



TRYOUT MEMO

Dear Parents,

We understand that tryout time is a very difficult, confusing, and stressful time of the season for all involved. We recommend that families gather as much relevant information about their potential club choice during the tryout process so that commitments to the club will be honored, as we will be prepared to make a commitment to you if selected. We realize not every player or parent will be happy with the outcome of tryouts, but we do ask that each parent and player respect the process and ultimately the outcome. The coaching staff is sensitive to these stresses and will do their best to handle each player and parent with care, compassion and respect. But the arena of competitive youth soccer and sports in general is such as life. Everyone must try to understand and appreciate the tryout process and work with the competition that exists both from without and from within.

Our coaching staff will make return telephone calls to all players seeking a spot of a team within 2 days after our last tryout date for that age group. Some players will be contacted earlier, even while tryouts are still being held, while others won't be contacted until later. But everyone will be contacted no later than the promised deadline.

We have many decisions to make, many calls to place and many conversations to have. Throughout the process we will respect everyone's effort demonstrated by participation in our tryout process. Please don't worry if one player receives an early call while your call hasn't come yet. Rest assured, we will work through our decisions and make the final selections and calls as promptly as possible.

We also request that parents stay off the grass fields during the course of the tryouts, as we would like to conduct these sessions in a player-friendly environment.

Thank you for your consideration and your interest in Albion Soccer Club.

Sincerely,

Noah Gins,
Technical Director