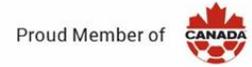




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## INFORMATION BULLETIN

**Bulletin #:** I2019-013  
**Date:** March 4, 2019  
**To:** Ontario Soccer; District Membership, ORA, Associate Members  
**CC:** Ontario Soccer Board of Directors, Staff  
**From:** Gabriel Assis, Manager, Player Development Program  
**Subject:** 2019 Ontario Recognized Academies and Ontario Academy Soccer League

Ontario Soccer is pleased to announce the Ontario Recognized Academies (ORA) approved by the Ontario Soccer Board of Directors for the 2019 season. 54 Academies are now part of the ORA program, with 40 Academies having renewed their ORA status from 2018 and 14 successful new applications.

ORA organizations have demonstrated an ability to meet technical and administrative standards set by Ontario Soccer. The program is designed to identify private academies within Ontario.

Forty-seven of the 54 Ontario Recognized Academies have committed to participate in the Ontario Academy Soccer League (OASL) in 2019. The OASL is the only competitive Academy league operated by Ontario Soccer and the only forum for Ontario Recognized Academies to receive full Academy benefits and entitlements within the Ontario Soccer sanctioned structure.

The 47 Academies committed to the OASL in 2019 are as follows:

Athlete Institute Academy	FC Durham Academy	Master's Futbol Academy
BCN FC Ottawa Academy	First Touch FC Academy (NEW)	Newstars Futbol Academy (NEW)
BCN FC Toronto Academy	FOGO FC Academy	North York Academy (NEW)
Berlin Football Academy (NEW)	Genesis Football Academy	Northern Soccer Academy
Blue Devils Academy	Gladiator Soccer Academy (NEW)	Premier Soccer Institute Academy
Brampton Elite Soccer Academy	GPS Academy	Prime Soccer Academy (NEW)
Brampton FC Academy	Halton Hawks FC Academy (formerly YDSA)	Prostars FC Academy
Brazilian Soccer Academy	International FC Academy	RED Academy of Soccer
BRI FC Academy (NEW)	Jarvis SC Academy (NEW)	Rush Canada Soccer Academy



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Bryst Football Academy	Kingston-Belleville FC Academy	Sarnia Academy
Burlington SC Academy	KO Football Academy (NEW)	Shahph Puma Sports Club Academy
CAQ Soccer Academy (NEW)	Lakeshore United Soccer Academy (NEW)	Soccer School of Excellence Academy (SSE 90)
Chantilly Forever FC Academy	LM Premier Academy	St. Jude's FC Academy
DeRo United Futbol Academy	London Football Academy	Stella Rossa FC Academy
DFC Academy (formerly Dragon Force)	London TFC Academy	Supernova FC Academy
Dutch Connections FC Academy	Mapola FC Academy	

Seven other organizations were approved by the Ontario Soccer Board of Directors for the ORA program under SAAC, but opted not to play in the OASL for 2019. Those organizations are: ANB Futbol Academy, Canada First Academy, Eurostar Football Academy, Power FC Academy, Sigma FC Academy, Toronto Skillz FC Academy and USC Academy.

These SAAC organizations must register its players and team officials with Ontario Soccer, however, as an Associate Member will operate under limited conditions, including but not limited to:

- No access to Ontario Soccer sanctioned Tournaments, Showcases, and Festivals
- No access to Exhibition Games with Club teams and OASL Academy teams
- No access to Ontario Soccer indoor programming
- No access to Ontario Indoor Cup and Ontario Futsal Cup
- No access to Ontario Soccer's Insurance Program
- No access to permits such as TAF, FAF, AHEG, TEP, Playing Out Permission, among others
- No access to Canada Soccer's Club Licensing Program

Ontario Soccer Clubs or Academies engaging in unsanctioned competition with the seven Academies noted above will be in breach of Ontario Soccer Operational Procedures.

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