



THE HUNTLEY HEAT WAVE

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Center Circle

Try-outs:

June 2nd and 3rd, 2008; Talamore Soccer Fields
U8 - U10 4:30pm till 6:00pm
U11 - U16 6:00pm till 8:00pm

Huntley Heat Sparks Academy: Far exceeding expectations, 60 boys and girls ages 3 to 7 enrolled for the first Huntley Heat Sparks Academy. The Sparks Academy introduces younger kids to soccer and is designed to teach basic soccer skills and fundamentals.

Huntley High School Girls Soccer

The Red Raiders varsity girl's soccer team finished the regular season 18-1-0 with 15 shut-outs...They are the number 3 seed in the Streamwood Sectional playoffs and face 13 seed Jacobs on May14th at Jacobs High School. Lets show up in force and support the Red Raiders Girl's Soccer team.



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The Heat congratulates the following:

U14 Girls Black Team for taking 3rd Place in their indoor session 2.

U12 Boys for taking 2nd Place in their Indoor Session 2 league, for taking 1st Place in their Indoor Session 1 league and for taking 3rd Place in their Fall 2007 division.

U12 Girls Black for taking 1st Place in their Indoor Session 2 league.

U9 Boys A Team for taking 1st Place in their Fall 2007 division and 2ND place in their indoor session 2 league.

U9 Boys B Team for taking 1st Place in their Fall 2007 division and 3rd place in their indoor session 2 league.

Delaney Loprieno of the U12 Girls Black team for making the 2007 Illinois ODP 1995 girls state team



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U-8 Boys

The boys moved up to the Red 2 division and have started the spring season 0-3-0.

U-9 Girls

A perfect "10"! That's the best way to describe the U-9 Girls fall season. Fall was the first season of travel soccer for all "10" girls, who handled all the associated challenges with a positive and upbeat attitude. All their individual and team skills were greatly improved. The girls gained experience in most of the positions and ALL "10" of them had the thrill of scoring a goal! Our Fall season ended on a high note with a 3 - 0 victory over Mount Prospect Green and White (our best game of the season).

Our indoor season has proved to be a real confidence booster. The girls learned quickly from our first two very physical games and have stepped up their play tremendously! Not only did our team gain a more aggressive style of play, we also gained another terrific "Heat Girl", Ms. Charissa Serviss. Charissa is catching on quickly and is eager to contribute.

Our Fall and Indoor seasons have also brought us great friendships. We're very fortunate to have 11 AWESOME girls, ALL with FANTASTIC families!

The girls are looking forward to excelling in their Spring season!



U-9A Boys

The U9A boy's team had an amazing fall season going undefeated in their division and placing first for their second straight season. During the indoor season we added one new player to our roster, Jared Fitzsimmons. Welcome to the team Jared, we are glad to have you. The boys had a great indoor season with a record of 8 wins and just 2 losses. Although indoor is always fun, the boys are eager to begin the outdoor season. The team is looking forward to the Delavan tournament in a few weeks. Congratulations to Jack Bessey and Josh Stenger on winning MVP and Trey Coleman for winning MIP. To the U9A boys, you have all made great improvements as a team and as individuals and therefore should be very proud of yourselves. I know the parents and the coaches are!!!! Have a great spring season. GO HEAT!!!

U-9B Boys

The Huntley Heat U9 Boys B team had a great start to the 2007-2008 season. They won First place in the Fall outdoor season with a record of 6-1-2. Only one loss! It is amazing to see the growth and hard work paying off on the scoreboard. Each of our boys is an incredible contributor to the team as a whole. Their passing, assisting and shooting skills are improving each day. Coach Brian Fairwood has worked hard sharing his extensive knowledge of the game with the kids. He was assisted by Mark Fulcer and Dan Loprieno in the Fall.

As indoor competitors, our Heat U9 Boys played in a new division this year in Crystal Lake. Not only did the parents enjoy not having 7:45 AM games, the boys took third place with a 6-2-2 overall indoor record. The games were all close and extremely exciting. Our boys really hung in there with much bigger and older U10 teams. Parents from other teams were complimenting our team in the way they play their positions. What a great accomplishment! Coach Brian was assisted by Mark Fulcer and John Galason for indoor. As we turn to the outdoor season, we can't be more excited to see the boys give it their all!

U-10 Boys

Fall 2007 was the team's first season together. The boys really enjoyed getting to know each other and their coaches, George Mihalopoulos and Bill Kitsis. We added two additional players to the team - Ryo Fog and Vincenzo Arnieri. The boys had a blast with their indoor training sessions, and held their own against some tough teams in their indoor league at RSC. Team awards announced at the Spring Banquet were: Ryo Fog, MVP; Lorenzo D'Alessio, MVP; and Matthew Schoepke, MIP. Congratulations to all our boys for a great year so far. The team is looking forward to the spring season and to our first tournament at Delavan.

Team News

U-10 Girls

In spring "Hope is Eternal." The girls finished up indoor with a nice win. They really did a nice job concentrating on what we could work on over the winter months. Our two goals continue to be not playing "kick-ball," and using our foot skills to take on Defenders. I am pleased to say we made great leaps toward those goals over the winter months. As the Spring Season approaches, even if the weather doesn't, we are going to continue to develop those skills and grow together as a team. We have added quite a few new players taking our roster to 13. Awesome when you consider we started the season with only 9. I also need to be point out the dedication of Jaime Quintana over the first half, and Bruno during the fall. It is through their love of the game the kids have responded to the training and look forward to learning more new techniques. I appreciate their generosity, and I know we are all looking forward to the spring to show more improvement and witnessing the joy on each girl's face after accomplishing a move in game conditions. Thank you for this opportunity to work with your kids, and Good Luck to all the Huntley Heat Teams!

U-12 Girls Black

Competing in the "B" Division they finished in Fourth Place with a 6-3-1 record. The team was hoping to finish a little higher in the standings, but sometimes records don't tell the whole story. The three losses they suffered were all 1-0 contests. So with a couple of the right kinds of bounces and one more win the girls would have vaulted to a First Place finish. However, the experience in the Fall helped propel the team into the Indoor Season.

Congratulations to the girls for taking 2nd place in Indoor this winter. Many girls had a great indoor season showing more confidence and skill with the ball. They finished the Indoor season undefeated 8-0-1 record, but lost a nail biter to the Cary Defenders 2-1 in the championship game. Turning their sights to the Spring Season, they look forward to the return of a healthy Taylor Schau in the Mid-field and Rachael Zobott getting more touches as a Forward. The Black's strong rotation of players, playing all positions on the field, will be their signature as Coach/Trainer Kevin Talbot charges out this Spring with the goal of winning the "B" Division. The girls will also be competing in three tournaments this Spring... They will be playing in the Lake Delavan "club tournament," the Illinois Cup, and the NSR (National Soccer Ranking) Tournament. The last two will give the girls a great barometer as to where they stand against some of the top competition in the state.

U-11 Girls

The U-11 girls had a sensational fall season. They were 10 & 0 with 6 games ending in shutouts. They scored 53 goals while allowing only 5.

During the indoor season the team had a division best record of 7-2-1 while facing opponents up to 2 divisions above them.

As the spring season gets underway we can't wait for the excitement that this team brings to the field every week. These girls are now moving up to the "C" division and look forward to improving as individuals and as a team.

In addition to the club tournament in Delavan, the team is also going to be in the NSR Region II cup in Rockford the weekend of April 26th and 27th.



Stay tuned and watch this team continue to gel and reach their potential of being a dominant team in the Northwest Suburbs!

Team News

U-12 Girls Red

The U-12 Girls Red fall record of 2-4-4 did not reflect their play nor the progress made. The girls only allowed 10 goals, second best in their division; however, they only scored 8 times. This spring, trainer Brian Fairwood took over as head coach looking to improve the girls offensive output. Coach Brian with the help of assistant coaches Tom Jacobs and Marc Fulcer have worked hard on teaching the girls to create and finish scoring opportunities. The girls are becoming more active on offense, finding space and distributing the ball. The girls show improvement each week and continue to improve their offensive output. The hard work is paying dividends as the girls have scored 8 goals in the last three games while compiling a record of 3-1-0 so far this spring.



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U-12 Boys

Our U12 boy's team has had an exciting, fun and successful 07-08 season so far. The boys finished third in the fall compiling a 5-1-4 record. Playing in the first indoor session the boys played tremendous, finishing in 1st place, losing only once. Moving into the second session the boys once again played great soccer, finishing in second place, tying the first place team in the championship game.

Moving up a division as a result of their fall success, the entire team was excited to begin the spring outdoor season. The boys are improving every practice and every game. The newer players have fit right in making key contributions. With more than 6 months together this team is gelling and improving every week.

They have started the spring season 3-0-1 allowing only 6 goals while scoring 14. In their second game of the season, a 5-3 win, five players found the back of the net underscoring their dedication to teamwork.

U-13 Boys

Our U13 boy's team finished the indoor campaign on a solid note. We tied for 3rd place with an exciting 3rd place game. We tied Crystal Lake Force 5-5 after battling back from a 3-1 deficit. The continued hard work in practice is starting to really payoff in the games. We have added a couple new players for indoor and the spring seasons. We have Taylor Hilbrant playing for us full time now as well as bringing back Tyler Schwartz who played football in the fall. In addition we added Christian Hughes, who played for us last year, and Tony Mendoza to the team for the spring season. These new additions as well as the current players continuing to gel will only make our team more competitive in our division as we hope to finish at the top this spring.

U-14 Black Girls

The girls have started the spring season 3-0-0 and currently stand in first place in their division.

U-14 Red Girls

The girls have started the spring season 0-1-1.



Coach Spotlight:

George Mihalopoulos currently trains the U12 Boys and coaches and trains the U10 Boys. Coach Mihalopoulos possesses ten years of collegiate coaching experience, including stints at Dominican University (1998-2000, 2005-present) and neighborhood rival



Concordia University Chicago (2001-2004).

In addition to his collegiate experience, Mihalopoulos possesses 11 years of experience in youth soccer, coaching in the northwest suburbs of Chicago and running Sphere Soccer, a soccer consulting company. He is an Illinois Youth Soccer Coaching Instructor and an ODP Staff Coach.

A 1996 graduate of Roosevelt University, Mihalopoulos competed as a four-year scholarship athlete, earning all-conference honors throughout his collegiate career.

Coach Mihalopoulos joined the Huntley Heat Travel Soccer Association beginning with the Fall 2007 season.



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Spring Dinner

The 2008 Spring Dinner was the biggest and best yet. The event sold out with an attendance of 350 people. This year we had over 90 items available for the raffle, 15 donated silent auction items and over 50 door prizes. We also added a sports memorabilia silent auction and raffle, which included 21 items.

The winner of the autographed Brett Favre jersey was Marc Fulcer and the winner of the autographed Brandi Chastain photo was the Moffett family.

This year's event was a huge success with close to \$4700 raised.

Thanks to everyone that helped on the committee, donated items and attended the event.

The following is a list of businesses that made a donation to our club's Spring Kick-Off Dinner. Please show them that we appreciate their support of our club by visiting their business and giving them your patronage.

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Cheeseburger in Paradise	Chicago Shamrox
Shedd Aquarium	

Also, a special thanks to the following families for making a donation to the dinner as well.

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