



# Understanding Weymouth Youth Soccer

Recreation (Rec) | Travel Soccer (Travel) | Weymouth United Futbol Club (WUFC)

# Weymouth Youth Soccer Divisions

- Weymouth Youth Soccer (WYS) is the parent organization that covers 3 different divisions:
  - Weymouth Recreation (Rec)
  - Weymouth Travel Soccer (Travel)
  - Weymouth United Futbol Club (WUFC)
- Each of these divisions serve a purpose, and are meant to complement each other not compete with one another.



# Weymouth Recreation Soccer (Rec)

- In town program – all games and practices take place in Weymouth
- Open registration – anyone who wants to play can play. No skill level is necessary.
- Players can start as early as age 4 in the kickers program
- League play up through high school
- Separate Fall & Spring Leagues
- Volunteer Coaches & Balanced Teams
- Kids compete against friends and classmates
- Play soccer in a fun environment
- Lowest cost & commitment level
- 8 week season, one weekly practice and one weekly game.



# Weymouth Travel Soccer (Travel)

- A step up in competition from recreation soccer
- Not open enrollment. Try outs are held. Not all players will make a team.
- Made up of Weymouth Players competing in the [South Shore Soccer League](#)
- More expensive as compared to recreation soccer
- Full year Program (Fall, Winter, Spring)
  - Winter indoor trainings and Winter indoor league play
- Skilled volunteer coaches



# Weymouth Travel Soccer (Travel)

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- Weekly age group skills session
- Weekly team practice
- Weekly game (Saturday)
- Starts at 8 & 9 years old
- Player spends two years within age group (u10, u12, u14, u16, u18)
- Often several teams per age group separated by skills (A,B,C,D)
- Purpose of the program: To compete as a town at a higher level and have the kids have a great time playing and competing. Player skill development is a priority and focus.



# Weymouth United Futbol Club (WUFC)

- Weymouth's highest level soccer program
- Competitive program with a focus on player development
- Brings professional top level coaching at more affordable pricing to Weymouth
- The program has two parts to it; Academy Teams and our Training Academy
- The more advanced players will make a team.
- Some players not making a team will be offered a spot in the training academy.
- Not all players will make a team or be offered a spot in the training academy.



# Weymouth United Futbol Club (WUFC) – Academy Teams

- U8 - U15 teams, created based on the number of quality players at tryouts
- Teams move in one year increments based on birth year.
- Higher cost program compared to Travel Soccer, but much cheaper than other Club Programs. WUFC is a true non-profit.
- Weekly team practices (2)
- Weekly game (Sunday)
- Full year Program (Fall, Winter, Spring)
  - Winter indoor trainings and Winter indoor league play
- Higher level of commitment expected from our players and families. This is a requirement from a club program.



# Weymouth United Futbol Club (WUFC) – Training Academy

- The WUFC training academy offers professional level coaching at affordable prices to players and get them ready to be part of an Academy Club Team.
- The majority of players will only train with the training academy. Opportunities may exist to train with the Club team or play with the club team as alternate
- The training academy is broken up into 3 parts (Fall, Winter and Spring).
  - There are 2 practices per week for an 8 week period each season.
  - Players can sign up for the full year academy or choose to just do the parts they want.
- Past years saw a 5-7 year old and an 8-10 year old training academy programs.





# Other Weymouth Soccer Opportunities

- **Weymouth Youth Soccer Summer League**
  - Have fun and play the game with very little to no external pressures
  - No standings and no playoffs
  - Volunteer coaches will be there to keep order and substitute players
  - All division will be co-ed and rules will be in place to ensure a certain number of players from each gender are on the field at the same time.
  - **Registration will open at the end of the Spring Rec Season.!** Limited availability.
  - All games to be played on the Legion or Lovell Field turf
  - Players will receive a game shirt as part of their registration
  - Age Groups –U8s / U10s / U12s
  - 7 game schedule –no practices. 2 x 25 min halves.



# Contacts

- Each of our organizations has their own director. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact them. You can also contact the director of coaching and player development for the entire organization.
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