

PACESETTER NEWS



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WORDS FROM OUR EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Hello Pacesetter families,

I hope this finds you well after a beautiful summer so far. Hopefully, you have all enjoyed wonderful vacations and much needed family time after another busy year. Welcome back!!

Our objective this year is to operate a unique, age-appropriate learning environment that will provide each person the opportunities and experiences needed to shine and thrive on the highest of stages through our competitive games and practice specific programs.

We are ready and equipped to have a great year. Our team has been working diligently behind the scenes to get us into a position where I'm confident you will be able to see our long-term vision of being recognized as a leading developer of soccer players at the highest level globally start to move closer to being realized. Our affiliation with Columbus Crew and Steven Gerrard Academy is only the beginning and indicative of the real relationships we now have.

Our ambition is to be a true family and community that always acts with honesty, integrity, respect and humility.

I'm excited to see each person have a wonderful year of growth and learning as they continue their own journey in a safe, secure and supportive environment at Pacesetter.

Have a wonderful month,
Matthew Mountford



[Click here for
Fall Training
Schedule](#)





2023-2024 SEASON KICK-OFF PARTY



Date: August 20th

Time: 4-8 p.m.

Location: Pacesetter Park- BC Field

Cost: \$10 per ticket (includes dinner)

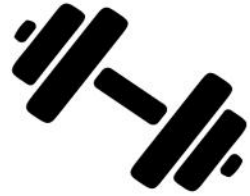
Activities:

- Dunk your Director/Coach
- Inflatables
- Soccer Tennis
- 3v3 fields
- 50/50 raffle
- and much more...

Tickets: Tickets are available for purchase now until **August 10th**. Purchase your tickets through TGS using the following code: 4581. You only need to purchase tickets through one account if you have multiple children.



TIPS FROM TAYLOR



IMPORTANCE OF STRENGTH TRAINING

- Increases muscles strength and endurance
- Reduces your risk of injury
- Improvements in motor skill performance
- Strengthens bones
- Enhanced joint function
- Improvements in mental health
- Increase range of motion and stability

ON THE FIELD BENEFITS FROM STRENGTH TRAINING

- A gain in speed and power
- Improves the initial acceleration and change-of-direction
- Increases a player's repeated sprint ability
- Delays fatigue experiences in match play
- Allows the body to withstand the demands of the game





ALPHABET SOUP

WHAT DO THESE SOCCER ACRONYMS STAND FOR?

NWOYSL

The name of this organization is the “Northwest Ohio Youth Soccer League (NWOYSL). NWOYSL is a local competitive league that contains teams from Sylvania, Perrysburg, Toledo, Wauseon, Oregon, Findlay, Lima and Swanton. Read More: www.nwoysl.org

GLA

The Great Lakes Alliance (GLA) is expanding ahead of its fifth season within the National Premier Leagues. In totality, the GLA now serves as a 10-U through 19-U regional soccer league for competitive boys and girls clubs. The 10-U through 14-U age groups begin play in the fall, with 15-U through 19-U age groups starting at the conclusion of the high school season. Read More: www.usclubsoccer.org/gla-npl/

ELITE 64 REGIONAL LEAGUE

The primary league competition features 13 regionally aligned National League Conferences that operate team-based and club-based leagues while providing a qualification pathway to the current season's USYS Regional Championships .

ECNL

Elite Clubs National League (ECNL) The ECNL is a U.S. Club-sanctioned league that was founded in 2009 with the main goal of creating the highest-level platform for youth soccer by enhancing the development and overall experience of the sport. The ECNL is a player-focused league in which they constantly find new ways to elevate standards to lead in excellence in youth soccer. Read More: www.theecnll.com

ECNL Regional League (RL) As the ECNL has continued to expand over many years, it has created a secondary platform referred to as the Regional League. It creates a bridge between levels and allows for the development of players in clubs through high-level competition. The ECNL RL is managed with the same standard of professionalism as the ECNL. Read More: www.ecnllgirls.com/ecnl-rl/





TECHNICAL TIPS FROM VDM

As we get ready to start our 2023-24 season, all of our players should be challenging themselves to get in at least 20-30 minutes or more of individual practice on the ball as often as possible.

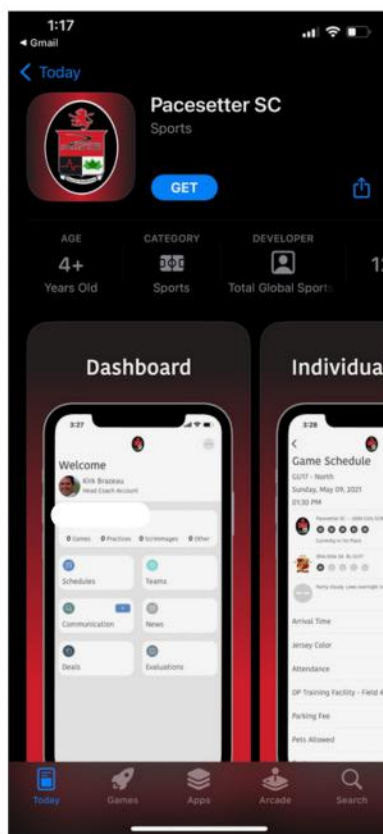
Mastering the ball and becoming comfortable with all surfaces takes practice and pride in what you do!

Juggling, dribbling, wall work and skill work are all simple yet effective ways to improve on your own.

The players that dedicate themselves to improving and challenging themselves never regret it! The players that don't dedicate themselves to improving always regret it!

COMMUNICATION

We are excited to release our new TGS Pacesetter App. This app will replace Team Snap that we previously used. This app will have similar functions to Team Snap like scheduling, communications, emailing, etc. Please head on over to the app store to download.



Android

Download the App Now



iOS

Download the App Now

THE BIG 5

SIDELINE EXPECTATIONS FOR EVERY PACESETTER PARENT & SUPPORTER:

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Support
every player on the team
- 

Speak positively
about the coaches, even if you do not agree
- 

Encourage
working through struggles
- 

Ask questions
instead of giving opinions
- 

Be a positive influence
at games



RENT KEY BANK FIELDHOUSE INDOOR FACILITY

Key Bank Fieldhouse Indoor Facility is open for rentals. Have an upcoming birthday party? Want to rent an hour to play some adult soccer? The possibilities are endless. Contact Jared Lyle at pacesetterlyle@gmail.com for more information.



NEWSLETTER CONTENT

As we continue to create the monthly newsletters to keep you up to date on important information and share what has been happening within the club we need your help. If you have images or content you would like to see added please email them to Emily Glick at pacesetterglick@gmail.com OR submit them to our [DropBox](#) link.

NEXT SESSION OF ACADEMY

AUG. & SEPT. SESSION

Our focus in the Academy is to educate young soccer players on proper technique while building a strong foundation of soccer skills. We emphasize creating a fun atmosphere filled with soccer-related games involved in each session.

Players 3 to 8 years of age are eligible to register.

Jr. Academy

Wed 12:00-12:50 p.m.
 Start Date: Wed., Aug 16th
 End Date: Wed., Sept 27th
 Cost: \$60

REGISTRATION TGS CODE: 4717

Academy

Mon 5:00-5:50 p.m.
 Sat 9:00-9:50 a.m.
 Start Date: Mon., August 14th
 End date: Sat., Sept 30th
 *No Academy on Sept. 2nd or 4th
 Cost: \$80

REGISTRATION TGS CODE: 4717





BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The purpose of the board of directors is to create and review a statement of mission and purpose that articulates the club's goals, means and primary constituents served. Further, the board is responsible for selecting, supporting and evaluating key personnel of the club. The board must ensure effective planning to be able to ensure adequate financial resources for the club to fulfill its mission. The board must protect the assets of the club and provide proper financial oversight that includes annual budgeting and ensuring that proper financial controls are in place.

Additionally, the board has the responsibility to build a competent board, articulate prerequisites for candidates, orient new members and periodically and comprehensively evaluate their own performance.

Finally, the board is charged to ensure legal and ethical integrity and to enhance the club's public standing.

We would like to thank Andy Dempster for his years of serving on the board. We wish him the best on his next journey.

We could like to welcome Kevin Milks as a new voting member of the board.

KEVIN MILKS

BA Chemistry
MBA, Human Resources
Master of Project Management

Market Manager, Polymers, Battery and Special Applications - Orion SA

Kevin has spent his entire career in the chemicals field. Starting as a lab tech, Kevin consistently worked his way up and became a senior chemist. One of his notable achievements as a chemist included having his concrete coatings formulation sold in Home Depot stores under the Seal Krete brand. After 14 years, Kevin left the bench and began working in the field with experiences including technical services and sales. He is currently the market manager for the Americas with responsibility for polymers, battery and special applications markets.

Kevin and his wife Colleen live in Sylvania with their two boys, Noah and Nick. Nick is a member of the 2011 boys red team and Colleen serves as their team manager. Kevin, after speaking with board president Bob Lutz, found that his background could be a solid addition to the Pacesetter Soccer Club board of directors. Kevin serves on the coaching committee as well as the admin committee. Kevin's also has served on the executive board of the local council of the Boy Scouts of America.

ANDY DEMPSTER

Pacesetter Soccer Club would like to thank Andy Dempster for his immeasurable contributions to the program for over 20 years. Andy has served the community in all aspects and continues to be a well-respected and valued member of the club. We wish Andy all the very best with his well-earned retirement and look forward to still seeing him kicking a ball around from time to time.



GOLD ATHLETICS FUNDRAISER

Dear Pacesetter Soccer Club Families,

I hope this letter finds you excited for the upcoming soccer season! As a proud member of the Pacesetter staff, it brings me immense joy to see our soccer community thrive with talented young players and dedicated coaches. Our club's success is a testament to the incredible support we receive from families like yours, and we are now excited to embark on a special fundraising initiative that will elevate our club to even greater heights!

Starting the week of August 14th, we will be kicking off our fundraiser, and I wanted to take this opportunity to make you aware of this upcoming event. The primary objective of this fundraiser is to raise funds for crucial facility upgrades and enhancements that will benefit each and every member of the Pacesetter Soccer Club. These improvements will be instrumental in providing an even better experience for our young athletes, ensuring they have access to top-notch facilities, scholarship opportunities, and training from coaches that are sharpening their skills at coaching clinics.

Our main focus will be on upgrading our facility with our new branding, which will foster a stronger sense of pride and belonging among our members. The funds raised will also enable us to expand scholarship opportunities. Furthermore, with enhanced coaching clinics, we aim to continuously raise the bar of excellence in our training programs, providing unparalleled coaching to our young athletes.

To achieve our goals, we are calling upon the collective strength of our Pacesetter families. Participation in this fundraiser is both straightforward and rewarding. All it takes is a few minutes to sign up on the Gold Athletics App. Once you're signed up, you'll have the opportunity to share the digital Pacesetter Soccer Club card with family, friends, and colleagues, which is packed with incredible deals from businesses across our community.

The Gold Athletics App makes it incredibly easy to reach out to potential supporters through text messages and social media. By sharing the card and encouraging others to download it, we can collectively drive support for our beloved soccer community while benefiting from fantastic deals at various local establishments.

We understand that the true strength of Pacesetter lies in the unity and support of our community. With your active participation in this fundraiser, we can secure the necessary funds to uplift our club and provide our young players with an even better environment to grow and flourish.

Keep an eye on your inbox during the week of August 14th, as we will be sending out detailed instructions on how to sign up and participate in the fundraiser. Your dedication and enthusiasm are invaluable, and we sincerely appreciate your involvement in making our vision a reality.

Thank you for your time, and I look forward to the success of this fundraising campaign with your support. Together, we will take Pacesetter Soccer Club to new heights!

Best regards,

Emily Glick
Director of Special Events





TEAM AND INDIVIDUAL PICTURES

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26TH

11:00 - Boys 2014 Red
11:30 - Boys 2014 Black
12:00 - Boys 2014 White
12:30 - Boys 2013 Black
1:00 - Boys 2013 Black
1:30 - Boys 2012 Red
2:15 - Boys 2012 Black
3:00 - Boys 2011 Red
3:45 - Boys 2011 Black
4:30 - Boys 2010 Red

MONDAY, AUGUST 28TH

4:40 - Girls 2016 Pulse
5:00 - Girls 2016 Pacer
5:20 - Girls 2016 Pride
5:40 - Boys 2016 Pulse
6:00 - Boys 2016 Pacer
6:20 - Boys 2016 Pride
6:40 - Boys 2016 Pressure

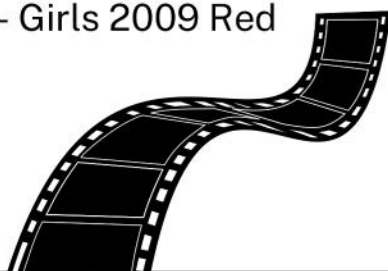
SUNDAY, AUGUST 27TH

9:00 - Girls 17/18 Pulse
9:30 - Boys 17/18 Pulse
10:00 - Boys 17/18 Pacer
10:30 - Boys 2015 Red
11:00 - Boys 2015 Black
11:30 - Boys 2015 White
12:00 - Girls 2015 Red
12:30 - Girls 2014 Red
1:00 - Girls 2014 Black
1:30 - Girls 14/15 White
2:00 - Girls 2013 Red
2:45 - Girls 2012 Red
3:30 - Girls 2011 Red
4:15 - Girls 2010 Red
5:00 - Girls 2009 Red



KEY DETAILS

- Arrive 10-15 minutes before your scheduled timeslot at KeyBank Fieldhouse (5400 West Central Ave)
- Wear BLACK uniforms unless you only have a RED option for younger teams
- After pictures, you will receive an email from the photographer with access to your player's gallery with individual prints and packages (check spam)
- Questions? Contact Emily Glick at pacesetterglick@gmail.com





THANK YOU TO OUR PSI 2023 SPONSORS





PSI 2024 SPONSOR FORM

Advertisement Information

Company: _____

Contact: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO:

THE PACESETTER SOCCER CLUB

5400 WEST CENTRAL AVE., TOLEDO, OH 43615

For Tax ID information & Artwork files, please email: pacesetterglick@gmail.com

OFFICE USE ONLY

Date received: _____

Artwork received: _____

Approved: _____

Printed: _____

Staff initials: _____



Platinum - \$5000 or more

- Corporate banners displayed at the park during the event (Banner must be provided by sponsor)
- Corporate banners displayed at KeyBank Field House
- Onsite display options (*must be approved)
- Logo on tournament apparel
- Field sponsor for 3 fields
- PSI and PSC website ad with a link for 1 year
- Recognition on club social media sites

Gold - \$2500

- Corporate banners displayed at the park during the event (Banner must be provided by sponsor)
- Field sponsor for 2 fields
- PSI website ad with a link for 1 year
- PSI mobile app ad for 1 year
- Recognition on club social media sites

Silver - \$1000

- Corporate banner displayed at the park during the event (Banner must be provided by sponsor)
- PSI website ad with a link through the event
- Mobile app ad through the event
- Golf Cart Sponsor for 1 cart Additional

Other Advertising Opportunities

- Field Sponsor (27 available) - **\$150.00**
- Golf Cart Sign (10-12 available)- **\$100.00**

Questions? Contact Emily Glick at pacesetterglick@gmail.com or 419-708-9248.





PSI 2024 FOOD SPONSOR FORM

Advertisement Information

Company: _____

Contact: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

For Tax ID information & Artwork files, please email: eglick@pacesettersoccer.net

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The Pacesetter Soccer Club is requesting your support for our largest event, The Pacesetter Soccer Invitational Tournament (PSI). On May 26th-29th, our club will host over 200 teams, approximately 3,000 participants and 10,000 unique visitors to our community and come from Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, New York, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, West Virginia, and Canada. The economic impact of this event in previous years was over \$4.2 million to area businesses. This will be our 20th anniversary hosting the Pacesetter Soccer Invitational over the 3-day weekend. We are looking forward to highlighting you as a supporting business

Food Sponsorship Package

- Corporate banner displayed at the park during the event (Banner must be provided by sponsor)
- Logo displayed on the website for a year
- Places to Eat link on Visiting Teams tab on the PSI website
- Logo displayed on our sponsorship page in the monthly newsletter
- Promoted on our social media platforms throughout the season
- Field Sponsor for 1 Field

What is Needed

- Donations for approximately 125 people (coaches, volunteers, and referees)



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