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## Metro United Fall College Showcase Champions



During the weekend of October 30-31 the Under 18 Girls competed at the Metro United Girls College Showcase in Collinsville, IL. Playing in front of college coaches from all over the Midwest, the girls captured the Championship in the Under 19 Division.

Recognized as one of the top tournaments for both boys and girls in the Midwest, the U18 Girls defeated Campton United (IL), Avalon FC (MO) and tied BFC Metro in round robin play. In the Semifinal, they defeated the Chicago Magic (IL) 2-1 to earn a berth in the Finals. The St Louis Cougars (MO) provided the opponent in the Final and after a thrilling finish, the U-18 Girls won.

"Winning the championship of such a well-known tournament is a great achievement for our Girls program. It was a total effort and the girls proved that they can compete at this level. They have worked hard all fall season and were definitely ready for the weekend," said Jeremy Alumbaugh.

## Metro United Fall Classic Champions



After playing less than spectacular soccer on day one, the Under 14 Boys Red rebounded on day two to bring home the title October 10th, at the Metro United Boys Fall Classic. "The boys had some disappointing results on Saturday, but stepped up to the challenge on Sunday," said Cory Carr.

In the Semi-Final, the boys defeated Olathe Spirit by a score of 2-1. This set up a matchup vs. Chicago Wind Nationals (IL) in the Final. After a thrilling overtime game the Championship was decided on penalty-kicks with the boys coming out on top. "Being a part of one of the top tournaments in the Midwest was really a good experience for the team and then to go on and win, it was great," said Coach Cory Carr.

**A BIG Thank You to all Team Administrators and Coaches for a successful Fall Season.**