must provide volunteers to support and execute the tournaments. Tournaments are chosen to be reflective of the team competitive level. Teams play in both NVSC tournaments as part of their fees. NVSC includes non-NVSC paid tournaments/events as part of fees as well.

NVSC Travel Player Scholarship:

- In 2021-2022, NVSC established an annual scholarship program for NVSC travel players. NVSC is committed to selecting 1 male and 1 female graduating player to receive a \$500 NVSC scholarship for college; applications will be provided in early Spring 2025 with the scholarship award in May 2025.

Overview of NVSC 2024-2025 Program (continued)

NVSC Adidas Uniform Package:

- All NVSC players for 2024 – 2025 will be required to wear the NVSC uniform. If you are a new player, you will be required to purchase a uniform; if you are an existing player, a uniform purchase is only needed if you have out grown or lost your uniform. The NVSC Team Kit includes game uniform of 2 jerseys, shorts, socks, a training uniform consisting of 1 jersey, shorts and socks. Recommended items are warmup and player travel bag (warmups and travel bags must be Adidas NVSC purchased through soccer.com if purchased).

Video:

- NVSC has been using TRACE for the past three years; however, NVSC is evaluating video alternatives for the 2024-2025 seasonal year.

Communication - TeamSnap:

- After a successful club-wide use of TeamSnap over the past 3 years, NVSC will continue to use the platform for team and manager communication, weather and schedule updates, and important travel team-specific information.

Overview of NVSC 2024-2025 Program (continued)

NVSC Senior Celebration Day:

- Each Spring, NVSC sets aside a day to celebrate our student-athletes and recognize their accomplishments as they graduate.

International Travel Program:

- NVSC has affiliated with Generation Adidas International (GAI)/InspireSport to offer NVSC teams the opportunity to go overseas for training and friendly play. Our targeted teams are U13 to U14; however, older teams may participate depending on their interest.

This summer, an NVSC girls 2010/2011 team is heading to England; August 2nd to August 11th.

Tournaments/Events Overview

- **NVSC Tournaments – All teams participate; all teams volunteer.**
 - **Battlefield Tournament - October**
 - **Hunt Country Fall Classic (HCFC) Tournament - November**
- **Non-NVSC Hosted Tournaments/Events in the pool for consideration**
 - **USYS National League Play; USYS EDP/CCL Hosted Showcase (Feb); CCL College Showcase (Dec); Loudoun Showcase (Mar); Adidas National Cup (Feb); WAGS (Oct); Arlington (Feb/Mar); Alexandria ASIST (Mar); Stafford St. Patricks (Mar); and VSA Cannon Cup (May)Tournament(s)**
 - **State Cup and Presidents Cup**
 - **Tournament selected for participation by NVSC TDOC consistent with team competitive level**
- **Teams may consider attending “extra” tournaments at additional cost; to be discussed after team selections.**

ID Session/Tryout and “INVITE” Process

The path for participation on an NVSC Travel Team is as follows:

- **Register and Attend Tryouts. All players must register in the NVSC system. – If you have conflicts with attendance, contact Hans to let him know.**
- **Once Tryouts are complete, selected players will be provided an “INVITE” email from the club to join a team /age group. Goal is for the club to provide responses (INVITES) back to players within 48 hours after the last tryout for that age group.**
- **The player/parent must either ACCEPT or DECLINE the invitation. Non-responses to the club after 48 hours are assumed to be declined. The time period allows the club the opportunity to fill that roster slot with another player.**
- **Accepting the invite to join NVSC will require a non-refundable deposit of \$200.**

Tryout Schedule

- *Tryouts begin next week at Hellwig Park, 14424 Bristow Road, Manassas, VA.*
- *Please visit our website at www.novasc.org for the most current schedule.*

May 13 and 14:

2016 U9 Boys and 2015 U10 Boys - 5:45pm - 7:00pm Field 7

2016 U9 Girls and 2015 U10 Girls - 5:45pm - 7:00pm Field 8

2014 U11 Boys and 2013 U12 Boys - 7:00pm - 8:15pm Field 7

2014 U11 Girls and 2013 U12 Girls - 7:00pm - 8:15pm Field 8

May 15 and 16:

2012 U13 Boys and 2011 U14 Boys - 5:45pm - 7:00pm Field 7

2012 U13 Girls and 2011 U14 Girls - 5:45pm - 7:00pm Field 8

2010 U15 Boys and 2009 U16 Boys - 7:00pm - 8:15pm Field 7

2010 U15 Girls and 2009 U16 Girls - 7:00pm - 8:15pm Field 8

May 21 and 22:

2008 U17 Boys and 2007/2006 U18/19 Boys - 5:45pm to 7:00pm Field 7

2008 U17 Girls and 2007/2006 U18/19 Girls - 7:00pm to 8:15pm Field 7

Whats Next

- **Sign-up and Participate in Tryouts**
- **Monitor email for an Invite; you must accept to join, or decline**
- **Rostering will continue into June if needed to fill out the roster.**
- **NVSC Parent / team meeting(s): June**
- **Pre-season NVSC Club parent meeting: late July – prior to start of season**

NVSC Coaches – 2024 - 2025

NVSC Small Sided Teams

U09	2016 Boys Blue	Todd Spitalny
U09	2016 Boys White	Austin Johnson
U09	2016 Girls Blue	Chris Caulker
U09	2016 Girls White	Chris Caulker
U10	2015 Boys Blue	Todd Spitalny
U10	2015 Boys White	Austin Johnson
U10	2015 Girls Blue	TBD
U10	2015 Girls White	TBD
U11	2014 Boys Blue	Aaron Etienne
U11	2014 Boys White	Elias Guevara
U11	2014 Girls Blue	Marco Estrada
U11	2014 Girls White	Marco Estrada
U12	2013 Boys Blue	Aaron Etienne
U12	2013 Boys White	Elias Guevara
U12	2013 Girls Blue	Nick Cipola
U12	2013 Girls White	Nick Cipola

NOTE: U9 to U12 teams (2016 – 2013) will be assisted by TDOC Hans Etienne and Willie Guevara

NVSC Full Sided Fields

U13	2012 Boys Blue	Ott Pimsaen
U13	2012 Girls Blue	Hans Etienne
U14	2011 Boys Blue	Ott Pimsean
U14	2011 Girls Blue	Hans Etienne/Willie Guevara
U15	2010 Boys Blue	Mike Harman
U15	2010 Girls Blue	Donald O'Mahony/Willie Guevara
U16	2009 Boys Blue	Wilfredo Guevara
U16	2009 Girls Blue	Vinny Cipola
U19	08/07/06 Boys Blue	Wilfredo Guevara
U19	2008/07/06 Girls Blue	Brian Anatol

Additional Technical Staff

- **Isabel (Izzi) Neall**
- **Vince Villaneuva**
- **Nick Luiana**
- **Chris Caulker - Goalkeeping**

NOTE: Additional teams may be formed depending on the tryout turnout.

What is included in our Player Fees?

- Player and Coach fees
- PWC DPRT Player fees
- League Registration (NCSL)
- Technical / Coaching Staff
- Club Admin and Operations Staff
- Club Operations (non staff)
- NVSC Tournaments (2)
- Non-NVSC Tournaments/Events/Showcases/Non-NCSL Leagues (2)
- Preseason Camps (Fall and Spring)
- eFAST (Fall and Spring)
- Indoor Training (January-February –U9 – U12)

The following expenses are NOT covered by the club fees

- *Club uniforms and accessories – to be purchased through soccer.com – 2-year buy cycle; we are in the second year, players new to NVSC, or those existing players needing new uniforms will be required to purchase*
- *Tournament costs in addition to those included in the club player fees (registration fee and associated travel expenses for coaches if tournaments are out of town)*

2024 - 2025 Fees

Age Group	Birth Year	Fees
U9-U10	2016/2015	\$1,725
U11 - U12	2014/2013	\$1,850
U13-U14	2012/2011	\$2,125
U15-U19	2010/2006	\$2,175

- Accepting the invite to join NVSC will require a non-refundable deposit of \$200.
- Fees can be paid in full, or via monthly payments through Nov 2024
- Contact traveladmin@novasc.org for Financial Aid information.

NVSC Uniform Kit for 2024 - 2025



- ***Same kit as 2023 – 2024; New players and former players needing uniforms need to purchase***

Acceptance and Refund Policy

- **By accepting a position with NVSC, players are committing for the full travel 2024 – 2025 soccer year.**
- **Parents or guardians commit to the financial responsibility to make all payments to NVSC within the designated time, and that failure to do so may result in players losing their privilege to attend practices and games.**
- **If a parent or guardian decides to remove their player from the club, or if a player is dismissed due conduct violations, no refunds will be issued.**
- **Player fees are non-refundable.**

Wrap-up

- NVSC has a proven record of player development over the years.
- Our goal is to develop players for success both on and off the field.
- For players that strive to play at the college level, NVSC is dedicated to helping our athletes achieve those goals and support them every step of the way. We have supported and continue to support our players to realize their dreams playing at the collegiate level and beyond.
- NVSC is proud of our many players that are playing at the next level and we are excited to see who is next.

Travel Contact Information

- Technical Director of Coaching – Hans Etienne, hetienne70@gmail.com
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