

# OFF THE PITCH



BSA CELTIC SOCCER CLUB

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## PRESIDENT'S PERSPECTIVE

By Matt Cosler

The Celtic Organization would like to wish all of the Celtic players the best of luck this upcoming fall season. Always remember, when you put on that Celtic jersey, you are not only representing your team but the whole club.

I would also like to thank the players and parents who participated in the Fourth of July parade with me. We had approximately 30 kids walk the parade route. The kids had a good time handing (not throwing) out the bubble gum! Hopefully we can continue and build on this tradition in the future.

## COACH'S CORNER

By Mike Tracy

We would like to welcome all the new Head Coaches to the boys' side for the 2015-2016 season.

Tom Pool	U8 Blue & U9 Blue
Greg Schindler	U8 Green
Jeff Limberg	U9 White
Rob Partin	U9 Red
Kirk Greene	U9 Green II
Chris Hopkins	U10 White & U10 Blue
Brandon Butler	U10 Red
Dan Griest	U11 White
Tom McHugh	U12 Red

BSA Celtic is excited to have these talented coaches join our soccer club.

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By Jeff Popp

The BSA Celtic Soccer Club would like to welcome the new additions to the girls' coaching staff.

Greg Schinder	01 Girls Green
Ed Willoughby	02 Girls White & 03 Girls Blue
Abby Pearson	02 Girls Red
Sara Gross	04 Girls White
Tony Peh	05 Girls Blue
Jeff Hubbard	05 Girls Red
Rob Leach	06 Girls Red
Neal Wamsley	07 Girls White
Michelle Rick	07 Girls Blue
Lauren Burling	07 Girls Red

We are looking forward to an exciting fall season with these new staff members. Their youth, energy and knowledge will create a competitive and challenging environment for our young players. It's an exciting time for the BSA Celts, as our program continues to grow and develop. Good luck to all the teams this fall, and no matter what, HAVE FUN! See you soon!

## Ankeney Complex Notes

By John Ankeney

With the season starting, Celtic coaches, players and parents are reminded that, when possible, all practices and training sessions should take place on the training fields. This helps protect the game fields and keeps them in the best condition possible. Additionally, when conducting practice, please do not run repetitive drills inside the penalty box, as these areas are the first to break down and become damaged during the season. This fall, some of the Ankeney Complex roadways may be closed for repaving operations. The specific dates and times have not been finalized, but please be aware of this possibility. Apologies for any inconvenience this may cause as you make your way through the soccer complex this season. Everyone should be reminded that, throughout the season, the weather can be stormy. If lightning is seen or thunder is heard, the fields must be cleared for thirty minutes. The 30 minute waiting period restarts at the time of the most recent sighting of lightning or sound of thunder, so delays could increase as the storm moves through. Kids should be in a vehicle or building



during this time. Lightning is something that must be taken seriously and respected. No one wants to see players, parents or coaches injured in what would be a life changing event. Your safety is our primary concern!

## Upcoming Events



### Picture Days

August 24<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> and August 29<sup>th</sup>

Coaches or Administrators please contact:  
Matt Cosler at [mcosler@bsaceltic.com](mailto:mcosler@bsaceltic.com)  
to schedule your date and time.



### Ball Girls/Ball Boys

In accordance with GWOC rules, the Beaver Creek High School soccer teams must make Ball Boys/Ball Girls available for every JV and Varsity home game. As in past years, the Celtic Club will schedule these Ball Boys/Ball Girls.

Coaches and Administrators, less than half of the games have assigned ball girls/boys at this time. So, if you have not already done so, please contact:

Matt Cosler at [mcosler@bsaceltic.com](mailto:mcosler@bsaceltic.com)

to sign up for a game that that accommodates your team's schedule. (see p. 6 for available games)  
Remember:

- Celtic ballgirls/ballboys receive free admission.
- Teams should arrive at the stadium 15 minutes before game time.
- 8 players are needed to cover two slots on all four sides of the field.
- Players should wear gym shoes and a Celtic shirt.

## Upcoming Events

### AUGUST

August 1 – Half of total fees due date (less deposit)

August 2 – August Board Meeting, Phillips Meeting Room, 7pm

### SEPTEMBER

Sept 11 – Celtic Juniors begins

Sept 13 – Annual General Meeting, Ankeney Shelter (time tba)

(all parents welcome to attend and vote)

Sept 23 – BSA Night, Beaver Creek High School Girls. 7pm vs. Centerville. Players receive free admission by wearing their Celtic jerseys. This game will be televised by TWC, so fill the stands!

### OCTOBER

Oct 16-18 – The Haunted Classic

# Other News

## Celtic Juniors

The 2015/2016 Celtic Juniors Program will begin Friday, September 11<sup>th</sup>. This program consists of 6 one-hour sessions.

6 and 7 year olds

Fridays 5:00pm-6:00pm

8 and 9 year olds & Super 7's

Fridays 6:00pm-7:00pm

Cost: \$50

Register: Blue Sombrero

Location: Meet at Concession Stand

Celtic Juniors targets young players who are not yet participating in the BSA Celtic Soccer Club. This program focuses on FUN, TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENT and SPORTSMANSHIP. FUN comes first, because when children enjoy soccer, learning takes care of itself.

TECHNICAL DEVELOPMENT is vital, for without basic skills, players are limited in their athletic expression and their enjoyment of soccer is reduced. The Celtic Juniors aims to instill a solid technical base in each player. Soccer is a team sport, so it is crucial for players to absorb the basic elements of SPORTSMANSHIP, which includes teamwork, cooperation, and positive competition. Even if a player does not continue with soccer, these elements will serve them well in school, work, and life.

# Team Success



## ODP

Congratulations to our Celtic players who made the Olympic Development Program's State Team and made the journey to Regional Camp.

### 2003 Age Group-Boys

- Andrew Ackerson U13 White
- Blake Bartley U12 White
- Mitchell Cosler U12 White
- Pierson Davis U12 White
- Logan Downey U13Blue
- Brandon Gibson U13 Blue
- Gavin Marshall U13 White
- Kellan Minch U13 White
- Ethan Picard U12 White
- John Ruetschle U12 White
- Brady Vilvens U13 White

### 2002 Age Group-Boys

- Conner Bailey U13 White
- Brandon Osterholt U13 White
- Conner Osterholt U13 White

### Girls

- Megan Smith U12 White
- Ava Behr U14 White
- Dian Benigno U14 White
- Morgan Currier U14 White
- Chloe Spitler U14 White

### 2001 Age Group-Boys

- Alec West U14 White
- Jack Towers U14 White
- Mitchell Manzardo U14 White

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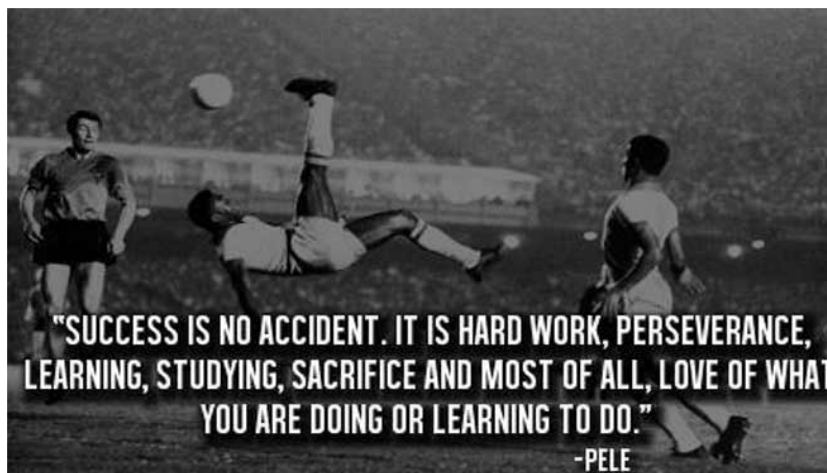
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### LEAGUE WEBSITES

Miami Valley Youth Soccer Association	MVYSA	mvysa.com
Buckeye Premiere Youth Soccer League	BPYSL	buckeyepremierweb.com
Midwest Regional League	MRL	midwestregionalleague.com

### OTHER USEFUL WEBSITES

Olympic Development Program	ODP	osysa.com/odp/
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**Be sure to attend the Celtic General Meeting on Sunday, September 13<sup>th</sup> (time tba) at the Ankeney Shelter and vote for the following board positions:**

President

Secretary

At Large

Current nominees are:

President- Matt Cosler

Secretary- Terry Brennan

At Large- Steve Popp and Bill Ryan

These positions are two year terms beginning in Sept 2015 ending Aug 2017.

**2015 Celtics Fall Training Schedule**  
**Training begins the week of Monday, August 17**  
**Training ends the week of Monday, October 19**

<b>MONDAY</b>					
	<b>Bryan Dortch</b>	<b>Mike Tracy</b>	<b>Tom Pool</b>	<b>Anthony Smerk</b>	<b>Corey Whisenhunt</b>
			<b>Keenan Mikal</b>	<b>Jeff Popp (5:30-6:30)</b>	
	Field 1	Field 2	Field 3	Field 4	Field 5
<b>5:30-6:30</b>	8 Boys White & Blue	9 Boys White & Blue	9 Boys Red & Green I & II	U10 Girls White & Blue	12-14 Girls Gks
<b>6:30-7:30</b>	8 Boys Red & Green	10 Boys White & Blue	10 Boys Red & Green	U14 Girls White	12-14 Boys Gks
<b>TUESDAY</b>					
	<b>Amy Miller</b>	<b>Mike Tracy</b>	<b>Tom Pool</b>	<b>Michelle Rick</b>	<b>Corey Whisenhunt</b>
	<b>Jeff Popp</b>			<b>Dortch (5:30-6:30)</b>	
	Field 1	Field 2	Field 3	Field 4	Field 5
<b>5:30-6:30</b>	U13 Girls White	U13 Boys White	U13 Boys Blue	U13 Girls Blue	9-11 Girls Gks
<b>6:30-7:30</b>	U9 Girls White & Blue	U12 Boys White	U13 Boys Red	U14 Girls Blue	9-11 Boys Gks
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>					
	<b>Bryan Dortch</b>	<b>Keenan Mikal</b>	<b>Anthony Smerk</b>	<b>Michelle Rick</b>	<b>Corey Whisenhunt</b>
	<b>Sara Gross</b>				
	Field 1	Field 2	Field 3	Field 4	Field 5
<b>5:30-6:30</b>	U8 Girls White & Blue	U11 Boys White & Blue	U12 Girls Green	U11 Girls White & Blue	12-14 Girls Gks
<b>6:30-7:30</b>	U8 Girls Red & U9 Girls Red	U11 Boys Red	U13 Girls Red	U10 Girls Red & U11 Girls Red	12-14 Boys Gks
<b>THURSDAY</b>					
	<b>Anthony Smerk</b>	<b>Jeff Popp</b>	<b>Dortch (5:30-6:30)</b>	<b>Michelle Rick</b>	<b>Corey Whisenhunt</b>
		<b>Sara Gross</b>	<b>Galemayehu</b>		
	Field 1	Field 2	Field 3	Field 4	Field 5
<b>5:30-6:30</b>	U12 Boys Blue	U12 Girls White	U14 Boys White	U12 Girls Red	9-11 Girls Gks
<b>6:30-7:30</b>	U12 Boys Red	U12 Girls Blue	U14 Boys Blue	U14 Boys Red	9-11 Boys Gks

Please remember:

- 1) Club Training is mandatory
- 2) Contact Mike Tracy directly for any cancellations
- 3) Please make sure your GKs get to as many sessions as possible
- 4) Have teams arrive 15 minutes early to warm up on their own
- 5) Team Coach's presence is preferred

**Beavercreek Men's Soccer****2015 Home Schedule**

Opponent: Xenia

Varsity-Monday 8/24/15 @7:30 PM\_U12 White and Blue Team Boys TACKIS

Opponent: Lebanon

JV-Tuesday 9/1/15 @5:30 PM\_\_\_\_\_

Varsity-Tuesday 9/1/15 @7:00 PM\_U8 Boys White CAMPBELL

Opponent: Bellbrook

JV-Saturday 9/5/15 @3:30 PM\_\_\_\_\_

Varsity-Saturday 9/5/15 @ 5:00 PM\_\_\_\_\_

Opponent: Wayne

JV-Tuesday 9/15/15 @5:30 PM\_\_\_\_\_

Varsity-Tuesday 9/15/15 @7:00 PM\_ U9 White Boys Team LIMBERG

Opponent: Wayne

JV-Tuesday 9/15/15 @5:30 PM\_\_\_\_\_

Opponent: Westerville N

JV-Saturday 9/19/15 @1:00 PM\_\_\_\_\_

Varsity-Saturday 9/19/15 @2:30 PM\_\_\_\_\_

Opponents: St. Charles

JV-Saturday 9/26/15 @3:30 PM\_\_\_\_\_

Varsity-Saturday 9/26/15 @5:00 PM\_\_U10 BoysGreen and U13 Boys Red KUBA

Opponent: Springfield

JV-Tuesday 10/6/15 @5:30 PM\_\_\_\_\_

Varsity-Tuesday 10/6/15 (BSA Night) @7:00 PM\_U14 Boys Whites JONES

Opponent: Walnut Hills

JV-Saturday 10/17/15 @3:30 PM\_\_\_\_\_

Varsity-Saturday 10/17/15 (Sr Night) @5:00 PM\_\_\_\_\_

**Beavercreek Women's Soccer****2015 Home Schedule**

Monday, August 24

Opponent: Xenia- Varsity Only

Var 5:30 pm\_\_U10 Red Girls HUBBARD

Monday, August 31

Opponent: Carroll

JV 5:30 pm\_\_U11Girls Red ALBERT

Var 7:00 pm\_\_U14Girls White THOMA

Saturday, September 12

Opponent: Fairborn

JV 10:00 am\_\_\_\_\_

Var 11:30 am\_\_\_\_\_

Monday, September 21

Opponent: Springboro

JV 5:30 pm\_U9 Girls Red/Blue LEACH

Var 7:00 pm\_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, September 23

Opponent: Centerville

JV 5:30 pm\_\_U10 Girls White DORTCH

Var 7:00 pm\_\_ U14 Blue Girls MORAN

Wednesday, September 30

Opponent: Northmont

JV 5:30 pm\_\_\_\_\_

Var 7:00 pm\_\_U13 Girls Blue WHILDING

Saturday, October 3

Opponent: Pickerington North

JV 12:00 pm\_\_\_\_\_

Var 1:30 pm\_\_\_\_\_

Monday, October 5

Opponent: Troy

JV 5:30 pm\_\_\_\_\_

Var 7:00 pm\_\_\_\_\_

Wednesday, October 14

Opponent: Fairmont (Senior Night)

JV 5:30 pm\_\_\_\_\_

Var 7:00 pm\_\_\_\_\_