



Casper Soccer Club Blades Tryout Information **June 24, 25, 26, 2024 6pm to 8pm**

The Casper Soccer Club will conduct open tryouts for the Blades teams selections on June 24, 25, & 26 from 6pm to 8pm. Registration and a nonrefundable tryout fee of \$50 is required. Located at the North Casper Soccer Complex on 1700 East K St.

Player check-in will begin and 5:30pm at the concession area. All players must check in and will be assigned a set of pennies that will need to returned on the 3rd night of tryouts.

The Blades program is a competitive traveling soccer program. Players must commit to a regular practice schedule and weekend travel events throughout the fall and spring seasons. Fall season is typically August through October and spring season is March through May/first of June. Winter season, November through February may include indoor practice and a couple of indoor small-sided events. Participation in the winter season depends on availability of coaches and players due to other activities. Ages 8U to 14U are invited to attend the Blades tryouts and must attend to be considered for team selection.

- 9/10U - birth year 2015/2016
- 11/12U - birth year 2013/2014
- 13/14U - birth year 2011/2012

All players, birth year 2012 to 2016, are expected to attend the 3 sessions. All players will need to be evaluated for team placement. If a returning player cannot attend the Blades tryouts, a written/ email notification by the parents must be sent to the DOC before the Blades tryouts. If you have any questions, contact the Director of Coaching (DOC) Mike or Matt at docmike@caspersoccerclub.com or docmatt@caspersoccerclub.com with questions.

- 15U to 19U – Birth year 2010 to 2006

Players from the birth year of 2006 to 2010 must indicate their participation in the seasonal year of 2024/25 by registering through the Tryout link but will not attend the player placement tryouts nor incur the Tryout. It will assist the coaches with planning.

The 15U age group is unique because players are either 8th graders or HS freshman, and the High School season affects the events available for the 15U – 19U age group. The options depend on the number of players participating in the 15U.

The 15-19U players are part of a pool of players for the age group and are selected for events.

CSC Blades Tryouts, June 24, 25, & 26, 2024 at 6pm to 8pm.

- **Please arrive early to check in** at the concession building.
- Check-in will be available at 5:30pm.
- **All Players must check in and will receive a set of numbered pennies for the tryouts.**
- Players need to wear a gray or white shirt for the placement tryouts.

- Dress for soccer – shin guards must be worn with socks covering shin guards.
- No jewelry of any kind will be worn during player selections.
- Bring a properly inflated soccer ball and water bottle.
- Once the player checks in, they will be directed to the designated field for their age and gender.
- The immediate field area is closed to parents. Parents are allowed to watch, but at a distance from the designated field area.
- The pennies must be returned to the check in area at the end of tryouts. There will be a charge of \$20 dollars if the set of pennies is not returned.

Players will only need to check in once for the 3 sessions. Once they have checked in, the next session they will meet at the designated field. Player placement tryouts will begin promptly at 6pm. Arrive a few minutes early to be ready to begin at 6pm.

CSC Blades is a competitive, traveling soccer program, players are selected for the teams in their respective age group.

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| • 9/10U Boys | 9/10U Girls |
| • 11/12U Boys | 11/12U Girls |
| • 13/14U Boys | 13/14U Girls |

Limited positions are available for the teams in each age division. Players are evaluated and selected for the teams. Unfortunately, a few may not be selected for the Blades program and will be eligible for the recreational program.

- 9/10U Teams – up to 4 teams – Red, Black, White, Gray
- 11/12U Teams – up to 3 teams – Red, Black, White
- 13/14U Teams – up to 2 teams – Red, Black
 - With practice pool player option
- 15U-19U Teams – Pool of players – 1-2 teams

Parent meeting on Tuesday, June 25 at 6:15pm at the concession building. General information will be provided to the parents.

- Casper Soccer Club – Mission, Vision, and Values
- Overview of the Blades program & other programs offered by Casper Soccer Club
 - Team manager
- Blades Players expectations and cost – Travel and event commitment.
 - WSA affiliation fee.
- Club Fundraiser – assist with Membership fees and team fees.
- Uniform information will be available. Uniform styles are on average available for 2 years. Expect to purchase a new uniform every 2 years.
 - Girls' uniforms style will stay the same.
 - Boys' uniforms will be a new style – new uniforms will be required.

Each team will conduct a parent meeting once selection is completed, which will address specific information to that team.

Blades 9U to 15U Annual Membership Fee- \$500 - All Selected Players must register through the online Got Soccer registration service - Electronic signature of the medical release form & waiver information is required. Proof of age is required for all competitive players. All players and parents are responsible for knowing the Blades Policies and Procedures and other policy documents available. Blades membership registration is due by July 29. A late fee of \$25.00 applies to membership fees not paid by the scheduled due date.

The WSA, USYS, US Soccer affiliation fee is an additional charge of \$36, payable at the time of registration checkout. Registration checkout will also include a GotSport Software fee.

Players are responsible for additional fees including uniform, tournament cost, travel, indoor training, team equipment, etc.

Blades United 15U to 19U Annual Membership Fee - \$375* annually - All players must register through the online Got Soccer registration service - electronic signature of medical release form and waiver information are required. Blades membership fees are due by July 29. A late fee of \$25.00 will apply to membership fees not paid by scheduled due dates.

The WSA, USYS, US Soccer affiliation fee is an additional charge of \$36, payable at the time of registration checkout. Registration checkout will also include a GotSport Software fee.

Players are responsible for additional fees including uniform, tournament cost, Coach travel, training, team equipment, etc.

Players will be notified within 10 days after the player placement tryouts. Blades membership registration is due by July 29. Payment and fundraising options are available.

Each selected player must have the currently approved Blades uniform and is responsible for its cost.

Additional costs apply and may include event registration, referee payments, team equipment, coach travel expenses, individual travel, and lodging cost, etc.