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Rep/Development

Rep/Development season is underway with practices at New Dome Place. We will be practicing once a week inside until the city of Cranbook opens up their fields to us. Thanks to everyone who has volunteered this year to help us have a successful season. We will be looking for 2 members from each team to help plan and organize our home tournament. Please let your team manager know if you are able to help out.

We will also be having our field set- up date on Saturday, April 27th. We appreciate everyone who is able to come out and help us get the field ready to go. Please make sure that you are all set up on TeamSnap and that you have contact with your team manager.

BOARD MESSAGE

The KESA board is currently running the spring season for Rep/Development at New Dawn Place, while preparing to move outdoors to Moir as soon as the city opens the fields. We are also busy planning the Spring Youth 5v5 Elevation Mechanical Cup in April. Finally, house registration has now closed and we are getting teams and everything set for another busy house season.

We continue to have 2 vacancies on our board that we are looking to fill. If you are interested please contact us or come to one of our board meetings to check it out.Volunteers are how we are able to provide soccer in our area for all levels of youth and adults. Please contact us if you have any questions.

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The Board

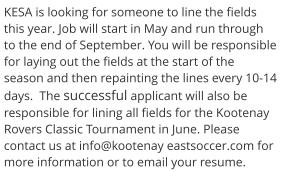
HOUSE

Registration for the spring outdoor house season is now closed. We may have room for a few more players, depending on the age division. The season will start May 7th and run through June 27th. Days of play will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays. All soccer programs can only run with the help of volunteers. Please consider volunteering to coach or manage a team.

The parent meeting for house will be on May 2nd, watch for emails with more info.



JOB OPPORTUNITY



The Whitecaps program is in full swing the dome.

Any inquiries please contact Will at wferia@whitecaps.ca





KOOTENAY PLAYERS HEAD TO ROME

We are thrilled to share some exciting news with you! Next Easter, KESA will be proudly represented by not just one, but two of our exceptional teams at the prestigious Surf Cup in Rome. The 2007 boys' and girls' teams have been diligently preparing for this incredible opportunity, marking a significant milestone in their soccer journey with KESA.

What makes this achievement even more remarkable is the bond these players share. Many of them have been part of the KESA family since their U9 days, forging friendships and honing their skills together over the years. Now, as they embark on this journey to Rome, they see it as the culmination of their dedication and hard work, with the Surf Cup serving as the ultimate reward for their efforts.

However, this journey is not without its challenges. To make this dream a reality, our teams will be dedicating the next year to fundraising efforts. We urge our community to rally behind these talented athletes as they embark on this once-in-a-lifetime experience. Keep an eye out for various fundraising activities, including the May 14th pizza night with Panago, bottle drives, hosting a youth summer camp, and an online auction, among others.

Your support will not only help these teams reach their goal but also showcase the spirit of unity and camaraderie that defines KESA. We are hoping that this will become a legacy, with our older teams making a a trip like this every few years. Stay tuned for updates and get ready to be part of their remarkable journey!

Winter Mixed League Results

KESA's 2nd year of hosting an Adult Mixed League wrapped up in March after another successful year. The eight teams started in January and played each other, before starting playoffs. For the second year in a row, The Unicorns were the champions after winning a close game 2-1 over 2nd place Cranbrook FC, and in 3rd Place was Parts Unknown. Thanks again to all the organizers, refs, and players for another great year.



UPCOMING EVENTS

April 8 - Start of rep/development season

April 27/28 - Spring 5v5 Elevation Mechanical Cup

April 27 - Moir Field Set-up

May 2 - House parent/coach meetings

May 4/5 - Nelson Tournament

May 14 - Panago Pizza Night

For more information, follow us on Facebook and Instagram or visit our website <u>Kootenay East Youth Soccer Association</u>

HOUSE Program Sponsors

May 25/26 Invermere Tournament

June 1/2 - Provincial Playdowns in Nelson

June 8/9 - Airdre Tournament

June 22/23 - Kootenay Rovers Classic





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THANK YOU!



New Dawn Place (indoor facility) Sponsors

