

Coaching Resume

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Coaching Philosophy and Goals

Enthusiastically, creatively, and sensitively but firmly assist players to find fun, artistry, camaraderie, and excellent play: physical, mental and emotional fitness through focused and fun challenging games and disciplined work on techniques and tactics. Help players think and create for themselves—to not be robots of the coach. Model play on Brazilian, Dutch, African, German National and top premier (i.e. Manchester United) team play, including focus on artistry, feints, control, possession or direct tactics, disciplined defense, and celebration. To be open to evaluation, patience, and growth.

Playing Experience

Captained Varsity as Center Midfielder at Churchill H.S., Potomac, MD (made All-County team); Midfielder at Montgomery College, Rockville, MD; fifteen years first division Montgomery County Men's, received most coach's votes for All-Star selection. Continue to play center midfield in Over -45 men's in Montgomery County.

Experience and Record Coaching Youth

Several years (27) teaching, coaching, and counseling all ages in schools, recreation, camps, and counseling agencies. First two youth teams stayed together eight years and attained First Division NCSL. Won two High School Championships in Montgomery County and Fairfax County. Won eight travel tournaments, 8 finalist. Of players coached over two years, at least 80% became all-county or all-met selections, 5 ODP selections, 25% college varsity captains. (Juan Betancourt-Harvard, Brian Halak-U. of Penn., Philadelphia Freedom, Eric Murdock, Macabee Games Nation team Captain, Marc Sturdivant and Kevin McKlinton, University of Maryland, Eric McClellan-VA Tech, Washington Warthogs; Craig Weinstein-Hopkins. Voted High school Coach of the Year in Fairfax County, (1994.). Won 2002 Washington Freedom sportsmanship Award. Currently Coach 2 U12 second and 5th Division NCSL teams and first grade team (son's). Teach Middle School PE.

Sportsmanship Record

Two yellow, two red over coaching career. Won 2002 Washington Freedom sportsmanship Award.

Education and Licensing

University of Maryland: B.S. Physical Education; M.S., Family and Community Development, Ph.D Recreation (Therapeutic Emphasis), Dissertation completed on methods of achieving Flow or the Zone. Maryland State Advanced Professional Teaching Certification, USSF-D (by Graham Ramsey, 1987,1998); Completed MSYSA Irish(1997), Dutch(2001), and Danish(2003) International weeks, Tactics Weekend (1995), Advanced NSCAA diploma (B USSF liscence equivalent) 1999.