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WHY SHOULD I CHOOSE LOBOS RUSH?

Since 1992 Lobos Rush provides youth players with advanced, structured soccer experience. No other local club can match Lobos Rush's history of success at state championships, along with annual appearances at regional and national tournaments.

We are part of Rush Soccer, the largest professional youth soccer organization in the country. Our players have opportunities to play on regional and national teams that participate in some of the country's largest tournaments and travel internationally.

Lobos Rush teams participate in the U.S. Youth Soccer Mid South Conference, one of 13 conferences under the U.S. Youth Soccer Leagues Program in the multi-state tier. The Mid South Conference consists of teams primarily from Alabama, Arkansas, Mississippi, Louisiana, and Tennessee. The top teams in the conference will advance to the U.S. Youth Soccer Regional Championships, part of the U.S. Youth Soccer National Championship Series.

Since the 2020-21 seasonal year, all Mid South Conference teams have access to the new National League Showcase Series, providing more opportunities for teams to compete within a national platform against other similarly performing teams from other conferences.

WHAT IS THE PLAYERS' AGE RANGE?

Lobos Rush is one of the largest youth soccer clubs in the tri-state region offering teams in all ages from U8-U19, in other words, ages 7 - 19.

Whether you have a young child interested in soccer who has never played or a player who has played for a local recreational team or a player who is more experienced at the competitive level, we invite all play levels players to join Lobos Rush!

WHO ARE LOBOS RUSH COACHES?

Lobos Rush coaching staff consists of a diverse group of soccer professionals with an extensive background in club, high school, college, and professional soccer. Unrivaled in size and quality, our coaches are overseen by full-time coaching directors and augmented by our network of active college coaches.

Head coaches and training staff are certified by the U.S. Soccer Federation and the United Soccer Coaches organization (USC).

WHAT IS LOBOS RUSH COACHING STYLE?

Our teams are professionally coached and follow the "Rush Way" of player development, ensuring that players develop on a schedule with a proven and time tested curriculum.

The "Rush Way" of player development focuses on a more comprehensive long term developmental progression emphasizing individual player development in a team environment; each successive training phase builds on the last.

Players follow a plan and develop on a predefined schedule. Over 44,000 players worldwide can't be wrong!

WHAT IS THE TIME COMMITMENT?

Most teams train at least twice a week, depending on the age group. Supplemental club training sessions are also provided throughout the year.

Teams play 8-10 league games and compete in at least one or two tournaments each Spring and Fall season. Some teams may choose to participate in tournaments out of town. More competitive teams may travel further distances and more frequently. Some teams may also choose to participate in winter indoor leagues.

DO YOU ASSIST HIGH SCHOOL PLAYERS WITH COLLEGE RECRUITMENT PROCESS?

Yes, our College Advisory Program (CAP) assists our high school-aged players with the college recruiting process. A professional college soccer counselor interviews, tutors, and prepares players to be successful in university programs and enhance their soccer scholarship opportunities.

Additionally, we offer free college clinics and seminars and facilitate out of area campus visits to educate our players and parents alike.

In Fall 2020, over 34 Lobos Rush senior class players will attend colleges across the country on scholarships.

WHERE DO YOU PLAY?

Lobos Rush wants to make soccer accessible to everyone in the Greater Memphis area. We have exclusive access to superbly groomed, fully-lighted, safe fields, and facilities.

Currently, we are at five locations and will continue to expand.

East Memphis

Church of the Holy Spirit
Larger Soccer Fields
6916 Messick Rd.
Memphis, TN 38119
U8 - U12

Collierville

Progress Rd. Park
638 Industrial Park Ln.
Collierville, TN
U8 - U12

Christian Brothers High School

5900 Walnut Grove Rd.
Memphis, TN
U8 - U14

Desoto, MS

Olive Branch Soccer Complex
8700 Church Rd.
Olive Branch, MS
U8 - High School

Mike Rose Soccer Complex

9000 East Shelby Dr.
Memphis, TN
U13 - U19





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WHAT OTHER PROGRAMS DO YOU OFFER?

We have an established, year-round educational, skill and conditioning programs. We also offer a free preseason camp to all younger players utilizing numerous college coaches from around the nation as instructors. For high school-aged players, we hire coaches with top credentials with current or past college coaching and playing experience.

CAN PLAYERS PLAY OTHER SPORTS?

Yes, we encourage our players (especially younger ones) to play other sports. However, we expect each player to be fully committed to their team and ultimately to the club.

IS THERE A VOLUNTEER COMMITMENT?

Lobos Rush is managed by Collierville Soccer Association, a 501 c3 non-profit organization. Families play an important role as volunteers in order to keep club fees accessible across the community. We ask our families to volunteer one four hour shift at any of Lobos Rush fundraising tournaments.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

Lobos Rush strives to provide a professional soccer experience at an affordable cost. Our fees remain competitive across the club soccer landscape, and discounts are available to multi-player families. Club fees will remain the same as last year and have not increased in at least five years.

What club fees include:

- Professional coaching and skill focus sessions
- In-season club training (Spring and Fall)
- Goalkeeper training
- Winter training and Summer training
- High school players receive free use of the College Soccer Counselor's services
- Administrative and state association fees
- Pre-season camp for U8 – U14 players
- Summer camp and minicamps, vary by age

Costs associated with Memphis Shelby Soccer Federation league fees (MSSF), tournament fees, and travel expenses associated with individual team activities are not included in the club fee. These costs vary widely from team to team based upon the team's age group, talent level, the number of players on each team, how many tournaments are played by each team, and the cost and location of each tournament.

DO YOU OFFER FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE?

Lobos Rush's goal is to provide the best competitive soccer experience to all youth in the Mid South. The financial assistance program is exclusively for families experiencing financial hardships, whose children have the desire and commitment to play soccer at a competitive level. Lobos Rush cannot assure that we will fund every request; every effort will be made to help those families with legitimate needs to the extent funds are available.

Families who qualify are invited to submit an application along with a \$50 deposit to the Competitive Committee by July 15, 2020, for review and approval on a case-by-case basis. For more information, please contact Kelley Clack at 901.854.8724 or via email at kelley@lobosrush.com.

ARE TRYOUTS FREE? WHAT DO PLAYERS NEED TO BRING?

Tryouts are free!

Whether you have a young child who will be playing for the first time or an experienced player, your player should bring a positive attitude and show a desire to play competitive soccer. Bring your ball, wear shin guards and cleats, and make sure you have plenty of water. Arrive 30 minutes before the tryout time to check-in at the tent and receive your tryout number.

Changes due to weather will be sent via email to the address used for tryout registration.

WHAT IF MY CHILD CAN'T ATTEND TRYOUTS?

If you are out of town or have an injury or concerns about COVID-19, please register for tryouts and, when prompted, state your reasons, and desired play level. A member of our technical staff will reach out to you directly to discuss alternative options.

2020 / 2021 ANNUAL CLUB FEES

U8 players: \$640

Split into 4 payments
Deposit: \$160 + \$160 / \$160 / \$160

U9 through U10 players: \$850

Split into 4 payments
Deposit: \$350 + \$200 / \$200 / \$100

U11 through U14 players: \$950

Split into 4 payments
Deposit: \$350 + \$200 / \$200 / \$200

U15 through U19 players: \$850

Split into 4 payments
Deposit: \$350 + \$200 / \$200 / \$100

Uniform Fee
\$350+

Non-residents of Collierville are required to pay a \$150 Town of Collierville non-resident fee once a player has accepted a position on a Collierville team.

Payment options

Option 1: Pay fees in full

Option 2: Select an automatic payment plan. After the initial deposit is paid, the credit card on file will be charged the appropriate installments on the 15th of each month.

Club fee schedule

All players are required to purchase a uniform for the 2021-2022 season.

High school boys and full year players

June, August, September & October

High school girls

June, November, January & February

U8 players

June, August, January & February

U9-U14 players

June, August, September & October

