

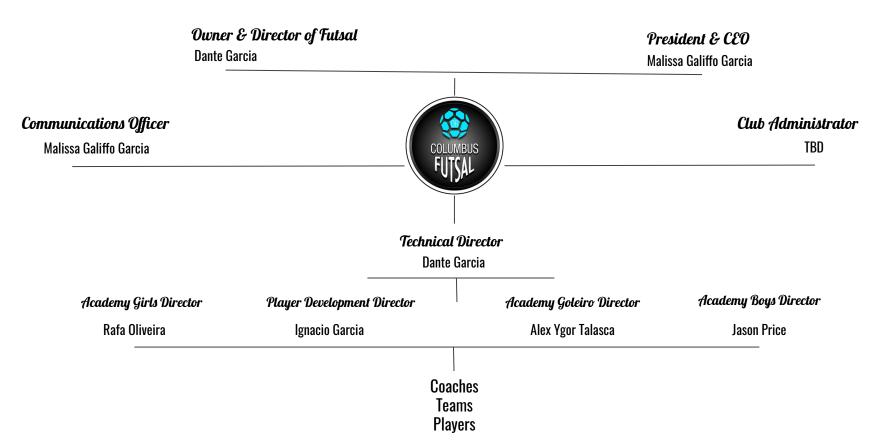
Our goal is to build a positive futsal culture within the city of Columbus. We advocate for safe places to play, promote futsal in its purest form, and center our programming around keeping kids healthy, happy, and striving for their ambitions.

Our programs are designed to serve each individual athlete, from a 3-year-old Start Smart Futsal-er to an 18 year old playing on the national level. We meet the needs of an athlete wherever we find them, regardless of their level of development. Our certified coaching staff are dedicated and passionate. They are eager to share their knowledge; preparing our athletes to be successful on and off the court.

The Columbus Futsal organization consists of a men's professional team, a budding women's team, league play, free pick-up futsal, and outreach clinics. We are 1 of 25 accredited United States Youth Futsal development academies in the Nation.

"Play How the World Plays!"

2019/20 Organization







### Owner & Director of Futsal

Dante Garcia



- University of Rio Grande
- Academia Deportiva Cantolao (Liga Peruana 2)
- Columbus Futsal Club Men's Pro (Player/ Coach)
- USYF National ID Coaching Staff
- USYF State ID Assistant Director and Coach
- USSF Licensed Coach (D in progress, E, F, 4v4, 7v7, 11v11)
- USYF Licensed Coach (level 3 & 4)
- USC Urban Soccer Futsal Diploma
- NSCAA Futsal Diploma
- USAF ZEGO- 4.0 Diploma
- Keith Tozer- USYF Coaching Curriculum
- Fabiano Ventura- Futsal Systems of Play Certificate
- Diego Giustozzi- Teaching Modern Futsal Certificate
- SafeSport Trained
- Background Check Clearance
- 6 Seasons at UA Schools
- 3 Seasons at Crew Player Development / Sporting Columbus
- 13+ years of Futsal Experience





**President & CEO**Malissa Galiffo Garcia



Malissa is the co-owner of the Columbus Futsal family of companies. She oversees the development and growth of Columbus Futsal and the day-to-day operations and organization.

She was first introduced to the sport of futsal in 2014 during a visit to Naples, Italy. A few months later she discovered futsal in her home town and became an integral part of the modernized Columbus Futsal you see booming in this city today.

Coming from an esthetics background, Malissa has always been up for the challenge of advocating the taboo or lesser heard of things in life. She has the vision to see their niche and potential, as well as, attractive benefits when used correctly in their tried and true fashion. For over a decade, Malissa was a well-established esthetician winning "The Best Of" and multiple top sales awards working under several physicians at cosmetic practices in Ohio and North Carolina. During those years she also became an esthetics instructor preparing hundreds of students for licensure under State Board exams and sitting on the esthetics education board of a local college. Eager to learn more about the beauty industry, she was offered a secondary role for the medical practices as social media and marketing specialist, where she also had been quite successful at building brand awareness and engaging a loyal community.

Malissa was a competitive gymnast and body-builder into her mid-twenties. Now, she is one of the very few and well-respected females in the futsal industry and holds several licenses and certificates including U.S. Youth Futsal Regional Level 4 license and Futsal Systems of Play by Fabiano Ventura. She is a member of Columbus Young Professionals, Experience Columbus, ECDI Women's Business Center, National Italian-American Foundation, and committee chair member of the Arnold Sports Festival.

She is the mother to four boys; Ashton, Madden, Milano, and Francesco. If you ask Malissa anything about Columbus Futsal and her mission in this venture, she will tell you, "It's all about the kids!" Holding true to that sentiment, she recently founded the Columbus Futsal Foundation, a U.S. 501(c)3 non-profit.





### **Academy Goleiro Director** Alex Ygor Talasca



National Heritage: Brazilian

Hometown: Sapucaia do Sul, Brasil

Columbus Futsal Club Men's Professional Starting Goleiro

USYF National Staff Coach USYF State ID Coach Speaks Portuguese & English

1 USYF Regional Championship

Former Pro Futsal Player in Brazil

Has been with the club & academy since 2015

Alex is married to his lovely wife, Brittany and has one daughter, Hadassa.





### **Boys Academy Director**Jason Price



National Heritage: American

Hometown: Columbus, Northland/Linden Area

Columbus Futsal Club Men's Professional Assistant Coach

Columbus Futsal Academy Boys Director Assistant Goleiro Director Level 1 USC Futsal Diploma Level 4 USYF in progress Futsal Systems of Play certification - Fabiano Ventura USYF Coaching Curriculum certification - Keith Tozer

Has been with the club since 2016

Jason is a thriving Real Estate agent by day and has four children, Garren, Liam, Ayla and Devin.



### COLUMBUS FUTSAL

### Columbus Futsal Academy



### Girls Academy Director Rafa Oliveira



National Heritage: Brazilian

Hometown: Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

CEO of Núcleo Grêmio RJ

Former Columbus Futsal Club player (2017 Major League Futsal season)

Columbus Futsal Academy Girls Director Level 4 USYF in progress Speaks Portuguese, Spanish, & English

Has been with the club since 2019

Rafa has one daughter, Elis, with his wife, Juliana.





## **Player Development Director** Ignacio Garcia



National Heritage: Peruvian

Hometown: Lima, Peru/Columbus,, OH

Holistic Coach & Practitioner

Founder of original Columbus Futsal in 2006

Zego 4.0 Diploma USYF level 4 in progress Over 25 years coaching experience Speaks Spanish & English

lggy has 3 children wife his wife Suzanne and 4 grandchildren, Milano, Liliana, Francesco, and Leo.





## **Speed & Agility Trainer**Aaron Douglas



National Heritage: American

Hometown: Columbus, OH

Columbus Futsal Club Men's Professional Head Trainer

A.A.S. in Exercise Science & Athletic Performance

Multiple Training Certifications through NASM

Competitive Soccer Player (State & National) for 15+ years

Has been with the club since 2018

Aaron is married to his beautiful wife, Madeline and has one son, Emeric.

2019/20 Coach & Trainer Bios





#### **CFA Staff Coach** Allen Bohnert

National Heritage: American

Hometown: Western Suburbs of Chicago, Illinois

Allen has over 20 years of coaching experience from youth to high school to collegiate including, Goshen College men's varsity team, Ohio State University women's varsity team, volunteer asst coach and Columbus Crew SC Player Development/Sporting Columbus, from UG-U12 Pre-Academy, 6+ yrs.

He was a finalist for the 2018 Coach of Impact Award.

Allen loves Pearl Jam and snowboarding.

He has three children with his wife Melanie; Paxton, Piercen, and Parkland.



#### CFA Staff Coach Andrew Curry

Nationality/Heritage: American with German decent

Hometown: Columbus, OH

Andrew currently coaches for Sporting Columbus, formerly Crew Player Development, and this will be his second season with Columbus Futsal Academy. This summer, he recently completed La Liga level 3 methodology course.

He played soccer at Groveport Madison High School and Tiffin University. Afterward he did a small stint as brand ambassador intern for Crew SC.

Andrew's hobbies include soccer, fishing, and music.



### *CFA Staff Coach* Fabio Patterson

National Heritage: Brazilian

Hometown: Campinas, São Paulo

Fabio played soccer in college at Ohio Christian University.

Afterward he was rostered to the Columbus Crew reserves. He played semipro for Columbus Futsal in 2017 during the North American Futsal Premier League.

He loves soccer & soccer!

Fabio is married to his wife Elaine and they have two sons, Rafael and Gabriel.



*CFA Staff Coach* Trevor Lewis

Bio coming soon...

- Current girls coach for Hilliard Davidson High School



**CFA Staff Coach** Larissa Ramos

Bio coming soon...



2019/20 Coach & Trainer Bios





CFA Staff Coach Junyor Zanelatto

Nationality: Brazilian

Hometown: Porto Alegrea, Brazil

Junyor is the North American director for AS Roma Calcio a5. He has been working with Columbus Futsal regularly since 2015, playing for the club's top team in the NAPFL and MLF.

He has helped earned 2 USYF Regional Championships for the club, as well as, 1 USFF Regional title and 1 USFF finish as finalists.

Junyor has a beautiful wife, Camila, and 3 children, Livia, Breno, and Caio.



*CFA Staff Coach* Sarah Hartley

Nationality: American from Irish descent

Hometown: Cleveland, OH

Sarah has accumulated over 8 years of coaching experience with Great Lakes Futsal, Heart and Sole Futsal, Cleveland Metropolitan School District, Sam's Inner Circle Foundation and Dublin Soccer League/MSSA.

She is a former advisor for the Hands on Sports Foundation board.

You can often find her coaching outdoor alongside her Dad. Sarah is a registered American Outlaw and Liverpool supporter, #YNWA.

Sarah has two daughters, Mia & Riley.



CFA Staff Coach Geoff Starks

Bio coming soon...

-Former Crew SC East Boys Director of Coaching 2010-2008

-Current Diretor of Coaching for Sporting Columbus



**CFA Staff Coach** Cade Remy

Bio coming soon...

- Former Crew Academy youth player

-Current Columbus Futsal men's player



*CFA Staff Coach* Sydney Musoni

Nationality: American from Zimbabwean descent

Hometown: Chicago, IL Columbus. OH

Sydney is a current player for Columbus Futsal's top team and going into his second season for the club.. He played soccer growing up in the Crew Academy and later for Ohio Christian University.

He enjoys conducting 1 on 1 training sessions, traveling and has an adventurous appetite!

Sydney has 3 younger brothers

### 2019/20 *Programs*









#### Street Futsal Pickup Ages 7-Adult



We value the importance of unstructured play and find it has a huge relevance to the passion, creativity and joy of the sport!

Pick-up street play is the very foundation of CFA's existence. We were born on concrete. We have a very unique approach to player development at Columbus Futsal & Street Soccer Academy, that provides a dedicated but balanced methodology to help you succeed on and off the court. The importance of both structured play (club soccer, academies, coaches, etc.) and unstructured play (pick-up, play with friends/parents, etc.) are key building blocks you will find here as they are rarely found throughout the US. Family understanding on the benefits of futsal, and many other important factors add to every player's success. We call attention to your passions. Instilling a South American style of play, driving you to your most dynamic capabilities. This game is always free & alive.

Simply put, we "Play How the World Plays!"





### **Start Smart Futsal**Player Birth Years: 2013-2015



A premier toddler program building a strong soccer foundation with futsal first!

Start Smart Futsal is a unique and fun learning experience for 2-6 year olds. This is an introductory program to the sport of futsal and the FUNdamentals of the game for your future star! They will enjoy becoming familiar with the ball at their feet by using balance, coordination, and creativity! This developmentally appropriate program allows students to participate together once a week and have FUN!

CFA encourage positive play with fun dribbling obstacles, keep-away games, and shooting goals. This is a great introduction for children to build a lifelong passion of the beautiful game! Positive parental participation is sometimes required.

6 week developmental instruction.
Includes t-shirt and size 2 Senda ball.





### CFA Player Development

Player Birth Years: 2011 - 2013



Geared toward all levels of experience, including beginners, recreational and developmental players.

The player development program is designed for young players who are new to the sport of futsal and helping them gain positive individual participation experience and learn to work as a team. This level is to teach the basic fundamentals of the sport and instill a life-long love for the game.

They will train 1x/week late fall through early spring and have an average of 12 CFL games on the weekends. Tournaments are optional depending if the age division is offered.

During this time players will build a strong technical foundation to propel them into pre-academy or academy programs in CFA and become confident when participating in the outdoor soccer scene.

In future seasons we hope to offer this level to more age groups who are first interested in learning how to play and solely using this futsal system through age 12.



### CFA Pre-Academy

Player Birth Years: 2002 - 2011



For players wanting superior training to become more dynamic athletes and participate in a challenging academy environment.

Players chosen to pre-academy teams will participate in a 5 month program late fall to early spring. This consists of an average of 36 technical and tactical training sessions (2x/wk), 12 Columbus Futsal League (CFL) games including playoff opportunities, and two USYF sanctioned tournaments either local or in a neighboring state to ensure the most meaningful competition.

While futsal is a sport in its own right, many use it as a training or development tool for the outdoor game. The CFA pre-academy system is widely recognized to compliment a player's outdoor soccer performance, not compete with it.

Pre-academy players may participate in some USYF Academy events by special invitation and are strongly urged to participate in the USYF Ohio State ID trial period.



### CFA USYF Academy

Player Birth Years: 2002 - 2010



A year-round futsal program playing at the highest level in the United States for serious soccer and futsal athletes.

The USYF Academy Program is United States Youth Futsal's most recent program. Designed to produce players of exceptional ability in both soccer and futsal, the USYF Academy Program maximizes technical proficiency, tactical awareness, pinpoint passing, fast decision-making and a multitude of other standout attributes. The CFA USYF Academy players will participate in a 10 month program consisting of an average of 62 training sessions (2x/wk winter/summer and 1x/wk spring/fall),, 12 Columbus Futsal League (CFL) games, USYF Championship series, USYF Showcases and cross-regional competition.

The Academy curriculum is best suited for players who want to participate in high-level technical and tactical futsal training sessions, competitive league play, and regional and national tournaments. The Academy structure will complement – not compete with – a player's regular soccer club training and offer structure both on and off the futsal court.

Local Academy Owners/Directors directly impact how youth futsal talent is cultivated locally and nationally, and provide players with opportunities to train and compete alongside similarly skilled players from other clubs in the nation. USYF and Academy owners work closely together to optimize regional and national exposure for local Academy players through I.D. Trials, and club and collegiate showcases. USYF supports each Academy Owner/Director by providing training curriculum, programmatic and administrative resources, and a network of national and international exports.





### **USYF State ID**

Player Birth Years: 2002 - 2010



The first step toward U.S. Youth Futsal National Teams

The U.S. Youth FUTSAL I.D. program identifies and develops elite players in a highly competitive and challenging environment through its Futsal I.D. State Trials. Top players from each identification trial are invited to participate in the U.S. Youth Futsal National I.D. trials for training and matches.

OHIO STATE FUTSAL I.D. Trials are available to boys and girls born 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, and this year 2010.

State I.D. trials are offered in Columbus, Akron, and Cincinnati. If you cannot attend your State session you may attend a nearby State I.D.





### **USYF** National ID

Player Birth Years: 2002 - 2010



Gain International playing experience with the U.S. Youth Futsal National Teams!

Top players from each State identification trial are invited to participate in the U.S. Youth Futsal National I.D. trials for training and matches. The U.S. Youth Futsal International Teams are selected from the National ID Trials.

Assembling the very best futsal players to train and compete under the guidance of the United States Youth Futsal National Coaching Staff assures the highest level of futsal development possible.

U.S. Youth Futsal National Teams are formed for boys and girls born 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010. Recent trips include Costa Rica, Colombia, Canada, Portugal, Argentina and this winter they will travel to compete in Spain.





### Mentor-Mentee Program

Player Birth Years: 2002 - 2004



Work toward High School volunteer hours or lowering tuition

Last season we piloted a mentor-mentee program by pairing experienced high school players with younger beginners at CFA. It went so well that they have all requested to mentor coach again and others have asked to be mentors for the upcoming season! Mentors help out during games and keep the younger players organized in training, while learning a ton about the coaching side, leadership, and empowerment. This year our mentor-mentee program will allow high schoolers to use the time toward volunteer hours and/or discounts on their tuition. The mentor-mentee program is open to both high school boys and girls. High School players must fill out an application.





2017 USYF Great Lakes Regional Champions - 2008 Boys 2017 USYF National Championship Appearance - 2008 Boys 2017 CFL Finalist - 2006 Boys 2017 USYF National Team Players - 5

2018 Copa del Sala Finalist - 2006 Boys
2018 USYF Great Lakes Regional Finalist - 2009 Boys
2018 USYF National Championship Appearance - 2009 Boys
2018 CLF Finalist - 2008 Boys
2018 CFL Finalist - 2007 Boys
2018 CLF Finalist - 2009 Boys
2018 CFL Champions - 2006 Boys
2018 OVFL Champions - 2009 Boys
2018 Tt. Wayne Futsal Cup Finalist - 2006 Boys
2018 USYF National Team Players - 1 (co-captain), Reservists 2
2018 USYF Development Academy Status

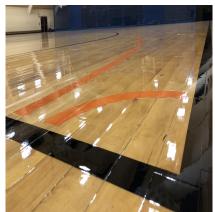
2019 Copa del Sala Finalist - 2006 Boys 2019 Copa del Sala Finalist - 2009 Boys 2019 CFL Finalists - 2005 Boys 2019 CFL Champions - 2006 Girls 2019 CFL Champions - 2009 Boys 2019 CFL Finalists - 2008 Boys 2019 CFL Champions - 2006 Boys 2019 Arnold Futsal Classic Champions - 2003 Girls 2019 Arnold Futsal Classic Champions - 2008 Boys 2019 Arnold Futsal Classic Champions - 2011 Boys 2019 Arnold Futsal Classic Finalists - 2005 Boys 2019 Arnold Futsal Classic Finalists - 2006 Girls 2019 Arnold Futsal Classic Finalists - 2009 Boys 2019 Arnold Futsal Classic Finalists - 2010 Boys 2019 MidWest SuperCopa Champions - 2009 Boys 2019 USYF National Team Players - 4, reservists 1 2019 WMF Summer Cup Champions - 2009 Boys 2019 WMF Summer Cup Finalists - 2007/8 Boys



### 2019/20 *Locations*













2019/20 Coaching State



	Teams		Coaches
Girls	2011-12	U9	Dante Garcia
	2010	U10	Larissa Ramos
	2009	U11	Rafa Oliveira
	2008	U12	Sarah Hartley
	2007	U13	Rafa Oliveira
	2006	U14	Dante Garcia
	2005	U15	Sarah Hartley
	2004-2002	HS G	Dante Garcia, Trevor Lewis
Boys	2012	U8	Iggy Garcia
	2011	U9	Dante Garcia, Fabio Patterson
	2010	U10	Junyor Zanelatto, Allen Bohnert
	2009	U11	Jason Price, Sydney Musoni
	2008	U12	Junyor Zanelatto, Geoff Starks
	2007	U13	Andrew Curry, Cade Remy
	2006	U14	Rafa Oliveira, Jason Price
	2005	U15	Dante Garcia
	2004-2002	HS B	Jason Price
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#### July 20 -21

Boys Player Evaluations

#### July 27-28

• Girls Player Evaluations

#### August 18

• Coed Supplemental Tryout

#### October 15

• All USYF Academy players registered

#### Sept. 8- Oct. 20

Once per week Academy Training.

#### Oct. 28-March 5

Twice per week training, all teams, minus holidays

#### Nov. 9-Jan. 11

Columbus Futsal League Session I

#### Dec. 20-21

• Futsal Wars Tournament

#### Jan. 17-20

• USYF Great Lakes Regional Championship

#### Jan. 25-March 14

- Columbus Futsal League Session II
- Ohio State ID TBD

#### Feb. 14-17

USYF National Championship (if qualified)

#### March 6-8

Arnold Futsal Classic (Showcase)

#### April 10-May 15

Once per week Academy training.

#### June 15 - Aug. 2

- Twice per week Academy training
- National ID and National Showcase TBD

#### June 20

Founder's Street Cup

Optional events depending on team/coach: Chocolate Milk Cup, Ft. Wayne Futsal Cup (Showcase), Copa del Sala, Tiki Taka, WMF Cup (Showcase), USFF Regional, World Futsal Championship



### CALENDAR

#### TO BE RELEASED AUGUST 1st EVERY YEAR

- August Academy tryouts & Player registration
- November (mid) Regional Showcase window
- December (early) Regional Showcase window
- December January Regional Championships
- February National Championships (qualification is earned)
- March (early) Regional Showcase window
- May June next season Showcase bidding process
- June (end) National Showcase (next season showcases awarded)
- July (end) Regional Showcase window
- August 2-4 or Last week of July National Showcase window







### 2019-20 REGIONAL BREAKDOWN

#### WEST



#### 2 Academies 619 Futsal, CA

Futsal Factory, CA

#### CENTRAL - NORTH



#### 7 Academies

ABK Futsal, MI Columbus Futsal, OH Fort Wayne Phoenix FC, IN Futsal Indy, IN Detroit Elite Futsal, MI Chicago, IL Heart & Sole Futsal, OH

#### CENTRAL - SOUTH



#### 6 Academies

Futsala, TX E2Prodigy, TX OKC Futsal, OK Rise, OK Tulsa Futsal Academy, OK



#### 11 Academies

FutsalRVA, VA FutsalETA, VA PUMA Elite, NOVA NPC Futsal, NOVA Barefoot - ISL Futsala, NC Charlotte Futsal, NC Elite Futsal Charleston, SC Atlanta Futsal - GA Florida Crushers - FL BHM Futsal, AL Futsal 365, NJ









#### 2019-2020 REGIONAL SHOWCASE DATES

WEST



#### Required for all:

- Championship Series
- National Academy Showcase
- ONE Regional Showcase



### CENTRAL – NORTH

- 1. Fort Wayne Futsal Cup USYF Central Academy Showcase 12/6-8/2019 - Fort Wayne, IN
- 2. 2nd Annual Arnold Futsal Classic USYF Central Academy Showcase 03/05-07/2020 – Columbus, OH
- 3. West Michigan Futsal Cup USYF Central Academy Showcase 01/31-02/02 2020 - Grand Rapids, MI

#### CENTRAL - SOUTH

1. Futsala Tournament TBD- Feb 1,2

#### EAST



- 1. Futsal RVA Invitational USYF East Coast Academy Showcase Nov 30, Dec 1 - Richmond VA
- 2. Charlotte Fustal Cup
  USYF East Coast Academy Showcase
  Feb 1 and 2 Charlotte NC







CFA specializes in the promotion and education of the sport of futsal through training programs and the organization of leagues and tournaments. We are dedicated to player development in Central Ohio.

Participant focused over performance focused. The experience of the participant is our top priority. We believe when participants are happy the performance they desire as a team will come naturally.

### Our Program Benefits Include:

- Year-round training. Once per week in the spring & fall.
   Twice per week in the winter & summer.
- Two tournaments with additional optional events
- USYF Sanctioned Winter League (CFL)
- USYF Academy with the most meaningful competition
- United States Youth Futsal National Staff Coaches
- Access to Nationwide Children's Sports Medicine services and priority scheduling
- Goleiro specific training included
- Cultural learning experiences through community partners and guest coaches
- Guest playing opportunities at the highest level
- Player Safety Initiatives
- Special access to observe CF professional team trainings and games





#### **Tuition Discounts:**

- Siblings
- Admin
- Mentors
- USYFNT

BIRTH YEAR	<b>ACADEMY</b> \$1,500	PRE-ACADEMY \$750	PLAYER DEVELOPMENT \$490	
	(\$250 deposit, 10 monthly)	(\$200 depostit, 5 monthly)	(\$150 deposit, 4 monthly)	
2012			\$85	
2011		\$110	\$85	
2010	\$125	\$110	10000000	
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2004-2001	\$125	\$110		

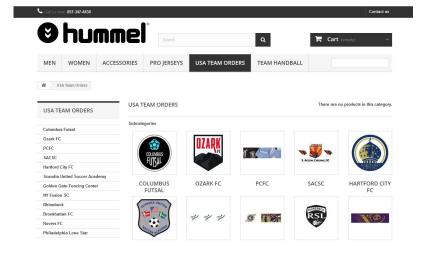
Year-round training	х		
Winter Training	х	х	х
Goleiro Training	х	х	х
CFL (league)	х	х	х
USYF Regional	х	by invitation	
USYF National	must qualify	by invitation	
USYF Showcases	х	by invitation	
Tournaments	varies	2	additional
State ID	additional	additional	N/A
National ID	additional	additional	N/A

<sup>\*</sup> hummel uniform cost are separate from tuition

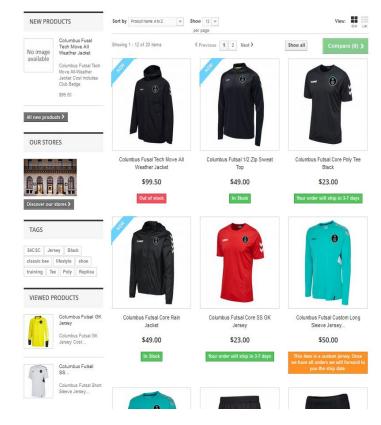


### 2019/20 Uniforms





Players are outfitted in hummel kits provided in-house by hummel via Soccerhive.net. The uniform cycle renews every two years and a new kit collection will be chosen for 2020/21.







Columbus Futsal Academy is committed to maintaining its independence and objectivity of being a futsal specific academy through the formation of teams and trainings. We ARE club neutral and have no soccer club affiliation. Although we utilize the support and cooperation of soccer coaches from many neighboring soccer programs, we have a strict "no recruiting policy." Soccer players from all clubs can rest assured that they will never be pressured to join other clubs in the course of playing futsal for CFA. In addition, our independence and objectivity are reflected in the fact that we provide equal, unbiased opportunity for all players in our open player evaluation process.

### **Affiliates & Partners**





























