

The Sideline Beacon

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Upcoming Events



Join the Celebration!

September is National Youth Soccer Month!

In September 2016, the National Youth Soccer Month campaign celebrates its fourteenth year of educating the public about the joys, rewards and benefits of playing youth soccer, and offers a variety of resources to get involved. For more information regarding Youth Soccer Month, visit [USYS's National Youth Soccer Month's Website](#). How can you get involved in North Carolina? Join us at one of the following games...



9/10 - UNC Asheville vs South Carolina

9/16 - Wake Forest vs Clemson

9/17 - UNC Greensboro vs Campbell

9/24 - Wilmington Hammerheads vs Richmond



For more information regarding each event, visit www.ncsoccer.org/youthsoccermonth

Coaches

10 Tips for Preparing for the Fall Soccer Season

US Youth Soccer Director of Coaching Sam Snow offers some advice for players, coaches and parents as the fall season approaches. See [Sam Snow's tips for the upcoming season](#).

Barriers for Safety - Coach Safety

Whether you are a professional coach or Mom or Dad coaching for the first time - you have tremendous influence. You are the face of your club and a teacher and role model for your players and their parents. We need to recognize the coach who provides fun environments and practices good Risk Management. [Read More...](#)

NC Youth Soccer Coaching Education

Look to sharpen up your coaching skills and add some new tools to your "coaching toolbox." Click to read more information from each course or to [register](#) for a course near you!

Parents

Children Should Exercise Their Bodies As Well As Their Brains

Attention parents: If you'd like to see your kids do better in school, have them close their books, set down their pencils and go outside to play. That's the latest advice from an international group of experts who studied the value of exercise in school-age kids. [Read more from Karen Kaplan's article from the Los Angeles Times](#).

Updates

NCYSA Recreation Website

www.ncysarecreation.com

Updated information on local events, recreation coaches curriculum, player development model, and more! The website is password protected for the use of NCYSA members (administration, coaches, parents). If interested in receiving the password, please contact Jane Matejcek at jane@ncsoccer.org



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