



A quarterly publication of highlights and progress of Three Rivers Soccer Club

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Message from the President-Chris Mertens



The 2010-11 soccer year has seen even more significant and positive changes in the Three Rivers Soccer Club. We believe we met all of the goals that we established last year. Pursuant to the adoption of new bylaws by the TCYSA, TRSC has established its separate identity as a non-profit 501(c)(3) corporation and authorized club member of the TCYSA. The club was able to obtain volunteer members for all positions on the board and have had regular meetings. After the club acceptance into the RCL, the TCYSA board voted to accept the charter of the RCL and adopt the goals of that organization to establish "Seamless Soccer" for all soccer players in this region. This allows our players to compete against the best soccer players in the state as the RCL only comprises the top 20 clubs in the entire state. The success on the field is outlined by Chad Bodnar our DOC, who along with his technical staff, have made tremendous strides in providing our players the opportunity to play successfully at the highest level of soccer in the state. Through the extreme hard work of Doug Crandall, our club Treasurer and a coach, we established a very successful tournament this last summer at the TCYSA complex, the Summer Kick Off. We hope to continue with the success of last year in the tournament scheduled to take place June 10-12. The Club has a very large group of volunteer board members, coaches and team managers. The Club appreciates all the time, dedication and understanding by their families in the support of soccer excellence in the Tri-Cities.

Message from the Director of Coaching-Chad Bodnar



It's been a great year for the club in many ways and I am extremely happy to be a part of it. Our teams have continued to show growth and excel in many different areas both on and off the field and our staff and board have grown significantly. I am very happy to be a part of TRSC and the positive growth and change that has taken place over the last couple of years. I would like to thank all of the coaches in the club who dedicate many hours of time to our kids and to the club. I would also like to thank our professional staff and board members who have made a commitment to continue the growth and professionalism in the Tri Cities biggest and most professional soccer club for youth. To the players we would like to thank you for all of your hard work and effort, and for the pride that has been shown in the TRSC logo. We continue to look for more training opportunities for both our coaches and players and look forward to adding new academies, leagues, and trainings available to all of our TRSC family. Thanks again for all the hard work and dedication shown by all and lets continue to make TRSC put our mark on the state of Washington for youth soccer clubs.

Three Rivers Soccer Club Accepted into Regional Club League

Three Rivers Soccer Club was officially accepted into the newly created Washington State Regional Club League. This is a very prestigious honor that required an extreme amount of effort by Three Rivers Soccer Club to accomplish. The Regional Club League consists of ONLY the Top 20 Soccer Clubs in the State of Washington. Three Rivers Soccer Club is the only Club within a 70 mile radius that can participate in the Washington State Regional Club League. The RCL is an important stepping stone to providing all Three Rivers SC players with the most competitive atmosphere in the State. Because of this extremely competitive atmosphere Three Rivers SC has now started to establish Youth Development and Academies for players within the club as well as those feeding into the club from the Tri-Cities Youth Soccer Association.



Three Rivers SC has also started Coaching Seminars that is offered to all current Three Rivers SC coaches. Also, one of the requirements to maintain status within the RCL is that all "A" team coaches must hold at least a USSF "C" license. Because of this, Three Rivers SC will once again hold a USSF "D" License and State "E" License Course at the TCYSA Complex.

Three Rivers SC participation in the RCL is already underway and many Three Rivers SC teams have been extremely successful so far. Good luck to all players competing in the RCL and Thanks to all those people that helped pave the way for the Eastside's newest RCL Club!

Licensing Courses Held at TCYSA Complex

Chad Bodnar, Three Rivers SC Director of Coaching, will once again instruct licensing courses at the TCYSA Complex. This year he will be putting on the USSF "D", State "E" and Youth "E" courses. Below is a schedule of these courses. Please sign up immediately through www.wsysa.com under "Technical Zone".

State "E" Licensing Course

May 6th – 8th

Youth "E" Licensing Course

May 20th – 22nd

USSF "D" Licensing Course

July 15th-17 & July 22nd-24th

Three Rivers Boy's Bring Home Hardware

BU17 & BU18 Represent Three Rivers SC at WA State Championship Cup



Three Rivers SC BU18 Evans were very successful in their quest to win the first Three Rivers SC State Title since 2003. They did so in dramatic fashion, beating Harbor FC in the semifinals 2-1 in a shootout and Seattle United 2-1 in the final. Coach Ray Evans was very pleased with the effort displayed during the month long tournament and is looking forward to representing Three Rivers SC at Far West Regional's in Boise, ID at the end of June.

Three Rivers SC BU17 Pardini made a valiant effort in the WA State Championship Cup but lost in the Final 3-2 to Eastside FC. They were able to make some noise in the semifinals beating the defending champs, Crossfire FC, 4-0.

Congratulations to all of the teams that participated in the Washington State Championship Cup, Challenge Cup & Founders Cup and Good Luck to those teams who have yet to compete!

Three Rivers SC Teams to "Showcase" Their Skills

Many Three Rivers SC teams will be attending College Showcase's in the upcoming months. This is a great opportunity for players to showcase their skills in front of numerous college coaches. "This is the best way to be seen by College Coaches and ultimately provides a competitive atmosphere for our older teams", said Three Rivers SC DOC Chad Bodnar. This isn't the first go around for Three Rivers SC teams attending college showcases. Many teams have attended Showcases in the last few years but only recently has Three Rivers SC had a full flux of teams attending them. Most recently Three Rivers SC had a team, BU17 Pardini, attend the San Diego Surf Cup College Showcase this past November. Also, two girl's teams, GU15 Dodson & GU16 Weber, will be traveling to Las Vegas to attend the Players Soccer Showcase at the end of March. Good luck to all Three Rivers SC teams attending upcoming Showcases!

Three Rivers SC Summer Kick-off Tournament a Success



The 2010 Three Rivers SC Summer Kick-Off was a huge success. In its first year of existence Three Rivers SC was able to put on a very competitive tournament. Doug Crandall, Tournament Director, did a fantastic job bringing in teams from all over Washington State as well as Oregon and Idaho. This year we hope to grow on the success we had last year and are currently looking for Tournament Sponsors and Volunteers.

The 2011 Three Rivers Soccer Club Summer Kick-Off will be held June 10th-12th. Please check our website for any questions.

Three Rivers SC Academy & Youth Academy



Three Rivers Soccer Club will once again put on the 3RSC Academy & 3RSC Youth Academy this summer. Instructions will be led by Three Rivers SC Director of Coaching Chad Bodnar assisted by his Technical Pro Staff Mike Pardini, Max Weber, Ray Evans, Greg Sambrano, Matt Pele, Jason Pele & Riley Dodson. This year's dates at times are listed below for both academies. Please refer to the Links listed below for more information.

http://www.3rsc.org/news_article/show/81806?referrer_id=73879

THREE RIVERS SC ACADEMY

Every Monday – Starts June 20th & Ends July 18th

(U11 Boys) @ 5:30pm-6:45pm

(U11 Girls) @ 6pm-7:15pm

Every Tuesday's – Starts June 21st & Ends July 19th

(U13&14 Boys) @ 5:30pm-6:45pm

(U13&14 Girls) @ 6pm-7:15pm

Every Wednesday – Starts June 22nd & Ends July 20th

(U12 Boys) @ 5:30pm-6:45pm

(U12 Girls) @ 5:30pm-6:45pm

(All GK's) @ 5:30pm-6:45pm

THREE RIVERS SC YOUTH ACADEMY

July 31st – AUGUST 21st (Every Sunday)

2pm-3pm

Three Rivers SC Honored on Youth Night at TC Fever Game



Three Rivers SC once again participated in a fundraiser with local Professional Indoor Football Team Tri-City Fever. Many Three Rivers SC players were in attendance at the March 12th game. Also, Three Rivers SC BU11 Seed & Henry teams showcased their skills at halftime. Three Rivers SC is very excited about the potential fundraising provided by this event and hope to grow in the future. Three Rivers SC teams participating in this year's fundraiser still have time to sell tickets for upcoming games. Please do so ASAP!

Three Rivers SC Tryouts Upcoming!!!

All players planning on playing for Three Rivers Soccer Club must attend their age specific tryout. Below is information about each upcoming tryout. Please refer to our website with any questions about Three Rivers SC tryouts. We look forward to another successful year!

<u>Date</u>	<u>Gender/Age</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Field#</u>
Sunday, March 06, 2011	BU16,17,18 (RCL)	1PM-3PM	1,2,3
Wednesday, April 27, 2011	BU11 & GU11 (RCL & District)	5:30PM-7PM	U11-2,3,4,5
Thursday, April 28, 2011	BU11 & GU11 (RCL & District)	5:30PM-7PM	U11-2,3,4,5
Monday, May 09, 2011	BU12 & GU12 (RCL & District)	5:30PM-7PM	4,5,6
Tuesday, May 10, 2011	BU13 & GU13 (RCL Only)	5PM-7PM	4,5,6
Wednesday, May 11, 2011	BU12 & GU12 (RCL & District)	5:30PM-7PM	4,5,6
Thursday, May 12, 2011	BU14 & GU14 (RCL Only)	5PM-7PM	4,5,6,7
Sunday, May 15, 2011	BU15 & GU15 (RCL Only)	1PM-3PM	2,3
Monday, May 16, 2011	BU13,14,15 (District Only)	5:30PM-7PM	5,6,7,8
Tuesday, May 17, 2011	BU16,17,18 (District Only)	5:30PM-7PM	1,2,3,4
Wednesday, May 18, 2011	GU13,14 (District Only)	5:30PM-7PM	5,6,7
Wednesday, May 25, 2011	GU16,17,18 (RCL Only)	5PM-7PM	1,2,3,4
Saturday, December 03, 2011	GU15,16,17,18 (District Only)	1PM-3PM	1,2,3

All assignments are subject to change based on field conditions and wear

Volunteers Needed!!!



Three Rivers Soccer Club is a Non-profit organization. Therefore, a lot of the success that we have is pursuant on volunteer staff. We have a lot of openings at the administration level currently. If anyone is interested in volunteering please contact Chris Mertens at Chris3rsc@gmail.com. And for all those people currently volunteering for Three Rivers Soccer Club, we sincerely Thank you!!!