

## REGISTRAR'S REPORT

2023 was a great season for PCSA.

Our numbers increased to 504 registered players across 7 development teams, 12 competitive, 4 senior team and a strong showing in our U6-U8 program.

We did not field teams in the DRSA for the U9, due to non commitment prior to the deadline to register the team(s) to join the league.

Coach Leanne and Coach Tyler did train with these players that stayed and entered them in festivals for competition.

These numbers are back to the level before Covid which is great news and continue to grow.

For 2024, tryouts were well above pre pandemic levels with 694 players pre-registering and 601 attending at least 1 tryout session. We have to date 424 players across 11 development teams, and 15 competitive teams. We anticipate having an additional 4-5 senior teams with potentially 3 senior men's teams this year with an explosion in interest at tryouts. (Final tryouts are being held in the spring, however, our fall tryouts brought out over 60 senior men interested in trying out including those that could not attend in the fall due to work and school commitments). As well there is continued growing demand for our U6-U8 development program again this year.

This will likely take our player total to 550

We will be registering 4 teams into the IModel this year – U14 Boys Gold, U15 Boys Gold, U16 Boys and U16 Girls Gold.

We again are offering our Enhanced Technical Training Program (ETT) and are just about finished with our Fall session which trained just over 100 players U6-U14. Our winter session will start in January and we hope to have just over 95 players in those sessions.

Registration will become digital this year, digital rosters – no more books - and we will be moving to a full online registration progress for next year. I am working with the new District Administrator, Jeff, to work out the best way for our teams to submit the necessary photos etc to make this transition as smooth as possible.

I have been working towards our Club Licensing with Ontario and Canada Soccer, for Safe Sport and have submitted our paperwork and application and expect to hear back with our successful application after review of our updated coaching qualification confirmations.

Thanks to everyone for making 2023 a successful year and I look forward to an even better 2024!!

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PCSA Registrar