



## Greetings!

The fall season is well underway and we have been enjoying watching all the teams! This is a fall check-in to let you know about all the exciting events, important dates, and club news. Huge congratulations to all of the Schwaben teams for their hard work this fall. We are looking forward to the indoor season.

Thanks for all the fun pictures posted of players in their Schwaben Gear at their schools for Schwaben Pride Day! Congratulations, Morgan for winning the contest - pictures below.

The club calendar on the [Schwabens home page](#) is your resource for important upcoming events. Here are some exciting events and academy information:

### UPCOMING EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

**-College Recruiting Night at Schwaben** - Dec 4th 5:30pm-7pm.

Everyone that is interested in college soccer or just wants to hear some information on collegiate sports recruitment should attend this fun panel. More info below

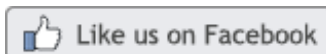
**-93rd Anniversary Banquet** - Nov 2nd 6pm cocktails, 7pm dinner. For reservations please contact Margo Schon: mschon1@att.net [See website](#) for details and registration.

**-Indoor Practice Begins** - Indoor practice begins Dec 2nd at LK Soccer in Vernon Hills, 701 N. Milwaukee Ave, STE 246, Vernon Hills, IL 60061

**-Holiday Party** - December 14th, registration & party info below - this will be sold out so join the fun!

**Hansa Winter Academy** - Winter Session I begins 12/2, details below

Go Schwaben!



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# SCHWABEN ON THE MOVE!



We had a great time at the Von Steuben parade. Thanks for representing Schwaben so well!



Players having fun riding the bus to and from Chicago.

## FALL FUN!



Schwaben AC Approved as a US Club Soccer  
Players First-licensed Club!



Schwaben AC has been approved as a US Club Soccer Players First-licensed club, one of only 82 clubs in the country. We're honored to be nationally recognized on the forefront of raising the standards of youth soccer, as a Players First-licensed club. Players First is built on five pillars: Club Development, Coaching Development, Player Development, Parent Engagement & Education and Player Health & Safety.

More information please read [US Club Soccer Q&A with DOC Thomas Gansauge](#).

## Hamburger Fußball-Verband (HFV) Comes To Schwaben



## Friendship Chicago - Hamburg 2019

Schwaben AC hosted the Hamburger Fußball-Verband (HFV) from October 6th - 16th. The players had group practices with Schwaben to prepare for their game against Chicago Fire Academy '06 and the International Tournament, both hosted by Schwaben.

Thanks to all the players, coaches, and families that came out to cheer on the HFV. They felt very welcomed and at home. The players enjoyed a trip to the German Consulate, architecture tour

along the Chicago River, visit to the Bean, Navy Pier, tour of Stevenson High School, team dinner at Schwaben, BBQ at Schwaben, shopping, Family Day with Schwaben players and more. The coaches also go to attend a Bulls game and Blackhawks match.



We plan for next group to go to Hamburg in 2022!



## HANSA INDOOR ACADEMY- DISCOUNT!

A reminder that all current Schwaben A.C. players receive a **\$15 discount** for the Hansa Winter Academy Session I - use this voucher code when registering: **ZEWVPJ**.

Improve your game with Technique/Ball Mastery, Small Sided Games, and Speed and Agility

[Please visit the Academy Page for more information and registration.](#)

REGISTER

## SCHWABEN HOLIDAY PARTY - December 14th



This is a family event - parents and siblings of players are welcome to come! We'll be dancing and games for the kids lead by our MC with a buffet dinner! Win prizes in the raffle and bid to leave with a great gift basket.

**Menu:** Buffet Dinner - \*Please bring a dessert to share\*

**Location:** Schwaben Center - 301 N. Weiland Road, Buffalo Grove, IL

**Date:** Saturday, December 14th, 2018 5:00 - 9:00 pm

**Cost:** \$19 per adult/\$10 per child

[Online registration is now open](#)

## More Schwaben Fall Achievements

-The U8 team attended the Northern Illinois Soccer League (NISL) Seeding Festival yesterday. Day 1 results: wins, a couple losses, a draw, and 17 goals scored + ton of fun! Way to go!

-The U12 Boys National team had a fun weekend of soccer at the Great Lakes Soccer Challenge.

-The U8 National played 3 great games in the rain, mud, wind, and cold at the Eclipse Soccerfest in Waukegan. 2 wins over the hosts and a 2-3 loss to Olympiacos in a great game.

-The U12 girls played great against 3 very strong Eclipse teams. Although the results went the wrong way, we played at their level, controlled portions of the game, were dangerous, and had a great time. Proud of these warriors!

-The U11 Boys National & Olympic teams had fun and played well at the Soctober Fest Tournament. Way to go!

## SCHWABEN PRIDE DAY!

We were so excited to see all the Schwaben Pride Day posts! So many great pictures! Congratulations to Morgan, she won the Schwaben Pride Day giveaway tix to the U.S. Soccer vs Korea match Thanks to all for showing your Schwaben spirit!



## COLLEGE RECRUITING NIGHT AT SCHWABEN



We are excited to announce the date for our annual College Recruiting Night at Schwaben. We have put together a great informational event for December 4 @ 5:30p-7p @ Schwaben banquet hall. Everyone that is interested in college soccer or just wants to hear some information on collegiate sports

recruitment should attend this fun panel. We have invited Rob Kettle - college advisor, Daniel Andrews - Lake Forest College Head Coach alumni that are currently playing college soccer. You can get a first hand insight of three aspects of college soccer.

If you want to attend just fill in your info [here](#)

## COACHES' CORNER



Continuing education is important for the development of the Schwaben coaches.

-Schwaben hosted the USSF 11v11 grassroots course in July attended by Schwaben coaches as well as Chicagoland area coaches.

-Congrats to Coach Razvan for completing and receiving the USSF National C license.



## SCHWABEN ALUMNI NEWS



**Jun Min**



**Nick Janulis**

Schwaben first team players Jun Min and Nickolas Janulis clinched a spot in the MWC Playoffs with Knox College. With a win on Saturday they can crown their fantastic season with the MWC Championship. Congrats!

Schwaben players Randy Pietrowski, David Soto and Kevin Eloiza also secured their spot in the NACC tournament with the Dominican Stars. Congrats!

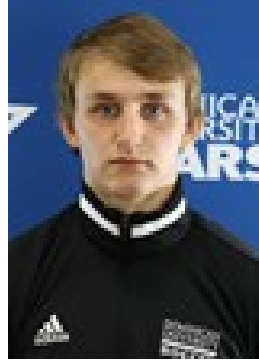


Joey Sopikiotis also clinched a spot in the CCIW conference with his Wheaton Thunder team. Joey scored a nice header in the last game vs Millikin University and secured 3:0 win. Congrats!

Matthew Brickman and Robert Rao still battling for a playoff spot in the Big East Conference with DePaul University. Good luck!



David Soto



Randy Pietrowski

## WOMEN'S FIRST TEAM NEWS

The Schwaben Women's Team will begin playing Sunday evenings starting November 10th at Athletico in Northbrook!

Come check out the 7v7 action!

Roster: Lisa Cramer, Ann Sofoluwe, Beth DeBaker, Margie Blum, Laura Walker, Melissa Cascella, Robyn Mortenson, April Baranowski, Nikki Rupert



## MEN'S FIRST TEAM NEWS

The Men's First Team will finish up their season versus SC Hammers on November 3rd at 4:45p at Olympic Park field 1. The team is currently in fourth place with respectable 23 points. Thanks to all players and volunteers involved for a great season!



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