



UAGS Youth Camp

Dates: JUNE 10-13, 2024

Times for Grades 1-5: 4:00-5:30 PM

Times for Grades 6-8: 5:30-7:00 PM

Place: Upper Arlington High School Training Fields

Upper Arlington Girls Soccer has a tradition of excellence. We've been Ohio Capital Conference division champions 9 times, including 2023! We are 10-time champions of the OHSAA Central District, including 2023! And we've represented UA in the State Final Four as champions of the OHSAA Central Region. We've earned those championships through mutual respect, hard work, and an "ALL IN" team mentality, and those are the values we carry forward.

To continue that tradition and offer a glimpse into the way we prepare and train at the high school level, we offer an annual UAGS Youth Camp to all UA girls entering grades 1-5 and 6-8 who may be interested in playing soccer for the high school some day.

TRAINING FOCUS

The camp offers four days of robust training, focusing on the technical and fundamental aspects of the game. Speed of play and decision making are emphasized through the quick-thinking and precision of "rondo training" — a concept Upper Arlington Head Coach and Camp Director Andrew Kessinger has incorporated over many years and utilizes with his student-athletes at the Varsity level.

COACHING STAFF

The camp features a highly qualified staff, including current and former UAGS players, who will teach players the skills they need to be successful at the next level.

Andrew Kessinger is the Girls Varsity Head Coach and Program Director at the high school who is entering his 5th year at the helm! A former pro player and collegiate All-American, he's a member of the Athletics Hall of Fame at both his high school and college alma maters. Coach Kess is the former Director of Coaching for the Eagles Soccer Club (now OP) in Upper Arlington.

Chad Blomgren is the Girls Varsity Assistant Coach at Upper Arlington. Coach Chad is also entering his 5th year at UA. A former Varsity Assistant Coach at The Wellington School, he's also a former Club Soccer Coach at The Ohio State University and a current club coach at Ohio Premier running two competitive ECNL RL High School girls teams.

COST & REGISTRATION

The fee for the camp is \$115 and includes an exclusive Upper Arlington Girls Soccer T-shirt. Early bird registration closes on May 10. For registrations received after the early bird deadline, the camp fee increases to \$125 and a T-shirt is not guaranteed. To register, please complete the online registration form at www.uagirlssoccer.com/camps and pay online or mail/deliver a check, made payable to Upper Arlington Girls Soccer, to 1707 Roxbury Road, Upper Arlington, OH 43212. Your registration will not be confirmed until payment is received. For more information or questions, please contact Coach Andrew Kessinger at awkess@att.net or 614-226-2032 or Coach Chad Blomgren at cblomgren39@gmail.com or 513-582-7013.

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