



"To provide the youth of Attleboro the opportunity to participate in recreational and competitive soccer leagues by teaching and demonstrating soccer skills, sportsmanship, honesty, respect, and fair play."

Attleboro Youth Soccer

WEEK 11

Thank you!

Thank you to all coaches who volunteered this season. Your help and coaching is greatly appreciated.

Thank you to all parents and players for a successful fall season!

Congratulations to all of our fall 2016 champions!

Grade 3/4 Boys: USA

Grade 3/4 Girls: Argentina

Grade 5/6 Coed: Colombia

Grade 7/10 Coed: Portugal

Have a great winter! We hope to see you in the spring! Register for spring soccer today on our website.



Highlights



Grade 3/4 Boys

Brazil: Awesome win to close out season as Sam scored on a direct kick and Jayden cashed in on an opportunity and squeaked one in. Lucas, Robert, and John maintained their defensive selves and Janiel and Shane created chances up front. Matthew and Logen showed great teamwork.

USA: Excellent team soccer from the USA boys. Big victory to take first place for the season from their previously undefeated opponents who played a great game. All who watched the game can attest to the skill and heart that was displayed on the field.

Grade 5/6 Coed

Colombia: Thanks AYS for another great season. Team Colombia had a success season. This team has Grew as a team game after game. They showed great passes, great control of the ball, and scored Great goals. I am very happy and proud to have this group of children, and create this Championship memory together. Great job Team Colombia, now we know how it feels to be champions. During our last game Brayden score two goals. He has been the player whom scored the most for our team. Joshua scored a spectacular Goal from a far distance, and he also assisted other players. He showed good control of the ball, and create several opportunities by passing the ball properly. Matthew played well and scored another goal. Ayanah showed great control of the ball. Jacob, Araya, Brandon and Caleb, played a great defense recovering balls, carrying up the field, and passing to teammates. They also moved up to collaborate when the ball was in our possession. Great job! Their contribution during this season was key to make Team Colombia the Champion. Our Goalie Andrew, showed security in the net, and saved our net well during this season. Sadly Christopher couldn't play the last game but He also collaborated in previous game showing that he can play more than one position as Goalie, and offense player. Finally Parents, you were great fans of this team. Thanks for your support.

Grade 3/4 Girls

Argentina: Argentina has fought hard all season long. Their record of 8-1-1 (including playoffs) is a testament to that!! Argentina dominated play most of the game, allowing only 2 shots on goal. The lone point of the game proved enough to take home the championship trophy. Outstanding job ladies, it was an honor to be your coach. I hope to see you all in the spring.

Portugal: Great game against Brazil! Action packed and intense until the end. We lost 0-1. Awesome playing by Ashlynn, Allison, Scarlett, Keira, Ocean, Jackie, Sam, Laura, Ruby, Annayah and Melissa. Keep up the good work and see you next season.

Brazil: Brazil Wins! Brazil Wins! Brazil Wins! The Girls' hard work paid off and got team Brazil a tick in the win column.

Grade 5/6 Coed

New Zealand: What a final match of the Fall 2016 season. New Zealand really came to play and ended up winning in overtime play. Dillion and Mason both played strong in goal. This by far was our best game of the season.

Germany: Great season by Team Germany! Unfortunately it didn't end the way we would have liked, but all the kids should be proud of what they accomplished. Everyone showed up every week, gave 100% effort and had fun. Congrats to a great team - Ella, Annabelle, Trinity, Jessica, Isabella, Nick, Derek, Robert, Sergio, Kyle, Colin & Charlie! And thanks to Coach April and Coach Matt.

Grade 5/6 Coed

Canada: Team Canada had a strong performance to finish out our soccer season. As we have done this entire season, our players switched out positions throughout the game showing their great adaptability and skill. Here are just a few standouts: Owen and Christopher's hustle, Kyra and Ninad's fearlessness, Gerty and Jazlyn's power kicks, Jack and Ryley's solid throw-ins, Vaidehi and Eliana's attacks, Nick and Anthony's movement to the net. Nick scored our goal of the game. Our outstanding goalkeepers were Christopher, Jack, Vaidehi, and Nick. Team Canada consists of a wonderful group of kids who just so happen to be great soccer players. I am so proud of their winning attitude and support for each other, Thank you to all of our enthusiastic cheerleaders!

Grade 7/10 Coed

Argentina: What a game! Argentina and Portugal played in a wonderful soccer game on a perfect fall morning. While we fell 4-2 to Portugal in the final game, I can't express how proud I am of our players. They never gave up. Portugal opened up a 3-0 lead in the 2nd half, but they kids battled back and in the most exciting 5 minutes of soccer this year, Tyler and Josh scored to make it 3-2. A late goal from Portugal put an end to an amazing game. Arjun, playing goal for the first time all year, was stellar. Stopping shot after shot. The defense had Ethan, Yarelis, Abby, Marissa, Tim, Alyssa and Paul all playing fantastic, as they have all year. Tyler, Josh, Arnav, Justus and Alex pushed the ball forward on offense and created many scoring chances, but hats off to Coach Kevin and Portugal on the season. Awesome game and good sportsmanship. That's what it's all about! Thank you for a great year!



Grade 7/10 Coed

Portugal: Team Portugal played a very tough Argentina team in the finals and was fortunate to come out victorious. Although Portugal may have built up a 3-0 lead on scores by Lucie, Matt and Danny, Argentina came storming back with two quick goals in the second half that got our team very nervous. George struck with our fourth goal late in the second half and the defense clamped down to preserve the win.

So many on the team performed in such a great way. Paulina, Meghan, Yuri, Lucie, Delaney and Greg were excellent all year with solid defense. Zach, Jackie, George, Matt, Lucie, Danny and Austin were always aggressive in their attacks. Special note to Greg and Austin who are aging out of recreational soccer and Delaney, Danny and Lucie who also may have played their last games; they gave special efforts to make sure their last game was their best game.

A special note about Austin who played alongside Greg from age 4 to age 15. In his last game, he continued to be the consummate team player, unselfishly helping others on behalf of the team. He did not score a goal, but he had assists with perfect setups on 3 of the 4 goals scored.

Coaches Beagan and Brown also want to take this opportunity to thank all the players for their hard work this year. We saw each player get more confident and skilled throughout the year. Since this is our last year as coaches in AYS Recreational Soccer, we want to thank the league and parents for the honor of coaching so many youth through the years. Although we are called coaches, we are the ones who have learned so much more about ourselves as we have tried to teach others a little about the simple sport of soccer and about working together with teammates. We will have thousands of soccer memories to last a lifetime.