



# NEWSLETTER

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## 6<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL AWARDS NIGHT CELEBRATION

*Surrey United's vision is to be more than a soccer club, by being a community leader, providing a safe, inclusive, and encouraging environment for all members to achieve their full potential.*

The club is preparing for a fantastic night of community celebration on February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022. The 6<sup>th</sup> annual Surrey United Soccer Club Awards Night Celebration will be



an engaging event all members and individuals from within the community can enjoy from the comfort of their home once again this year. While we hope to celebrate in person again in 2023, this year will bring a special guest, live trivia competition (with prizes!) and of course, the celebration of all achievements from 2022 as we unveil this year's awards night video – a fan favourite that cannot be missed!

Login details for the 6:30pm start time will be circulated by email and posted on our website prior to the event weekend.

Break out the popcorn, call your friends and family and sit back and enjoy the evening we have planned for you and the recipients of this year's awards!

### IMPORTANT DATES

**Spring & Annual Registration**  
Live Online Now – Ends March 1st

**Spring Programs Registration**  
Coming Soon!

**Fall/Winter Registration**  
Opens Online March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Spring Break Camp Registration**  
March 14<sup>th</sup> – March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
March 21<sup>st</sup> – March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Bootcamp Against Bullying**  
February 21<sup>st</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup> 2022

**Member Town Hall**  
February 24<sup>th</sup> | 7:00pm

**6<sup>th</sup> Annual Awards Celebration**  
February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2022 | 6:30pm  
Online | Zoom

**Spring Team Staff Meetings**  
February 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2022  
Time to be communicated shortly

**Fall Youth Evaluations (U13-U18)**  
March & April 2022 schedule online

**Annual General Meeting**  
April 2022 - TBC

**SUSC Whitecaps FC Night**  
April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Bootcamp Against Bullying

On the week of February 21<sup>st</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022 all Surrey United Soccer Club teams are encouraged to wear pink and participate in a fun and challenging Bootcamp Program designed by our very own SUSC technical staff in our 2nd annual Bootcamp Against Bullying sponsored by Soccer Express and Panago.

**BEST DRESSED (IN PINK)** \$800 value – Team will receive SUSC Red Hoodies

**BEST PHOTOS** \$500 value – Team will receive SUSC small sized soccer backpacks

**MOST ENTHUSIASTIC** \$200 value – Team will receive a Panago Pizza Party in the Clubhouse

**BEST PARTICIPATION** \$150 value – Team will receive SUSC drawstring bags

We encourage all SUSC teams to post on social media and help raise awareness for anti-bullying and Pink shirt day. Remember to tag SUSC and use the hashtags [#antibullyingsusc2021](#) and [#surreyuniteds](#)



## NEW YOUTH REGISTRAR

Meet our newest Registrar Team Member:  
Youth Registrar, **Lauren Birch**



### Time with the Club:

I have coached my daughter for 4 years as well as have played women's soccer for over 10 years with Surrey United

### Outside of Soccer:

I spend time with my family and friends.

### Why Lauren has stepped up into this role:

I am excited to give back to the club and work with all the youth player families.

### Lauren's Role:

Lauren will be stepping in as Youth Registrar for all U11-U18 teams at Surrey United. Lauren is replacing Erin Billing in this role and will be supported by Lisa Finkle our Senior Registrar.

### Contact:

Lauren can be reached at:  
[youthregistrar@surreyunitedsoccer.com](mailto:youthregistrar@surreyunitedsoccer.com)

## RESPECT IN SPORT

Spring Season Coaches and managers are reminded that they must have both a current criminal record check and their Respect in Sport certification on file with the club before the Spring Season Starts.



## MEMBER TOWN HALL

Surrey United will be hosting a season end Town Hall for all members to discuss the upcoming Spring season and programs and team placement process for 2022/23 Fall U11-U18 players and the new Volunteer Fee Program and opportunities that will be available in the coming year from July 2022 onwards. We look forward to your attendance and if you would like us to speak to anything specifically, please submit that information to [info@surreyunitedsoccer.com](mailto:info@surreyunitedsoccer.com). You must register to attend and the information for registration can be found below.

### Town Hall

Thursday February 24, 2022  
7:00pm – 8:00pm

### Register to Attend:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84451220000>

## Surrey United Scholarships

SUSC is proud to annually award four \$500 post-secondary scholarships. These scholarships are a way for us to celebrate applicants' academic successes, volunteer activities, educational goals, and the impact that their time and experience at Surrey United Soccer Club has and will continue to have on their lives. In order to be considered for one of these scholarships, applicants must meet the criteria found on our website

at: <https://www.surreyunitedsoccer.com/surrey-united-scholarships>. The application process opens on March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022. Complete details, including the link to the application form, will be shared on our social media sites as well as our website. If you have immediate questions, please reach out to our SUSC Events Coordinator, Briann Spencer at: [vp-social@surreyunitedsoccer.com](mailto:vp-social@surreyunitedsoccer.com).



## SPRING BREAK CAMPS

Our spring break camps are back and better than ever! This spring break we have some great programs for multiple ages and levels and play. Two weeks of fun March 14<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> and March 21<sup>st</sup> – 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Registration is open now!

### Technical Skills & Shooting Spring Break Camp

This camp is for U6 - U11 players and will consist of fun practice of technical and fundamental ball control/dribbling & shooting drills

### \*NEW\* Soccer Conditioning & Strength Training Spring Break Camp

Age-specific speed, agility & conditioning training, as well as a focus on technical skill development. This camp will build on the highly successful SUSC Speed and Quickness training program.

### Goalkeeper Training Spring Break Camp

Provides participants with great training of technical skill and goalkeeper-specific conditioning & movements.

Check us out on social media:



## SUSC EVENTS COORDINATOR

Meet our SUSC Events  
Coordinator  
BRIEANN SPENCER



We are pleased to welcome Briann Spencer to the role of SUSC Event Coordinator. A huge thank you to Rebecca Lowrey for her years of support and commitment to this role.

Briann organizes the Club Photo weekend, Bags of Hope charity event, our scholarship program and other club events and annual gatherings.

### Contact:

Briann can be reached at:  
[vpsocial@surreyunitedsoccer.com](mailto:vpsocial@surreyunitedsoccer.com)

## 2022 YOUTH NATIONS CUP

The 2022 Youth Nations Cup U18 Tournament will take place at Cloverdale Athletic Park on July 8-10, 2022. Player Expressions of Interest go live on March 15, 2022. All 2004-2006 born SUSC players are encouraged to register for individual team evaluations and the unique opportunity to play for the nation team that represents their own family's national heritage.

Check out the website and for more details:  
[www.youthnationscup.com](http://www.youthnationscup.com)

## SUSC CLUB NIGHT



Join Surrey United SC members at the April 2, 2022 Whitecaps FC match vs. Sporting KC.

Tickets can be purchased through a specific SUSC member ticket link for the low cost of \$25.00 each and our goal is to fill as much as the stadium in Club colours as we can. Ticket purchasing link coming soon along with details. Watch for details but for now - SAVE THE DATE!

## FALL/WINTER 2022/23 TEAM PLACEMENT

Surrey United SC runs a player development system that includes a season-long evaluation process for player support and advancement. All players are primarily evaluated in their team environment and through additional development programs and academies.

Our club is welcoming and supportive of any new players wanting to join our teams and/or programs. All new players that are interested in joining SUSC must submit the [SUSC Interested Player Form](#).

SUSC aims to place all players at the most appropriate playing level to maximize their development and enjoyment of the sport. Session dates are located on our website: [Team Placement Assessment Dates](#)

## 2022 SPRING ACADEMY PROGRAMS



Surrey United Soccer Club prides itself on its focus on player development, enjoyment, and advancement. Our academy programming provides accessibility to players of all skill levels and experience in the sport. The objective of our academy programs includes a personalized skill development approach, that sets out to boost and maximize each participant's self-confidence, enjoyment, technical skills, vision, and awareness, and overall understanding of the game.

All player academy programs are led by our SUSC Technical Staff coaches. Registration opens soon and includes programs listed on our website located here: <https://www.surreyunitedsoccer.com/springacademy>. Spring Player Academy Programs run April – June.