



Dear La Roca FC Family,

In case you missed last week's announcement about La Roca FC's partnership with Fundeazy, we've included the press release below. We want to assure you that we share your concerns about the uncertain future, and La Roca has a plan for reducing the financial burden of soccer. We will be officially launching the program in a few weeks, so watch for more details.

As we head into the second week of La Roca FC tryouts, we remind you that we are committed to keeping everyone safe and healthy by following the COVID guidelines developed by Utah Youth Soccer Association and the Utah Department of Health. The most important thing you can do is keep your child home if he or she is not feeling well; your child's coach will understand and support your decision to keep your child home. Ask your child how he/she is feeling before bringing them to tryouts.

A chart of the La Roca Tryouts COVID Guidelines is included in this newsletter. Please review it with your child prior to tryouts. The current COVID guidelines require that all players and parents practice social distancing by remaining 6' apart and wearing a face mask when not engaged in on-field activities. Please ensure your child is wearing a face mask when they arrive at tryouts and has their own hand sanitizer in their soccer bag to use before, during, and after tryouts.

The UYSA guidelines also prohibit spectators at soccer events, including tryouts. *All parents must remain in or next to their cars during La Roca FC tryouts.*

Remember to register your child for tryouts *before midnight the night before the first tryout session* so that your child appears on the tryout roster. ALL players should attend both days of tryouts, even returning La Roca players. Tryout results will be posted by tryout number on [larocafc.com](http://larocafc.com) by the end of the day Sunday, June 21, for U13-19 players.

Today's newsletter includes:

- La Roca Tryouts COVID Guidelines
- 2020-21 Coaching Assignments
- U13-19 Tryout information
- ECNL tryout information
- Fundeazy partnership
- Shop Amazon Smile and support La Roca FC
- Links to 2020-21 fee schedules

We will keep you informed about news that impacts our club families through this weekly club-wide newsletter. More time-sensitive news will be posted on our social media pages, so please follow La Roca FC on our social media pages:



## La Roca Tryouts COVID Guidelines

Please review this information and share it with your player *prior* to tryouts:



### COVID-19 GUIDELINES

## La Roca FC 2020-21 Tryouts

CLUB	COACH & TEAM MANAGER	PARENT	PLAYER
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Communicate COVID-19 Guidelines to all tryout participants</li><li>Ensure La Roca staff wears PPE and uses hand sanitizer</li><li>Provide sufficient space for group distancing at tryout locations</li><li>Establish clear drop-off and pick-up zones at tryout locations</li><li>Enforce COVID-19 guidelines</li><li>Report any players with COVID-19 to Utah Department of Health</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Wear PPE when addressing the team within 6 feet</li><li>Use hand sanitizer</li><li>Sanitize all equipment before, during and after session</li><li>Support players who are unable to participate due to illness</li><li>Provide sufficient space for group distancing while addressing team</li><li>Clearly mark spaces for players' personal gear</li><li>Ensure players wear face masks when not engaged in on-field activities</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Before arriving at tryouts, confirm the player is symptom-free</li><li>Supply player with face mask and hand sanitizer</li><li>Review guidelines with player</li><li>Do not remain on field after dropping off player (return to car)</li><li>Keep distance of 6 feet when addressing La Roca staff</li><li>Do not congregate with other parents</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Report any symptoms to parent BEFORE tryouts</li><li>Wash hands before and after tryouts</li><li>Bring own face mask and hand sanitizer</li><li>Wear face mask when not engaged in activities</li><li>Use hand sanitizer before and after session and during breaks</li><li>Keep distance of 6 feet when not participating in on-field activities</li><li>Do not share water, food, or other personal items</li><li>Place personal equipment 6 feet apart</li></ul>

## 2020-21 Coaching Assignments

La Roca FC announced its coaching assignments for next year. *(Please not that assignments and team alignment are subject to change.)*

# 2020-21 girls teams



NORTH	
TEAM	COACH
U7 Academy	TBA
U8 Academy	Todd Cate
U9 North A	Burton Cate
U10 North A	Tyler Henley
U10 North B	Heidi Wheelwright
U11 North A	Tyler Henley
U12 Prem Silver	Pancho Ovalle
U13 Prem Grey	Felipe Diaz
U13 D1	Ricardo Aparicio
U15 Premier	F Diaz & R Hidalgo
U16 Premier	LeiAnne Price
U17 Premier	Joe Hickman
U17 D3	David Lockwood
U18 Premier	Craig Sanders
U18 Premier 2	TJ Waters
U19 Premier	TBA

SALT LAKE	
TEAM	COACH
U9	TBA
U10	TBA
U11	TBA
U13 Metro A	Ivan Guerrero
U13 D3	Nefi Gomez
U16 D1	Ivan Guerrero
U18 D2	Trish Roberts

SOUTH	
TEAM	COACH
U8 X-League	Ariel Bravo
U9 South A	Doub Webb
U9 South B	Gary Nell
U10 South A	Josue Abarca
U11 South A	Flavio Bleinat
U12 Premier Silver	Flavio Bleinat
U15 Premier	Ariel Bravo
U15 Premier 2	Kurt Nydegger
U15 D1	Josue Abarca
U16 Premier	Elton Jazexhiu
U16 Premier 2	Chris Theuer
U18 Premier	Ariel Bravo

## ECNL TEAMS



2008 - Felipe Diaz and Flavio Bleinat  
 2007 - Pancho Ovalle  
 2006 - Felipe Diaz  
 2005 - Pancho Ovalle  
 2004 - David Chevez  
 2003/02 - Adolfo Ovalle

## SPANISH FORK

TEAM	COACH
U10 South A	Jeremy Lloyd
U13 D2	Trent Davies
U15 D2	Dallas Proctor
U17 D2	Emily Kunz
U18 D1	Spencer Anderson

# 2020-21 boys teams



NORTH	
TEAM	COACH
U7 Academy	TBA
U8 Academy	Chris Kent
U9 North A	Roly Hidalgo
U9 North A	Will Morby
U9 North A	Francisco Escobar
U9 North B	TBA
U10 North A	Francisco Escobar
U10 North A	Thiago Cano
U11 North A	Chad Sackett
U11 North B	Eduardo Oroz
U11 North B	Will Morby
U11 North D	Alex Vazquez
U12 Prem Orange	Tyler Hunsaker
U12 Prem Purple	Nelly Lopez
U13 Prem Jet	Kelly Parke
U13 Prem Grey	Thiago Cano
U14 Premier	TJ Waters
U14 D1	Joe Hickman
U14 North A	Mike Galbraith
U15 Premier	Adolfo Ovalle
U15 D1	Thiago Cano
U16 Premier	Alex Vazquez
U16 D1	Alex Vazquez
U17 D1	Joe Hickman
U18 Premier 2	Najah Odeh
U19 Premier	Roly Hidalgo
U19 D1	Nelly Lopez

SALT LAKE	
TEAM	COACH
U7	Armando Uribe
U8	Luiz de la Cruz
U9	Luiz de la Cruz
U9 Metro A	Ivan Guerrero
U9 Metro B	Elie & Hector Cortes
U10 Metro A	Nefi Gomez
U11 Metro A	Eric Ruiz
U11 Metro B	Danny Acosta
U12 Metro A	Nefi Gomez
U13 Prem Jet	Ivan Guerrero
U13 Metro A	Danny Acosta
U14 D2	Ahmed Bakrim
U14 Metro B	Ahmed Bakrim
U15 Premier 2	Danny Acosta
U15 D3	Danny Acosta
U16/17/18 D1	Armando Uribe

SOUTH	
TEAM	COACH
U8 X-League	Spencer Thomas
U8 X-League	Raphael Oliveira
U9 South A	José Milla
U9 South A	Jeff Miller
U10 South A	José Milla
U10 South B	Kurt Nydegger
U11 South A	Mario Hernandez
U11 South B	Kurt Nydegger
U12 Prem Orange	Fabricio Soares
U12 D1	Jeff Miller
U13 D1	Cesar Botero
U14 Premier	Mario Hernandez
U14 South A	Mario Hernandez
U15 D2	Cesar Botero
U15 South A	Cesar Botero
U16 Premier 2	Elton Jazexhiu
U17 Premier 2	Cesar Botero
U18 Premier	Celso Santos
U19 Premier	Hailame Kaufusi

## ECNL TEAMS



2008 - Celso Santos  
 2007 - José Milla  
 2006 - Celso Santos  
 2005 - Celso Santos  
 2004 - David Chevez  
 2003/02 - David Chevez

## SPANISH FORK

TEAM	COACH
U9 South B	Brian Ewell
U11 South B	Ryan Lemon
U12 Prem Purple	Ryan Lemon
U13 South B	TBA
U15 D2	Ryan Lemon

Tryout Registration Closes at Midnight



Tryouts in all 4 of La Roca's regions will be held on the following dates for ALL players interested in being placed on La Roca teams (returning players AND new players). Information about locations, dates and times for each region is posted at <https://larocafc.com/tryouts/>.

**U13-U19 players:** Mon-Thu, Jun 15-18

**Register by MIDNIGHT before tryouts begin to ensure your child's name appears on the tryout roster. Tryouts are FREE to all participants this year.**

If you know of any children who would like to EXPERIENCE THE LA ROCA DIFFERENCE, please invite them to attend tryouts and refer their parents to our website for registration.

*We are not using tryout shirts this year.* Returning La Roca FC players should wear their gray training jersey to tryouts. Players who do not have a gray jersey should wear a white shirt. Numbered stickers will be distributed to players when they check in at their age group station. The sticker should be reapplied the second day of tryouts.

[Register for North Tryouts](#)  
[Register for Salt Lake Tryouts](#)  
[Register for South Tryouts](#)  
[Register for Spanish Fork Tryouts](#)

***Tryout results for each region will be posted by tryout number on the La Roca website by the end of the day Sunday, June 21 for U13-19 players.***

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## ECNL Tryouts

Tryouts for La Roca FC's new ECNL girls and ECNL boys teams have been scheduled and coaches have been announced. Please use the correct link below to register your player for ECNL tryouts (*note the region and birth year for each session*). All La Roca FC tryouts are FREE this year.

### **La Roca ECNL Girls Tryouts:**

#### **NORTH Girls 2007 and 2008:**

Tue & Thu, June 16 & 18, 4:30-6:30 pm  
La Roca Park, 128 E. South Weber Dr., South  
Weber UT 84405

[Tryout Registration: North ECNL Girls 2007 & 2008 Teams](#)

**SOUTH Girls 2008:**

Tue & Thu, June 16 & 18, 4:30-6:30 pm  
Timberline Middle School, 500 W. Canyon Crest  
Dr., Alpine UT 84004

[Tryout Registration: South ECNL Girls 2008  
Team](#)



**La Roca ECNL Boys Tryouts:**

**NORTH Boys**

**2002/03 and**

**2004:**

Mon & Wed,  
June 15 & 17,  
7:00-9:00 pm  
La Roca  
Park, 128 E.  
South Weber  
Dr., South  
Weber UT 84405



[Tryout Registration: North ECNL Boys 2002/03 and 2004 Teams](#)

**SOUTH Boys 2005:**

Mon & Wed, June 15 & 17, 7:00-9:00 pm  
Timberline Middle School, 500 W. Canyon Crest Dr. Alpine UT 84004

[Tryout Registration: South ECNL Boys 2005 Team](#)

**SOUTH Boys 2006, 2007 and 2008:**

Mon & Wed, June 15 & 17, 4:30-6:30 pm  
Timberline Middle School, 500 W. Canyon Crest Dr. Alpine UT 84404

[Tryout Registration: South ECNL Boys 2006, 2007, 2008 Teams](#)

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## La Roca FC Partners with Fundeazy



FUNDEAZY

La Roca FC is excited to announce that it has partnered with Fundeazy to create an easy path for soccer players to earn sponsorship funds while stimulating small business. More details will be available to all La Roca families when the program is officially launched the end of June. The following press release was published on June 3, 2020:

*La Roca FC and Fundeazy have created a unique partnership to solve some of the*



challenges created by the COVID-19 pandemic. Due to COVID-19, many families are now facing economic hardship and are having to reevaluate where disposable income is spent. Fundraising is needed now more than ever. Likewise, many companies are struggling to get back on their feet and generate new business. With the La Roca FC and Fundeazy partnership, it's a win-win for all.

As many studies have shown, kids who participate in organized sports do better in school, have better interpersonal skills, are more team oriented, and are generally healthier. Besides knowing the value of youth sports for their child, parents just want their kids active and involved in a wholesome activity. Now, with the Fundeazy program, players will have a much easier time covering the cost to participate in the game they love. With this sponsorship program, players can generate new clientele for small businesses while receiving sponsorship dollars from these businesses in return.

When asked about the partnership with Fundeazy, La Roca FC Founder and Technical Director, Adolfo Ovalle said, "We are so excited to get back to the game of soccer. Our goal is to remove any obstacle or financial burden for players and families that would prohibit them from returning. La Roca is truly thinking outside of the box with this opportunity."

"Long gone are the days of traditional fundraising," say Matt Cohen, CEO of Fundeazy. "Parents want a safer method than having their child go door-to-door selling chocolate bars and cookie dough. This requires a lot of time, handling of money, and, quite frankly, produces small returns. With Fundeazy, the whole process is streamlined online. Participants don't have to sell anything, collect money or handle inventory. They simply connect their network to services they already want or need."

"We did a trial run with Fundeazy last year," said Salt Lake City Director of Operations Julia Howard. "We learned really quickly that those who chose to participate earned money almost immediately. One player earned over \$1200 in two weeks. He came close to covering all of his soccer fees for the whole year."

With youth soccer finally getting the green light to hold tryouts in June, the Fundeazy opportunity will be presented to every La Roca player so they can officially kick-off their sponsorship campaign. The process is easy, all online and takes only weeks to generate funds. The players are also constantly supported and encouraged along the way to reach their goals and earn rewards as they hit milestones.

### ***About Fundeazy***

Fundeazy is a licensed Professional Fundraiser that brokers sponsorship donations from local companies to financially support youth groups, teams and clubs. Kids earn their donations by rallying supporters who qualify for virtual sales meetings with sponsoring companies. Local businesses get the opportunity to sit with potential customers in performance-based marketing while supporting the community.

## Shop for Father's Day on Amazon Smile

### Turn your Father's Day shopping into a force for good

Buy your gifts at [smile.amazon.com](https://smile.amazon.com)  
and Amazon donates

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When you shop at AmazonSmile, you generate donations for La Roca Futbol Club. Do your Father's Day shopping on AmazonSmile and start making a difference today!

[Shop AmazonSmile](https://smile.amazon.com)

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## 2020-21 Fee Schedules by Region

[2020-21 Fees - North Teams](#)

[2020-21 Fees - Salt Lake Teams](#)

[2020-21 Fees - South Teams](#)

[2020-21 Fees - Spanish Fork Teams](#)

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