



## The Collierville Soccer Association provides competitive and recreational soccer opportunities for all youth in the Mid-South

### Lobos Rush, Our Competitive Program

Provides players ages 6 to 19\* with an advanced and structured soccer experience meant for aspiring players who want to take soccer to the next level. Multiple teams are formed, covering Division 1 to 3.

### Recreational Program

This is where the love of the game begins! Players ages 3-19\* enjoy playing soccer in a relaxed and fun environment. There are no tryouts, just sign up and play!

\*Based on birth year



### WHERE DO COMPETITIVE TEAMS TRAIN?

#### East Memphis

##### CBHS\*

5900 Walnut Grove Rd. Memphis

U8 - U12 Boys only

\*Christian Brothers High School

#### NEAR GERMANTOWN

Church of the Holy Spirit  
Larger Soccer Fields  
6916 Messick Rd. Memphis

U8 - U12  
U16 - U17 Girls only

#### Desoto, MS

##### OLIVE BRANCH

Soccer Complex  
8700 Church Rd. Olive Branch

U8 - U19

##### HERNANDO

Soccer Complex  
900 Bella Vita Way. Hernando

U8 - U12

##### COLLIERVILLE

Progress Rd. Park  
638 Industrial Park Ln. Collierville

U8 - U12

##### MIKE ROSE SOCCER COMPLEX

9000 East Shelby Dr. Memphis

U13 - U19

### WHY SHOULD I CHOOSE LOBOS RUSH?

Since 1992 Lobos Rush provides an exceptional soccer experience. No other local club can match Lobos Rush's history of success at state championships, along with annual appearances at regional and national tournaments.



#### We are part of Rush Soccer

Rush soccer is the largest professional youth soccer organization in the country. Our players have opportunities to play on regional and national teams that participate in some of the country's largest tournaments and travel internationally.



#### We participate in the U.S. Youth Soccer League Mid-South Conference

The conference is one of 13 under the U.S. Youth Soccer (USYS) Leagues Program in the multi-state tier consisting of teams primarily from Alabama, Arkansas, Mississippi, Louisiana, and Tennessee. Top teams advance to the USYS Regional Championships, part of the USYS National Championship Series.

All conference teams have access to the new USYS National League Showcase Series, providing more opportunities for teams to compete within a national platform against other similar performing teams from other conferences.

In 2021, four teams reached the USYS National Championship and in 2022 one team has already qualified to compete in Orlando, FL in July.



#### We are part of Elite 64 (E64) and ECNL

In 2022, The USYS National League selected Lobos Rush as an inaugural member of the exclusive E64, the League's 'Elite Performance Tier' for U13-U19 teams. As the name suggests, E64 is made up of the top 64 clubs in the U.S.



In April, 2023 we announced the addition of one further tier of exciting and challenging competition in our boys' program. We're now part of the ECNL Mid-America division offering our players the opportunity to compete and grow under one of the best soccer platforms in the nation.

### WHO ARE LOBOS RUSH COACHES?

Lobos Rush coaching staff consists of a diverse group of soccer professionals with an extensive background in club, high school, college, and professional soccer. Unrivaled in size and quality, our coaches are overseen by full-time coaching directors and augmented by our network of active college coaches.

Head coaches and training staff are certified by the U.S. Soccer Federation and the United Soccer Coaches organization (USC).

### WHAT IS LOBOS RUSH COACHING STYLE?

Our teams are professionally coached and follow the "Rush Way" of player development, ensuring that players develop on a schedule with a proven and time tested curriculum.

The "Rush Way" of player development focuses on a more comprehensive long term developmental progression emphasizing individual player development in a team environment.





### DO YOU ASSIST HIGH SCHOOL PLAYERS WITH COLLEGE RECRUITMENT PROCESS?

Yes, our College Advisory Program (CAP) assists our high school-aged players with the college recruiting process. A professional college soccer counselor interviews, tutors, and prepares players to be successful in university programs and enhance their soccer scholarship opportunities. Additionally, we offer free college clinics and seminars and facilitate out of area campus visits to educate our players and parents alike.

In Fall 2022, 32 Lobos Rush high school seniors signed up to play college soccer ranging from NAIA to D1 programs across the U.S.

### WHAT IS THE TIME COMMITMENT?

Most teams train at least twice a week, depending on the age group. Supplemental club training sessions are also provided throughout the year.

Teams play 8-10 league games and compete in at least one or two tournaments each spring and fall season. Some teams may choose to participate in tournaments out of town. More competitive teams may travel further distances and more frequently. Some teams may also choose to participate in winter indoor leagues.

### WHAT OTHER PROGRAMS DO YOU OFFER?

We have an established, year-round educational, skill and conditioning programs. We also offer a free preseason camp to all younger players utilizing numerous college coaches from around the nation as instructors. For high school-aged players, we hire coaches with top credentials with current or past college coaching and playing experience.

### CAN PLAYERS PLAY OTHER SPORTS?

Yes, we encourage our players (especially younger ones) to play other sports. However, we expect each player to be fully committed to their team and ultimately to the club.

### IS THERE A VOLUNTEER COMMITMENT?

Lobos Rush is managed by Collierville Soccer Association, a 501 c3 non-profit organization. Families play an important role as volunteers in order to keep club fees accessible across the community. We ask our families to volunteer one four hour shift at any of our fundraising tournaments.

New for the 2023/2024 season. When players accept their position, families will have the opportunity to pay a \$150 fee to forgo their volunteer commitment.

### HOW MUCH DOES THE COMPETITIVE PROGRAM COST?

Lobos Rush strives to provide a professional soccer experience at an affordable cost. Our fees remain competitive across the club soccer landscape, and discounts are available to multi-player families.

#### What club fees include:

- Professional coaching and skill focus sessions
- Player development sessions outside of team practices
- Winter and summer training
- Free use of the College Advisory Program for high school players
- Administrative and state association fees
- Pre-season camp for U8 – U14 players
- Summer camp and minicamps, vary by age

Costs associated with Memphis Shelby Soccer Federation league fees (MSSF), tournament fees, and travel expenses associated with individual team activities are not included in the club fee. These costs vary widely from team to team based upon the team's age group, talent level, the number of players on each team, how many tournaments are played by each team, and the cost and location of each tournament.

### DO YOU OFFER FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE?

Lobos Rush's goal is to provide the best competitive soccer experience to all youth in the Mid South. The financial assistance program is exclusively for families experiencing financial hardships, whose children have the desire and commitment to play soccer at a competitive level. Lobos Rush cannot assure that we will fund every request; every effort will be made to help those families with legitimate needs to the extent funds are available.

Families who qualify are invited to submit an application along with a \$50 deposit to the Competitive Committee by July 15, 2023, for review and approval on a case-by-case basis. For more information, please contact Kelley Clack at 901.854.8724 or via email at [kelley@lobosrush.com](mailto:kelley@lobosrush.com).

## 2023 / 2024 ANNUAL CLUB FEES

Non-residents of Collierville are required to pay a \$150 Town of Collierville non-resident fee once a player has accepted a position on a Collierville team.

### PAYMENT OPTIONS FOR CLUB FEES

**Option 1:** Pay fees in full / **Option 2:** Split into automatic payments

After the initial acceptance deposit is paid, the credit card on file will be charged the appropriate installments on the 15th of each month

#### U7/8 players: \$740

Acceptance deposit: \$185

August: \$185 / January: \$185 / February: \$185

#### U9-10 players: \$950

Acceptance deposit: \$350 +

August: \$200 / September: \$200 / October: \$200

#### U11-14 players (Non-E64/ECNL): \$1,045

Acceptance deposit: \$350 +

August: \$295 / September: \$200 / October: \$200



#### U13-14 players (E64/ECNL Boys & E64 Girls): \$1,310

Acceptance deposit: \$350 +

August: \$320 / September: \$320 / October: \$320

#### U15-19 players (Non-E64/ECNL): \$950

Acceptance deposit: \$350 +

High School Boys: August: \$200 / September: \$200 / October: \$200

High School Girls: November: \$200 / January: \$200 / February: \$200



#### U15-19 players (E64/ECNL Boys & E64 Girls): \$1,310

Acceptance deposit: \$350 +

High School Boys: August: \$320 / September: \$320 / October: \$320

High School Girls: November: \$320 / January: \$320 / February: \$320