



SOUTHWEST BLAST FC

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Welcome to the BLAST team, below are a few links and steps to get you started as a volunteer and coach. There will be meetings and opportunities to ask questions. The first weeks of registration are always very busy for all the volunteers at BLAST and many questions are dependant on coach and player registration numbers and schedules. We thank you for your patience as we navigate through the season beginning stages and please visit our website blasst.ca to check the calendar for important dates. The website is being worked on with lots of great additions coming... thank you in advance for your time you are giving to our organization and players.

The coach training names for each division are as follows:

Fundamentals is U7-U9

Learn to Train is U10-U13

Soccer for Life is U14+

For any teams that only play internal competition (only play other BLAST teams) these are the minimum coaching requirements:

Grassroots Community Stream (U7, U9, U11)

Create an account on The Locker <https://thelocker.coach.ca/>

Record your NCCP# for future use and save this in bookmarks so you can find it again to sign in for training point #2

1. Criminal Record Check with Vulnerable Sector Screen - the letter is under files on the fb page as well as at the end of this document for printing

2. Canada Soccer Coaching Soccer in Canada Online Module- <https://thelocker.coach.ca/>

3. Respect in Sport Activity Leader Program- <https://soccer-nova-scotia.respectgroupinc.com>

Once you have your NCCP # and Respect in Sport Number you can register as a coach at

<http://SouthwestBlastFC.rampregistrations.com>

If you are registering a player and are coaching with us for the whole season you can use code coach2025 at payment for one player



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For any teams that play against other clubs (ex: Argyle, Yarmouth, etc) or will be participating against other clubs in a tournament (even a year end tournament) these are the requirements:

Grassroots Stream* (U13 and U15+ as well as any U11 teams that consider doing tournaments outside of BLAST)

1. Criminal Record Check with Vulnerable Sector Screen
2. NCCP Make Ethical Decisions Module and/or Online Evaluation
3. Respect in Sport Activity Leader Program
4. NCCP Making Headway Module
5. NCCP Emergency Action Planning Module
6. NCCP Rule of Two Module
7. Fundamentals, Learn to Train or Soccer for Life Online Training Module and Practical workshop

<https://canada-soccer.myshopify.com/collections/grassroots-coaching-education-program>

For Ex: If you have a U11 team that plays internally in your own Blast League, but they will be traveling to play in a tournament or festivals throughout the season. They would need - CRC + VS, Respect in Sport Activity Leader, Making Headway, EAP, Rule of Two & Learn to Train Online Module & Practical (on field) workshop,