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INFORMATION BULLETIN

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To: District Administrators, Presidents, Technical Directors, ORA
CC: Ontario Soccer Board of Directors, Staff
From: Gary Miller, Technical Director
Subject: Ontario Academy Soccer League Launch

Ontario Soccer launched the Ontario Academy Soccer League (OASL) in May 2017 as a two-year-pilot to develop and implement a viable Academy Soccer stream under the Ontario Soccer umbrella. This Academy league is made up of the following 13 Academies:

ADP Soccer Academy
Brampton FC Academy
Dragon Force Academy
GPS Academy
Sanjaxx Soccer School
Blue Devils Academy
Canada First Academy
Dutch Connections FC
Mapola FC Academy
Brampton Elite Soccer Academy
DeRo United Futbol Academy
FC London Academy
Masters Futbol Academy

These 13 OASL Academies have been provided with full entitlements as members of this league, with some specific limitations.

Ontario Recognized Academies (ORA), which are not listed above and are currently not members of the OASL, are still operating under the [10 ORA Entitlements](#).

As a District Association, or Member Club of a District Association, please be aware of the following items regarding OASL Academies:



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1. Acceptance into Tournaments and Festivals

The 13 OASL Academies are permitted to participate in sanctioned tournaments and festivals across the province (apart from any specified restricted competitions). Any travel or competition requirements must be adhered to as per Ontario Soccer Operational Procedures.

2. Sanctioning Responsibility for OASL Academies

All sanctioning or approval with regards to travel permits, application to host exhibition games, festival applications and tournament applications and transfers for OASL Academies will be approved by Ontario Soccer.

3. Registration Questions

Books and rosters for OASL Academies are validated by Ontario Soccer. All OASL Academies players are registered as "Competitive or Development" players. Any questions with regards to registration of OASL players should be directed to Ontario Soccer.

Information regarding this pilot project can be found on the [Ontario Soccer website](#).

As a two year pilot project and league of Ontario Soccer, monitoring will be provided by Ontario Soccer and a full evaluation of the league will take place and a full report provided to the Board of Directors following the completion of the 2018 Outdoor season.

For further information please contact [Ryan Tuske](#).

