

MidState Soccer Club Facilities

Outdoor

MidState Soccer Club holds its outdoor programming at the Decatur Soccer Complex, located across from Stephen Decatur Middle School. This premier facility features 2 lighted soccer fields, 4 competition fields and 2 practice fields.

Indoor

The Decatur Indoor Sports Center on the campus of Millikin University features a state-of-the-art 66 x 33 yard indoor turf surface, ensuring athletes they'll advance their game and have fun playing soccer, regardless of outdoor weather conditions.

Classic Cup

April 20 - 22, 2012
Decatur Soccer Complex

All are invited to attend the MidState Classic Cup Tournament, featuring U9-U14 boys' and girls' club teams from Illinois and surrounding states. Visit midstatesoccer.com for more information or contact Rodney Schanefelt, Tournament Director, Colin Bonner, MidState Director, or Kristi Kravanek, Tournament Coordinator, at 429-3472.



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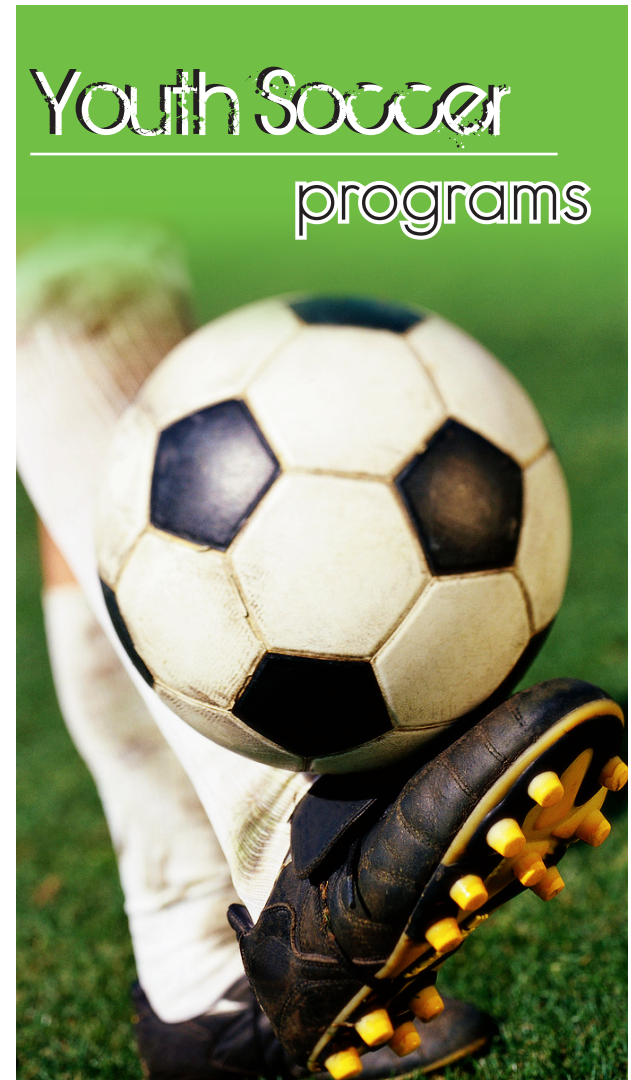


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Decatur Indoor
Sports Center
at Millikin University

Decatur Indoor Sports Center
1295 W. Wood Street • Decatur, IL 62522



MidState Objective

For over a decade, MidState Soccer Club has earned a reputation of excellence for its competitive club program and soccer academy. The objective is to provide all players, aged pre-school to high school, the opportunity to reach their full soccer potential through structured, high-quality training that instills a respect and love for the game. The club is a member of the Illinois Youth Soccer Association (IYSA) and the Central Illinois Youth Soccer League (CIYSL).

MidState Soccer Club

Take your game to the next level! Led by MidState's nationally licensed coaching staff, the club program is designed for more serious players who want to train and advance their skills. Teams range from U10 - U18 in boys' and girls' divisions. Each fall/spring season, club teams play 6 - 8 league games on Sundays and compete in 2 - 3 weekend tournaments. Training sessions are held 2 - 3 nights per week, generally on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays.

Cost includes fall, spring and indoor sessions:
U10 - U14 \$55 - \$75/month (Sept. - March)
U15 - U18 \$100/month (Sept. - Nov.)

\$100 uniform fee includes 2 jerseys, 1 short, and 1 bag. Uniforms typically last 2 - 3 years.



Soccer Academy

Each spring and fall, the academy offers specialized instruction for youth in grades K - 3. Training sessions focus on the technical development of the younger player while de-emphasizing the need to win. Academy sessions are scheduled 2 times per week for six weeks (spring) and eight weeks (fall) at the Decatur Soccer Complex. Fee ranges from \$55 - \$100 depending upon the season, along with a one-time \$30 uniform fee. Third graders (U9) may also have the opportunity to participate in 2 festivals consisting of games with other Central Illinois clubs and may require limited travel.

Tots Academy

The Tots Academy focuses on the basics of soccer, including passing, dribbling and coordination for children aged 3 - 6. The summer academy is held at the Decatur Soccer Complex across from Stephen Decatur Middle School, and the winter academy is held at the Decatur Indoor Sports Center (DISC).

Indoor Training/League

MidState Soccer Club hosts a popular winter program for players aged pre-school to U12, designed to teach soccer fundamentals and techniques. The winter league allows U 9 - 14 players to advance their game in the off-season. Session I runs from November - December and Session II runs from January - February.

Summer Camp

Led by Club Director Colin Bonner and highly qualified guest coaches, MidState's exciting summer soccer camp focuses on age-appropriate skills development, enhancement, and fun! Designed for boys and girls aged 5 - 18.

Summer League

U10 - U14 boys and girls interested in maintaining their skills can take part in the 4 v 4 recreational league, which runs from June - mid-July at the Decatur Soccer Complex.

Club Director

A graduate of Union University (Jackson, TN), Bonner was a 4-year starter and team captain, earning First Team All-Conference honors in 2006 and Scholar Athlete awards in 2005-



2007. He played semi-professionally for Scotland's Livingston Juniors and trained with professional clubs Aberdeen, Celtic, and Sunderland in Scotland and England. Bonner has been privileged to travel the world and play in over eight countries

including Spain, Holland and Germany. He was previously Director of Coaching for Jackson United in Missouri. Bonner has experience at the club, high school, and college levels and earned his National Soccer Coaches Association of America diploma in July 2009 from Elmhurst College.