

DOVER SHERBORN YOUTH SOCCER PLAYER EVALUATION

DUE DATE: FALL, 2011

1. Fill out your roster alphabetically by last name. Please include full name.
2. Complete "skills" scores.
3. Complete "team ranking".
4. Comment on each player. Note position preference (especially goalie).
5. Submit to your coordinator by. Boys: Laura Collins (lauracollins@comcast.net); Girls: Kay Kim (kaykim1@msn.com)

SKILL SCORE	DESCRIPTION
5	Proficient
4	Competent
3	Average
2	Developing
1	Beginning

TECHNICAL SKILLS

DRIBBLING / MOVING WITH THE BALL

The ability to move with the ball while maintaining control. Also, the ability to retain possession in tight situations.

PASSING

The ability to pass the ball over long and short distances using a range of techniques (i.e. using the instep, outside of the foot; passes to feet or weighted).

SHOOTING / FINISHING

Decision making and composure when in front of goal (awareness of position of goalkeeper, position and angle of shot, use of the correct foot, use of various surfaces i.e. laces, instep).

RECEIVING

The ability to retain possession of the ball when it is received (awareness of self / ball / opponent, body shape to received, 1st touch control - direction and distance).

ATTACKING 1v1

The ability to identify 1v1 attacking opportunities and the ability to exploit them successfully.

DEFENDING 1v1

The ability to read the game - identify situations to intercept / win a ball from an opponent or to delay an attack by forcing away from goal until support arrives.

TACTICAL

DECISIONS IN POSSESSION

The player's ability to identify the best course of action to take when in possession of the ball.

POSITIONING / ANTICIPATION

The player's understanding of the roles associated with their position within the team's system, their position at any given time and the ability to make adjustments in relation to changes that may be happening around them. The ability to read the game and other player's decisions. Players with good anticipation play proactively rather than reactively, have the ability to intercept the ball successfully and tend to make the game look easy.

PHYSICAL

SPEED

The player's overall physical speed with and without the ball

AGILITY

The player's ability to quickly adjust or change the direction they are moving in.

FITNESS

The player's ability to compete at maximum capacity for the length of a game.

PSYCHOLOGICAL

AWARENESS

The player's awareness of the ball, team mates and opponents. Players with good awareness always know their surroundings and rarely get caught ball watching.

ORGANIZATION AND LEADERSHIP

The ability to coordinate their team / units (i.e. defensive line). Often lead by example and give 100% in practice and games. Always provide clear and concise information to their team mates.

ATTENDANCE / COMMITMENT

Players who rarely miss practice sessions or games and attend with the correct level of focus & concentration. Show a passion for the game and a desire to improve.

Thank you! Your participation in this effort will assist in placing players on the appropriate teams.