



# PETERBOROUGH CITY SOCCER ASSOCIATION

## CAMP DIRECTOR'S REPORT

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The summer of 2016 was another successful one for our *Peterborough City Soccer Camp*. Led by Camp Director, Sean Hazeldine, and supported by PCSA Member/ Club VP Jim Onusko, the camp continued to be a popular one amongst the City of Peterborough summer recreational programs. As the number of available, affordable camps continues to rise in the city, it is a testament that our soccer numbers have been consistent over the past few summers.

This summer we had over 200 players register to attend camp over our four weeks of July. Many players attended the camp for multiple weeks. There were continued 'tweaks' to our programming, and this summer saw our first-ever 'Girls Only' group which was met with great success. Our program focus around LTPD has strengthened the numbers at our grassroots levels, and this area continued to be strong this summer.

The camp was able to 'employ' 6 full-time staff, all former Club players, along with having 15 local student volunteers. The camp has continued to reach out to our coaching membership for support, and this past summer, 5 PCSA coaches supported the camp.

Moving forward, there are a few areas to look at in continuing to enhance the summer camp program. Consideration should be given to perhaps moving to a 'sold-out' two or three week program, as our last week tends to have the lowest numbers. Promotion within the club to continue to get qualified coaches for our 'Rep' weeks, is essential. Maintaining the partnership with the City of Peterborough, with the current structure of our PCSA Board, is important from an organizational standpoint.

PCSA Soccer camp profits were just over \$4000 this summer, a profit that goes directly back into the PCSA.