

April 2010 Footnotes Newsletter:

FM: The desk of the President of the Hillwood Soccer Club-

Welcome to Spring! So far it's been rather wet, so I'm hoping things will brighten up, as I do enjoy the sunshine!

Spring REC soccer league is here. While registration is now closed for new teams for Spring soccer I just wanted to remind families that, SYSA has complete control of this league and it is offered to all players of all ages in all REC Clubs. Teams are formed at the Association level by individual coaches who are allowed to ask players from all REC teams to join them to form new teams of players who show interest and are available to play. A Spring soccer team does not in any way reflect your Fall season team's roster; our Club registrar's at each age level assigns those rosters. Once the Spring season is over, that roster is no longer in affect. For more information on Spring SYSA soccer, check out www.sysa.org

Yet another advanced training course is being conducted by our new Select Club, Seattle United, this time the course is featuring MLS veteran Brandon Prideaux, this 8-week clinic for age 9, 10, and 11 year old boys and girls meets Tuesdays. Space is very limited! Visit the Seattle United web site at www.seattleunited.com for more information.

NEW Coaches/Managers: Information for incoming U6 Teams, formalization of a new "training" process for coaches and managers will be forthcoming. In the best interest of our youth players, the Club now recommends that new volunteers take the time to partake in one of the following training options.

1. An online training course.
2. Attend a U6 certificate course provided by Washington State Youth Soccer Association.
3. Attend one of our pre-season "new" coach's clinics.

More information will be coming soon on the online course and "new" coach clinics. If you are interested in taking a U6 training course with WSYSA check out this website: www.wsysa.com There are fees associated with the WSYSA program and the new "online" course, but on proof of completion, the Club will gladly refund your class fees. Stay tuned for more information. Remember, Hillwood soccer is just for kicks!

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Open House:

Sponsored by Hillwood and Shorelake Soccer Clubs

"Citizenship through sportsmanship"

- Learn valuable information about the 2010 season, registration information, soccer camps and your local Soccer Clubs of Shoreline, WA.
- Meet other players, parents and volunteers of our successful soccer community at this fun event.
- Meet the vendors that support our clubs with prize donations.
- Find out about your local Select Soccer Program – meet FC Shoreline and Seattle United representatives.
- Bring your out grown shoes & shin guards for an equipment exchange.
- **Win Door Prizes – drawn through out the night!**

Wednesday, April 14th

7:00pm to 9:00pm

Shoreline Room at the Shoreline Community Center

18560 1st Ave NE, Shoreline, WA 98155

Award Ceremony Update:

Congratulations to the 2009 Award recipients:

Girls Coach of the year:

Doug Brindle coach of the Girls U16 Tigers

Boys Coach of the year:

Mike Matysik coach of the Boys U13 Knights

Volunteer of the year:

Tim Ricord Micro referee clinic instructor

This year we had a record amount of nominations. Hillwood is fortunate to have so many deserving coaches and volunteers representing the club. We would like to recognize the following nominees:

Mike Bell: GU7 Pink Boas, GU9 Scorpions

Tom Berquist: BU12 Lightning Bolts; Team won division and City Tournament.

Ken Boyd: GU17 Griffins

Jennifer Combs: GU8 Icebreakers

Jeff Jacobsen: GU7 Pink Boas

Doug Lawson: BU9 Ravens, GU13 Shooting Stars

Mike Panek: BU9 Komodos, BU11 Gators

Tracy Poole: BU8 Volcano Hamsters, BU10 Panthers

Bill Wilkins: BU9 Spiders

Thank You:

Field liners: **Gail Turk** and **Tracy Poole** for adopting a field and lining it for the season.

Spiros Pizza: Evan the owner of Spiros for generously donating three \$25.00 gift certificates for the Award ceremony drawing.

Congratulations:

Chase Parker: Hillwood Referee assignor is recipient of the SYSA Young Referee Of the Year Award.

Maurice Burum: Hillwood coach of the BU16 United Team is recipient of the SYSA Boys Rec. Coach Of the Year Award.

Soccer Camps:

Spring Camp: April 19-23, 2010 at Shoreline B Field, 19030 1st Ave NE

9am-12pm (4-16 yrs) \$99 or 9am-3pm (8-16 yrs) \$150

Please feel free to phone the UKISC office at (888) 857-6222 or sign up on their secure website: <http://www.uksocca.com/Thomas2009/A5D.php?CID=43001&wl=0>

Summer Camp: There are many good soccer camps in the area. For more information visit: <http://www.hillwoodsoccerclub.com/> or <http://www.sysa.org/>

Seattle United U11 & U12 Parent Information Night:

Seattle United will be holding its U11 & U12 Parent Information Night on Wednesday, April 14th at 7PM

What: **U11 & U12 PARENT INFORMATION NIGHT**

Hosts: SYSA and Seattle United

When: Wednesday, April 14th, 7pm

Where: John Marshall School auditorium, 520 NE Ravenna Blvd, Seattle. [Map](#)

Who: All parents of players that may be considering participating in the U11 and U12 tryouts for Seattle United club.

Subject: This meeting will cover the following areas:

- Introduction to the team formation process.
- Overview of the citywide and regional select programs.
- Introduction to the coaches for these age groups.
- Introduction to the members of the Regional Operating Committees (ROCs).
- Q&A with the coaching directors, the coaches, and the ROC members.

No registration required. Questions or Comments Email us at seattleunitedfc@yahoo.com or call 206-525-3330.

Soccer Registration:

Manager Meeting on May 12th at 7:30pm at the Shoreline Center.

Hillwood online Registration for fall soccer will open on May 13th.

More Information:

Hillwood web site www.hillwoodsoccer.com

Maps to fields www.sysa.org

Coach and player clinics www.sysa.org

Tournaments and clinics <http://www.wsysa.com/>

Referee clinics <http://www.wasrc.org/>