

COLLEGIATE PATHWAY PROGRAM SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS



PURPOSE:

LC United Soccer Club Collegiate Pathway Program is in place to support players (& parents) desire to continue their soccer development at the collegiate level. The program is structured to help navigate the collegiate level recruitment process for LC United players.

Boys/Girls: U15-U18



COLLEGIATE PATHWAY PROGRAM:



LC United's program will revolve around and support "Players" during the recruitment process.



KNOW WHAT'S IMPORTANT TO YOU:





HAVE A PLAN:

Marketing, Marketing and More Marketing...

YOURSELF TO GAIN INTEREST OF PROSPECTIVE COLLEGE COACHES!



MARKETING EFFORTS:

- August November (College Soccer Season)
 - Coaches Dead Period
 - Increase Efforts during this period
- Send E-mails
- Share College Showcase Schedule
- Complete College Questionnaires
- Identify ID Camps



SHOWCASE CHECKLIST - DETAILS:





- Update all profile sites
 - (ScoutingZone, FieldLevel, Twitter, etc.)
- **Create College List top 10-20**
 - Attending showcase(s) \bigcirc
 - Not attending showcase(s) Ο
- **Complete Recruitment** Questionnaire
 - **College Soccer Site** Ο
- **Send E-mails to Coaches**
 - Attending and Not Attending Ο
- **Identify ID Camps**
 - List of potential camps to attend Ο



EMAIL

Initial E-mail to Coach

- Graduation Year, Club, Position, Jersey #, etc. \bigcirc
- Stating your interest in their program and school \bigcirc
- Provide link to ScoutingZone and other recruiting \bigcirc service profiles
- Showcase Schedule \bigcirc
- Highlights Ο
- **GPA** and Honors
- Interesting facts to make you stand out Ο
- Follow up E-mail to Coach
 - Re-state your interest in their program and school
 - Mention something about recent games Ο
 - Interest in making a visit to the campus, facilit Ο and/or game.
 - Questions about ID Camps \bigcirc



SAMPLE E-MAIL(S):

Subject: Julie Brown – Class of 2027

Dear Coach Jackson,

My name is Julie Brown, and I am the class of 2027 from Fort Worth, Texas. I play for the LC United Club 09G Red - FL (jersey #22) as a Forward/Wing and attend Flower Mound High School.

I am reaching out to let you know of my interest in Trinity University and your program. I am hoping to catch a game this upcoming season and would like to schedule a tour.

I enjoy Math/Science and would love to know more about your highly ranked Computer Science and Engineering Program. (GPA: 3.55 ~ SAT 1295 ~ ACT 31)

I've included my full profile, plus links to my highlight video(s) highlighting my technical skills.

Also, I've filled out your Recruiting Questionnaire. I look forward to hearing from you soon.

Thank you,

Julie Brown Class of 2027 jbrown@email.com 555-555-5555





Subject: Julie Brown – Class of 2027

Coach (Coach's Name),

My name is (your name) and I'm a (junior/senior) at (name of high school) in (name of city), TX. I am interested in attending (name of college) because of your (brief reason for interest in academic program and soccer program, ex: fine business management program as well as your soccer program). (Add other reasons of why you might be interested. Ex: My sister, Sally Smith, is currently a junior there, so I have visited the school several times and have been able to see your team play three different times).

Currently, I play for LC United in the USYS National Frontier League. My club coach's name is (Coach XX). His email is: XXXXX@yyyyy.com and he can be reached at: 888–888-8888. Our team will be playing in the XYZ Showcase from April 27, 2023 – April 29, 2023 in Tucson, Arizona. My schedule for the XYZ National Showcase is:

- Friday: 12:30 PM, Field 12 at Legacy USA Sports Complex
- Saturday: 12:30 AM, Field 13 Legacy USA Sports Complex
- Sunday: 9:50 AM, Field 10 Legacy USA Sports Complex

My contact information is below and look forward to connecting.

Best of luck in the up coming season.

Sincerely, Julie Brown Class of 2027 jbrown@email.com 555-555-5555





FOLLOW UP & SHOWCASE – SAMPLE E-MAIL:

Subject: Julie Brown (LC United- jersey #22) - Class of 2027

Hi Coach Jackson,

Congratulations on your current win over Notre Dame. I wanted to follow up on the email that I sent you recently.

Did you have a chance to watch my highlight video? If not, here is the link: (insert link)

I would really appreciate your feedback as Trinity University is one of my top schools. I have filled out your Recruiting Questionnaire and look forward to attending an upcoming game and camp.

My LC United Soccer Club Team, 09G Red Mundt - FL will be attending the following showcases:

- XYZ Austin Showcase January 28th-29th, Austin TX
- XYZ Showcase April 28-30^{th,} Tucson, AZ

Please let me know if there is additional information that I can provide.

Thank you,

Julie Brown Class of 2023 Jbrown@gmail.com 871-865-2121



