



2006 VANCOUVER NORTH, INTRA PROVINCIAL LEAGUE (IPL) INFORMATION MEMO

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Dear Club Technical Directors, Select team coaches & players,

The 11 District Development Centers (DDC) in partnership with the British Columbia Soccer Association have concluded initial meetings on the structure of the 2006 IPL season. BCSA advise that the following age groups will be competing in the IPL league this season.

Girls		Boys	
	Born		Born
U-12	1994	U-12	1994
U-13	1993	U-13	1993
U-14	1992	U-14	1992

The Vancouver North DDC will operate teams in all categories. Please be reminded that the boundary for our region stretches from Deep Cove to Pemberton, Howe Sound and the Sunshine Coast. The U-12 age group will operate under the new "Super 8" format. U-13 & 14 will operate under normal FIFA rules.

We are still waiting for final schedule details but the season will run between May and July.

The North Shore Soccer Development Center in its capacity as the DDC for the Vancouver North region, would like to announce there will be evaluation camps in late March, early April to determine the squads. Dates and details for the camps will be announced by March 01.

The IPL is a Provincial program for serious select team players who are committed to soccer, to training twice per week and be available to play on weekends between May and July. Players should also be committed to travel to Vancouver Island and the interior, with the possibility of a tournament in Washington State. There will be a per player fee for participation in the program. This will be determined once we have information on the training and game schedule.

Players are asked to declare their interest in the evaluation camps by registering directly at www.nssdc.net in the appropriate age group under the IPL 2006 banner. Registration will close on March 01. - cont -

For clarification purposes our partners, BCSA and the Vancouver Whitecaps will first select players for the 2006 Provincial and Super Y- League teams in mid March. Once this process is complete we will begin the process of selecting players for the IPL. Those interested players who are currently still involved in the evaluation process at BCSA and Whitecaps should also register their interest in the Vancouver North IPL. camps in the event they are not selected for either squad.

Questions should be sent to: admin@nssdc.net

Thank you,

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