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**CENTRAL SOCCER PLAYER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM - WINTER SESSION 2012**  
**U10 - U18 BOYS & GIRLS**

Douglas Park Soccer Club (DPSC) is offering the Central Soccer Player Development Program for male and female players of all ability levels. Registration will be accepted for players from U10 to U18 (players born 2002 - 1994). For the Winter 2012 Session, DPSC is pleased to be collaborating with Vancouver FC to offer a broad range of professional coaching expertise and soccer development experience for the players. Vancouver FC administers the elite level soccer program for the Vancouver district, and field male and female teams competing in the Boys Selects and the Girls Metro Leagues of Metro Vancouver. Coaches from Vancouver FC will be participating in the on-field training activities for all of the Winter 2012 sessions. For players interested in competing at the selects level, this will offer an opportunity for greater exposure between the coaches and prospective players. Winter 2012 coaching staff is as follows:

**PROGRAM DIRECTOR:**            **Steve Weston**, DPSC Head Coach, CSA National 'B' License

**DPSC COACHING STAFF**

**Stefan Kalaba** presently coaches the U18 Douglas Park Eagles team. He began his youth soccer at Douglas Park, and has competed at the highest level for Vancouver Selects, including participation at Provincial and National Championships. Stefan also played for the BC Provincial Team for 3 years. Recently, Stefan has concentrated on coaching and has completed his BCSA CCS certification.

**Katelyn Drake** (Katie) was a Burnaby Metro Selects player prior to attending UBC, where for the past 2 seasons she has been a midfield player with the women's Thunderbirds varsity team. Katie is a great mentor for the young female players in the DPSC player development program. Katie has completed BCSA CCC certification.

**VANCOUVER FC COACHING STAFF**

**Yuri Vasilevski** coaches both Fusion FC and Vancouver FC Metro-Selects teams. He has considerable playing experience in Europe including stints at Dynamo Kiev, Torpedo Moscow, Visla Krakow, Schalke Gelsenkirchen and Veroa Veroa. He brings extensive local coaching experience, and has a Coaching Diploma from the National University of Physical Education and sport of Ukraine, a UEFA 'B' license and a National 'B' license.

**Chris Laxton** coaches both Fusion FC and Vancouver Metro-Selects teams. He has extensive coaching experience at the club level and has worked with the Whitecaps Prospects and Academy programs. Chris has both the CSA National 'B' license and the NSCAA National Certificate, including NSCAA State and Regional Goalkeeping Certificates.

**Andrew Dunn** coaches both Fusion FC and Vancouver Metro-Selects teams. Andrew holds the Provincial "B" license.

**Location:**

Trillium Park all-weather fields  
National Avenue, northeast of Main Street and Terminal Avenue

**Dates:**

Tuesdays, Jan 3rd – Mar 6th, 10 sessions total

**Time:**

5:00pm – 6:30pm

**Fee:**

\$150.00, registration fee includes cost of professional coaching under the direction of Steve Weston; Central Soccer Player Development training jersey; and all field / equipment costs. Fee is discounted if player participated already during the Fall 2011 session and received a jersey.

**Program Details:**

Emphasis on development of fundamental individual technical and ball control skills such as dribbling; passing & receiving; moving and shooting. Regardless of age, all players will be assessed and placed in the appropriate skill development group to match their ability. Players will be constantly assessed and may be moved between groups at any time.

**Registration:**

Please register online via the Douglas Park Soccer Club website (Follow the blue "Register Now" link and select Winter 2012 Player Development)

**Deadline:**

Please register by December 31, 2011 to ensure placement in the program. Registration is open to players from Douglas Park Soccer Club, and to registered players from other local clubs.