





FC Brandywine Announced as Penn Fusion Soccer Academy Affiliate Club

(June 9, 2017) - FC Brandywine (FCB) will be aligning as an affiliate with Penn Fusion Soccer Academy (PFSA). Under the partnership FCB will be the primary source of identifying and developing talented players in Delaware County.

The Affiliate Program focuses on several key areas of collaboration; Coach Education, Tournaments, Player Development Curriculum & Programs, and Elite Player College Pathway. The goal each season is for several players within the FCB system to progress on to the National level and participate within the PFSA Boys ECNL Program and Girls US Soccer Development Academy Program.

"As an organization, we are looking to partner with key clubs in the greater Philadelphia area, to increase our footprint and work with like-minded Technical Staff that are creating a positive environment in the Zone 1 (U06-U12) age groups." – Mark Thomas PFSA General Manager

"Placement of players on appropriate teams is the foundation of a player's development and the core of our club philosophy. Working with PFSA supports FC Brandywine in creating the best environment for players in our surrounding area with 5-7 levels of play offered by the two clubs, which will promote the growth and success of both clubs. "– Jim Wallace – FCB Technical Director



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About FC Brandywine:

FC Brandywine (FCB) is located in Glen Mills, PA and is part of the <u>Brandywine Youth Club (BYC)</u>. FCB houses over 30 travel teams and has an array of supplementary player development programs and camps including; TopSoccer, Goalkeeping training programs and Futsal Tournaments & Training.

About Penn Fusion Soccer Academy:

Established in 2009, Penn Fusion Soccer Academy has quickly become one of the Nation's Elite soccer organizations. PFSA focuses on providing a professional environment for elite players to develop and compete in the highest level of soccer available, both regionally and nationally. The leader in Pennsylvania player development, combines a top-notch coaching staff, professional organization, innovative player development structure with a focus on college placement.

Interested in becoming a Penn Fusion SA Affiliate Club?
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