



US Soccer invites six Ballistic United players to attend a special US Soccer training session.

Hugo Perez, US Soccer's director of West Coast scouting, invited six Ballistic United players to a special training session in Santa Cruz last weekend. Hugo Perez is a former professional player and National team member who played with BUSC's Technical Director Kevin Crow. Three players, Marco Neves, Nate Gixti, and Kamron Crow, were invited to train for a second time. These three players currently play for Ballistic United's U14 Premier team. The trio participated in a similar training session the prior month in the Sacramento area.

The three new faces consisted of two members from the Ballistic United U13 Premier team, Matthew Powell and Daniel Rodriguez, and one from BUSC's current U10 Premier team, Adolfo Trujillo. All players were born in 1996, except for Adolfo Trujillo, who was born in 1999.

Although the camp will for the most part be bringing in players born during the 1995 calendar year, US Soccer is looking for talented and special players born in 1996 to possibly round out the camp.

According to Coach Perez, "The purpose for the sessions is to train and identify players for National Team programs U14-15-17-18-20, which will come from the US Soccer Academies and from clubs around the area that have been recommended from US Soccer Scouts. We are looking for players that are very technical in all positions and have a good IQ for soccer. Our next U15 camp will be in Florida in March."

As a recommended club, BUSC is excited about the opportunity that these young players are receiving and we as a club will continue to support their efforts to pursue their dreams!

Congratulations to them all!

