

Under 15 - 91s



Back Row: Coach, Biagio Pasciuta, Stefan Tocjic, Joey Purcell, Stefan Cebera, Donovan Plummer, Patrick Lapera, James Phommalayachit, Ryan Mallat, Franco Giorgi, Chris Suta, TEvon Darbyson, Assistan Coach, Dino Suta
Front Row: Colin Passa, Greig Mackenze, Adam Dasilva, Ronald Mayorga, Simon Vanderlinden, Joey Craig, Jeff Williams, Evan Riedel

If there was a way to explain the 2006-year it definitely is "Hard work does pay off". At the beginning of the year we had one goal and that was to win the South Region Soccer league and get promoted to the Ontario Youth Soccer League. Not only was it accomplished it was done decisively. This group started in October and never got a break, nor did they want one. In April we attended the MASC Invitational where we did not let in a goal and won the championship over Ajax (OYSL) 1-0. In May it was off to Chicago where it was a disappointing loss in the championship game against the Chicago Force where the game was decided in penalty shots. The team also participated in the Michigan Premier

Soccer League where the team finished 2nd. In the Ontario Cup it was group play where 1 goal was allowed in 4 games (2 ties vs. London City, OYSL champions, 0-0 and 1-1) but unfortunately could not advance due to goal difference. Then it was off to the SRSL league play. After a 2 wins and 1 loss start I gave the guys a goal to clinch the league by August 31/06,



and sure enough the league was clinched on August 31/06 with 5 games left. The team was also first in goals for and goals against. Where this team should be most proud of is the brand of soccer they played. We offered exciting soccer with great flair while possessing the ball in every game played. This team has a lot to be proud of and as long as they continue to work hard and mature, success will be inevitable in the OYSL.

Players of the Month:

April- Tevon Darbyson: As our goalie he did not let in a goal in the MASC Invitational and a leader.

May-Patrick Lapera: As our captain he got our team focused through a tough MSPSL season by controlling our midfield and great distribution.

June-Adam DaSilva: Goals were his forte. He scored 8 goals in June and got us off to a 2-0 start in the SRSL. His hard work and determination made him the eventual league-scoring champ.

July-Stefan Cebera: Stefan was always used to scoring goals but where he became an asset was in his ability to distribute the ball to Adam while playing various positions.

August-Franco Giorgi: When it came down to getting physical and being determined Franco showed it. In August where every game was critical to our league title he left it on the field every game.

September- Ryan Mallat: After a year of various nagging injuries he became our secret weapon. His speed was unstoppable and blew by defenses like they were pylons. Scored a ton of goals.

Although only a few players have been mentioned above, every player contributed greatly to the team's success, in all my years I've never seen a better-rounded group of players. There was no 17th or 18th player as every player contributed and deserved to play.

Special thanks to Dino Suta for assisting and Bob Williams for keeping everything together during the year. As for the parents it was a pleasure and thanks for all the help and support. Your commitment to the coaches and the team is held in the highest regard.

Thanks,
Biagio

