

Limerick, PA, March 21st, 2015— West-Mont United Soccer Association, Boyertown Soccer Club, Pottsgrove Soccer Club, and Valley Soccer Club announce the newly formed Montco Alliance. The newly formed Elite Level Program will provide advanced opportunities for players within the 422 corridor area, Western Montgomery County and beyond. The Montco Alliance program will fully support the Elite Level and committed players who strive to develop and prepare for the opportunity to compete at the highest level in local, and regional leagues as well as having the opportunity to showcase themselves to play collegiately. We are excited to have like-minded clubs within the area who understand and support a local program that will create competitive teams at the older age groups and provide the opportunities that are needed for the player that has aspirations to get to the next level.

Montco Alliance teams will be represented starting at the U13 Age Group and will hold open tryouts to any interested player regardless of their current club affiliation. Montco Alliance will offer a professional staff that will include, Nationally Licensed coaches, coaches with high level playing experience and coaches that are experienced in high level travel and/or College coaching. The program will further offer a College Guidance Program, Professional Goalkeeper training, Video Analysis, Seminars (Concussion/ACL prevention/Nutrition), College Recruiting Tournaments (U15 and Older) and Foreign Travel Soccer Tours at the U14 age group. Montco Alliance will be led by a steering committee made up of one member of each club and supported by Tim Leyland-Girls Director and Ian Dawson-Boys Director.

Joe Kent, President of West-Mont United SA proudly stated, “In past years the 422 corridor has produced some of the best athletes/soccer players in the region and now, finally, they will have a local premier team to showcase those talents! Parents, will no longer need to drive hours in traffic to get their child to a distant club - the creation of Montco Alliance will utilize local facilities with a professional coaching staff to develop top tier results. Our mission is simple, develop great players and achieve extraordinary results!”

Rob Deckert, President of Pottsgrove Soccer Club States “We recognize the tremendous opportunity that has been offered to Pottsgrove Soccer Club. We believe the Montco Alliance will offer a very high quality experience that can't be matched anywhere else in our area. This is an exciting time when the philosophy of like minded clubs in the area are coming together.”

Steve Riviello, President of Boyertown Soccer Club States “Montco Alliance will give local players in the area to participate in a premier program. The goal is to stop the kids from jumping from club to club locally by working together with members of the Alliance. In the end we want what is best for the best players in the area.”

Michal Holfkin, President of Valley Soccer Club States, “I see this as an exciting opportunity to partner with the clubs in our area and work toward the common goal of developing strong soccer athletes. I'm certain that the participating clubs will be stronger thanks to this collaboration. Valley Soccer Club is proud to be a charter member of Montco Alliance!”

Montco Alliance will support and strengthen the partnered clubs from ages U7-U12. All four clubs will continue to have club teams at the U13 and older age groups. Montco Alliance will provide the next step in the professional pathway to youth soccer development for the committed elite player. For more information on Montco Alliance please [Click Here](#).