



Sporting California USA "Select Program"

Introduction

Sporting California USA is proud to introduce its "Select Program," designed to bring together the best players from all 12 of our chapters to form elite "Select Teams." This program aims to provide standout players with the opportunity to train and compete alongside other top athletes within the Sporting CA membership, which consists of 2,800 players.

Program Overview

- The Select Program will identify and invite the most talented players nominated by their program directors or scouted by the Sporting CA staff.
- Selected players will train together a handful of times throughout the year and compete in regional or national showcase events and/or leagues.
- The program will be offered to both boys and girls, with three age groups in each gender for the inaugural 2024-2025 season.
- Age groups for the 2024-2025 season:
 - 2009 (attending the Manchester, UK event)
 - 2011 (attending the Dallas Cup in Dallas, Texas)
 - 2013 (attending the Pikes Peak event in Colorado Springs, CO)

Player Responsibilities

- A player's primary responsibility will be to their primary team (the team they play with throughout the year).
- The program director and Select Team staff will work closely to avoid scheduling conflicts between the player's primary team and the 1-2 events in which the Select Team will participate.
- Players must display quality leadership, maintain perfect practice attendance with their primary teams, maintain a GPA above 3.0, and be willing to travel for training sessions in preparation for Select Team events.

Travel and Accommodations

- All players will be required to travel with the Select Team and stay in team rooms during events (no exceptions).

Program Purpose

The purpose of the Sporting California USA "Select Program" is to offer standout players the chance to play with other elite athletes within the Sporting CA membership at high-level events.

This program aims to foster player development, provide exposure to college and professional scouts, and create a competitive environment that encourages excellence both on and off the field.