



# Team Evanston Academy



**Free Academy Clinic on June 20th at 10 am at Bent Park!**

## The Goals of the Academy

- Provide U6-U8 players the chance to learn the basic skills of soccer in a fun and rewarding environment
- An intense focus on the individual player to develop their individual skills
- Create an environment which cultivates a love for the game for each player
- Create competitive environments without the pressures of outcomes of games
- Prepare these players for a possible future in Team Evanston

## Curriculum

- Individual skill development through fun games, dribbling, passing, receiving, and striking the ball
- Clear focus to help each player reach 1,000 touches per session
- Professional coaching from TE's top coaches and Directors
- The Academy League developed and controlled by TE to enhance the soccer experience of playing games without the pressure of results
- Program is purely player driven, not team driven
- 1 vs. 1 and small-sided games to include every player all the time in every session
- Use of *The Everton Way*\* to guide TE's coaches experience and the Academy players' experience



## The Program

- The Academy is open to all players that are born between August 1, 2002 and June 30th, 2005 .
- The Academy players will train once per week with the Team Evanston Academy Coaches and play in the Team Evanston Academy League once per week
- Academy players will also be invited to participate in festivals with other Academies
- Each Academy player will receive an evaluation from one of the Team Evanston Academy Coaches

## Important Information

- The Academy will begin on Aug. 24th and end on Oct. 26th.
- The Academy League will begin on Fridays beginning Aug. 27th.
- Cost is \$395 for both fall and spring and includes two shirts, a pair of shorts, and a ball.
- Please sign up today online at [www.teamevanston.org](http://www.teamevanston.org)

*\*The Everton Way and its contents can be viewed at [www.theevertonway.com](http://www.theevertonway.com).*