



Wakefield United
Wakefield Soccer Association

What is Wakefield United?

- **Wakefield United, is our new club program, aimed at offering the player's of Wakefield an opportunity to participate in a more competitive year round program.**
- **Players will be given the chance to be coached by Full time professional coaches, in a professional atmosphere, following a curriculum designed by both WSA's DOC, and the New England Revolution.**



What is the United philosophy?

- **Our philosophy is aimed at the development of individual players, focusing on their core technical skills at an early age**
- **As the players develop we start to focus more tactical play and understanding of the sport.**
- **Our program will be influenced by the 4 main pillars for developing players Technical, Tactical, Physical and Psychological areas of the game**



Who is this program aimed at?

- **Wakefield United is aimed at the residents of Wakefield**
- **Aimed at players U9 through High School**
- **Teams will be created by Ability – in single age groups (U10,U11)**
- **We will have multiple teams per age group when possible**



What is the difference between Travel and United?

Professional coach – volunteer coach

- Licensed Coaches Minimum D License
- Higher Technical Understanding – played at a high level
- Coaches educating themselves – being current with new ideas
- Better positional understanding
- Better knowledge of the game
- No Parental influence
- Noticing the “little” details
- Game analysis

Higher level of commitment – Year round program

Training sessions – Fall, Spring & winter

Games –will be in a more competitive league, 16+ Games a year plus at least one tournament.

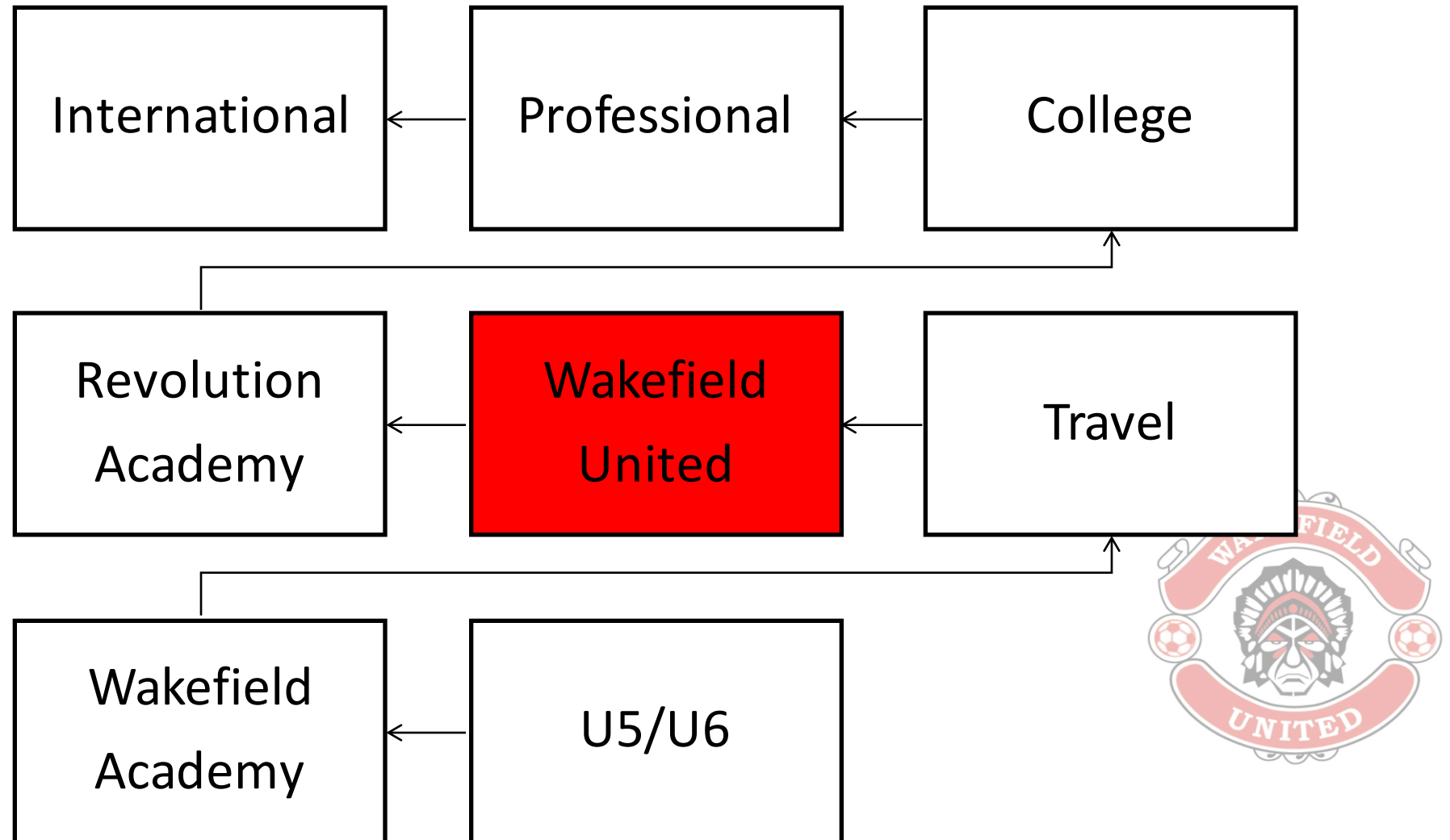


What I believe each player will experience?

- **Technical Training**
- **Multiple Positional play**
- **Experience playing more competitive players**
- **Tactical understanding of Positional play**
- **Set Piece Understanding (Defending, Attacking Corners)**
- **Better understanding of Systems of play**
- **Better understanding of Position specific Roles**



Player Pathway



How will a team look?

- **U9 will have a roster of 11/12 players**
- **U10 Will have a roster between 12-15 players**
- **U12(11v11) or U13+ will have rosters of 15-18 players**
- **Each team will have a Head Coach (revs or DOC)**
- **Each Team will have a Team Manager (parent volunteer)**



What is a Team manager?

- **Liaison between coach and Parents**
- **Responsible for letting the coach know who be absent from Training and Games**
- **Will let parents know of any game changes and schedule changes**
- **Will be in charge of collecting forms and sign ins at tournaments etc.**



Breakdown of the seasons

- **2 Practices a week, Spring and Fall (approx.32Overall)**
 - Each session is 90minutes long
 - 8 week season
- **1 Game a Week**
 - 16+ games a year
- **1 Tournament in the spring**
- **Additional tournaments optional, parental cost**
 - Possible winter training sessions.



How does my Child become a United Player?

- Tryouts are on a yearly basis, normally in early June,
- There will be Two nights of Tryouts (spring of 2016 1 tryout)
- DOC will be in charge of tryouts – run by Revs coaches
- Family's will be notified early about selection (24-72hours)via email
- Family's will have to sign a contract, and make a deposit payment to secure their placement(50%)
- Once the deposit is received and confirmed by WSA, Players will be able to order there uniform
- A few weeks before the season we will email schedules to parents.



Revs Partnership

Coaches

- Offers highly qualified coaches
- Coach Education opportunities
- Coaches constantly surrounded by 1st Team
- Coaches who want to learn and educate

Players

- Tournaments opportunities at Gillette
- Opportunity to be watched twice a week by Revs coaches
- Academy opportunities for older players (U14 up)
- Passionate about soccer!!



Program fee \$900

**The Program fee is \$900 for the
Included is..**

Coaching

1 tournament fee

League Registration fee

Uniform Shirt x 2(home and away)

- Shorts & Socks**
- Ball**
- Possibly a training jumper**



United Price Comparison

How do we fair against other clubs?

- Wakefield United \$900
- Sudbury \$800 – (NUI)
- Lexington - \$1050 (NUI)
- Strikers United - \$ 1750-1950
- Seacoast United – \$2200+
- Global Premier Soccer – \$3800+
- Breakers – \$2000+
- Bolts - \$2000+—Travel not included -
- NEFC - \$2500+
- FC Stars - \$2500+



So overall we aim to...

To offer an affordable program, ran by qualified coaches that gives our players the opportunity to train and play at the highest level possible in there own town, and using their own facilities



Spring 2016 \$300

- 2 practices and 1 game a week
- 8 weeks
- 1 tournament
- Partial uniform