

Hartford United Soccer Club Newsletter

June 2024





June 10th & 11th Tryouts U11-U15 boys June 11th Academy Night U7-U10 Boys & Girls June 12th & 13th Trvouts U11-U15 Girls June 17th & 18th Tryouts U16-U19 Boys & Girls June 30th - July 13th Uncle Larry's Car Wash Community Fundraiser August 23rd - 25th Kick Some Grass Tournament

U11 - U19 Tryouts

DON'T WAIT! Registration for the 2024/2025 tryouts is now open! Click here for more information. Must be registered prior to tryouts or a late fee is applied!

Academy Night & Registration

Registration is open for our Academy Program (U7-U10)! Know someone that would love to see what HUSC is about?! Invite them to Academy Night! All new and returning players are encouraged to attend. Click here to register. Questions? Email tl.dob.husc@gmail.com



Hartford United Soccer Club invites U7-U10 girls and boys to learn more about our program at Academy Night!



Tuesday June 11, 2024 Check in 4:45pm Field session 5-6pm *Per US Soccer Federation, at Independence Park 633 East Monroe Ave, Hartford

there are no tryouts at the Academy level.

REGISTER FOR THE 2024/25 SEASON at hartfordunitedsoccerclub.com



Player Referral Program

Know a child that you think would love to play soccer with us?! HUSC offers a Player Referral Bonus! You will have an opportunity to earn some money while helping the club continue to grow!



Plavmetrics

Please make sure that once you are finished creating your family profile and player profile you then take the second step to register them for either tryouts or the academy program (based on their birth year). To learn more on how to complete registration click here.

Camps and Clinics

Always look to improve!

Check out the list of available Academy, Competitive and ID Camps throughout Wisconsin and College surrounding states. All of which are being run by college coaches and above. Click here for more information.

Slogan T-Shirts

Slogan T-shirts will be available during check-in times for Tryouts and Academy Night! Only \$12 Youth XS - Adult XL Add \$2 for XXL Trained.Determined.United.



Juggle-A-Thon Congratulations to the Visa Gift Card Winners!

> \$100 (Asher D from U10 Boys) \$50 (Jordan K from U14/15 Girls)

And congratulations to the U13's Boys for raising the most in donations! They will get to enjoy a team pizza party!

Thanapon S. on the U16/17's Boys Black had the highest number of juggles at an astounding 268!

We had an overall club participation of 43%. Unfortunately, that was less than last year, although we raised more! Can you imagine if we had even more players participating?!! These funds will go towards field maintenance, field repairs, nets and paint.

Thank you to all that helped fundraise! The kids really enjoyed testing their skills and competing against their teammates!

<u>Community Fundraising Event</u> Uncle Larry's Car Wash - Hwy 60, Hartford Located behind Goeman's RapidMart.

Need a car wash?! Look no further! Starting June 30th -July 13th Uncle Larry's will donate 25% of all the sales that select our logo before checkout! Share out to family, friends and surrounding communities! Super easy way to support the Club! How it works:

- 1. Stop by Uncle Larry's Car Wash
- 2. Select your wash
- 3. Go to the "A La Carte/Add on" screen
- 4. Select Hartford United SC logo
- 5. For members or passes, tell them when you get in the bay that you would like to have your wash go towards Hartford United SC

Thank you Uncle Larry's Car Wash for your support!!

Volunteer Opportunities

Tryouts/Academy Night

Help check in players as they arrive.

6/10 5pm-6pm	3 slots available
6/11 4:30pm-6pm	3 slots available
6/12 5pm-6pm	3 slots available
6/13 5pm-6pm	3 slots available
6/17 5pm-6pm	3 slots available
6/18 5pm-6pm	3 slots available
Sign Up <u>Here</u>	

Kick Some Grass Annual Tournament

Mark your calendars! This is the easiest and fastest way to get your volunteer hours in! Volunteers help make KSG a truly special experience! Here is a brief listing of positions that will be available.

Concessions Lead - help organize, set up/take down concessions daily, and check in concession volunteers. This position works in conjunction with the Concessions Coordinator and Tournament Director and will fulfill your volunteer hours. Contact <u>execboard.husc@gmail.com</u> with interest or questions.

Week up to/Weekend volunteer positions

Set Up - Help get things ready for the day - set up signs/flags, water jugs on every field, monitoring garbage cans etc..

Field Prep/Painting - occurs and this leads up to the night before tournament start (weather dependent), put up field nets.

Parking Lot Attendants - collect monies as cars arrive, help advise field locations

Field Marshall - This position always has the most need and is the easiest to do! Check in teams on fields, stay to watch the game and turn in final scores.

Runners - Bring scorecards in from Field Marshals and help where needed

Concessions - Ring up customers, serve & restock food **Grillers** - Grill meats throughout day

Clean Up - Close up trash at end of day and take down flags, general clean up in concession area

Yard Sign Return

If you picked up a yard sign, you can return it during Tryout check in or Academy Night check-in.

Volunteer Hours Submittal

Last call for submittal of volunteer hours! You have until 6/23/24. Members are responsible for submitting all hours including those from the 2023 KSG tournament. Click here for submittal form Questions? Email volunteer.husc@gmail.com

<u>Coach's Corner</u>

Coaching is very fulfilling – teaching technical skills, building tactical awareness, the strong emphasis on character, competition, the laughs, struggles, leadership mentoring, tears, smiles, hugs, life lessons, and words shared inside that circle - that only players and coaches share... That's the really good stuff.

What I've learned this year is to enjoy and appreciate our coaches that were once HUSC players. The fact that they choose to return to invest in the next generation of players is truly remarkable. The positive energy that Dom C., Taylor L., Keegan B., Nolan W. and Collin J., put into Hartford United SC players and teams is a testament to a healthy culture -- a family.

-Jim Schrot | Director of Coaching