



Aris FC Welcomes Street-Soccer Star Darren Laver As Coach, Camp Leader

July 14-18 Youth Street-Soccer Camps Set

For details and to register, visit: <http://creativeskillcamps.com/shop>

Feb. 25, 2014 (NASHVILLE)—Englishman Darren “Flave” Laver, an internationally renowned “street soccer” player who is featured in the EA Sports *FIFA Street* video game, brings his unique skills as an Aris FC coach and will lead this summer’s Creative Skills Camps for Nashville youth.

Link to a news clip featuring Darren Laver: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jb7Vy06uC_4

Creative Skills Camps are set for **Monday-Friday, July 14-18** at the Franklin Field House (850 General George Patton Dr, Franklin). Two day-camp sessions are available for boys and girls: ages 7-11 (9-12 a.m.) and ages 12-16 (1-4 p.m.). The cost is \$175 per player. To register, please visit <http://creativeskillcamps.com/shop/>.

Not your typical soccer-camp experience, Creative Skills Camps focus on developing each player’s creativity, ingenuity and imagination with the ball—the “stuff” that fuels the world’s greatest players and makes them so entertaining to watch.

Laver also is working with Aris FC’s U-9 and U-14 teams this spring.

“Darren’s exciting brand of soccer and magnetic coaching personality create an instant connection with the players,” said Andrew Petrou, Aris FC’s Director of Coaching. “They see right away that he knows the game well, has played at a high level, possesses amazing skills, and can teach them in ways that take their own abilities to the next level.”

In addition to a stint playing professionally, Laver has provided soccer skills for the training DVD *Ball Fusion* (Europe) and *Project Street Soccer* (USA), an industry bestseller. He has been recognized for his talent in a variety of books, including *Street Football* (Wayland, 2013). In 2011, he was voted **Best Street Soccer Player in the United Kingdom**. For more details about his background, please visit <http://creativeskillcamps.com/meet-our-coaches/>.

Darren is available for interviews and live/taped skills demonstrations.

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