# JUNCTION FC WOMEN'S PREMIER SOCCER LEAGUE PLAYER PACKET – SUMMER 2024

Come play a guaranteed 12-game, ultra-competitive, summer season in Central Illinois. Junction FC's team is based out of Champaign, IL & competes in the Midwest Conference – National Road Division of the WPSL. Our team may roster current & former college players from a variety of colleges, high level clubs, and many players preparing to play professionally.

#### **SEASON**

- May 6th preseason starts | \$150 registration fee per/player
- Practice 3 days a week, 3:30-5:30 PM
- 1-2 games/weekend | 6 home & 6 away (all in Illinois, Indiana, and Ohio)
- 18-20 player roster for each game

# **TRYOUTS**

March 9th, 2:00-4:30 PM, Soccer Planet, 2310 N Willow Rd, Urbana, IL
 61802 - \$50 registration fee per/player, register at

# www.soccerplanetcu.com

- Players interested are required to submit their highlight reel video, headshot, and action photo before March 9<sup>th</sup> to junctionfcwpsl@gmail.com

# **ACCOMODATIONS**

- Players welcome to hold summer, day jobs as needed
- Each player must arrange transportation for team events

# GAME SCHEDULE (days/times may shift slightly)

- Away, Saturday May, 11th @ 4PM vs Milwaukee Torrent
- Away, Friday, May 17th @ 6PM vs FC Dayton
- Away, Saturday, May 18th @ 3PM vs Dayton Dutch Lions
- Away, Friday, May 24th @ 7PM vs FC Pride
- Away, Monday, May 27th @ 4PM vs Lou Fusz
- Home, Saturday, June 8th @ 4PM vs Dayton Dutch Lions
- Home, Sunday, June 9th @ 2PM vs FC Dayton
- Home, Thursday, June 13th @ 7PM vs Lou Fusz
- Away, Sunday, June 16th @ 2PM vs FC Spirit
- Home, Sunday, June 23rd @ 1PM vs FC Spirit
- Home, Saturday, June 29th @ 5PM vs FC Pride
- Home, Saturday, July 13th @ 4PM vs Milwaukee Torrent

# JUNCTION FC STAFF:

- Kip McDaniel Head Coach
- Josh Stebbins Assistant Coach
- Mike Noy Radanavong Goalkeeper Coach
- Mark Sikora General Manager
- Kip McDaniel Lead of Sports Performance
- Josh Stebbins Communication & Media, Social Media Coordinator

# CONTACT INFORMATION:

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# **PRACTICES**

Location: Urbana Tigers Athletic Complex, 1002 S Race St, Urbana, IL 61801 - Days: Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays (will vary by week based on game schedule) - Time: 3:30-5:30 PM unless adjusted for weather

- Expected to arrive at least 10 minutes early to training

# **GAMES**

- Home game played at Urbana Tigers Athletic Complex, 1002 S Race St, Urbana, IL 61801 Certified athletic trainer on site for all games
- Expected to arrive 1 hour prior to kick off, dressed appropriately, & ready to compete

# **EVENTS**

- April 11th Soccer Symposium / Brand Launch Party
- All players expected to attend community service events throughout summer

# OTHER DETAILS

- All players required to personal insurance; the WPSL provides secondary insurance up to a certain dollar amount

# **SPONSORSHIP**







# PLAYER COMMITMENT JUNCTION FC WPSL - SUMMER 2024

Junction FC WPSL expects excellence both on & off the field, especially in the Champaign/Urbana community. We ask that each of our players for this select team agree to uphold the following set of commitments:

# ON THE FIELD

- If you are selected & commit to the team, you will be expected to:
- We expect all players to commit to the entirety of the season. If you cannot do this, please be upfront about your availability so we can plan accordingly.
- Respect your teammates, coaches, staff, opponents, referees, team gear & equipment Commit to being at every scheduled practice & game. Priority for training spots & game roster spots will be given to those who can commit to the whole season.
- Arrive early to practices & games, dressed appropriately, & ready to compete
- If you must miss a team event, you must communicate at least 24 hours in advance but longer notice is highly encouraged
- Bring a positive attitude & competitive spirit to all team practices & games
- Each player must carry their own insurance in addition to the secondary insurance that WPSL provides its players

# OFF THE FIELD

- If you are selected & commit to the team, you will be expected to:
- Attend community service events during the season
- Represent the team & club well in public spaces & at events
- Conduct yourself respectfully & professionally in any interviews & on all social media platforms

Violating any of these commitments is grounds for Junction FC and/or the team's coaching staff to suspend you from games or practices & if needed, to remove you from the roster.

\$200 Commitment/Gear deposit. If you fulfill your player commitment, which means you play the entire season; and you return all your gear (list items); your \$200 deposit will be returned.

Please read through the above commitments carefully. If you can commit to upholding them for the entirety of the season please sign and date below:

| Player Name: | <br>Signature |
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