



"IMAGINE"

*Imagine that your world was ...
 ...Supposed to be like everyone's world.
 Imagine your world was filled with laughter and joy.
 Imagine your world had no worries, no hatred.
 Imagine your world was void of politics
 and competition.
 Imagine your world had no enemies, only friends.
 Imagine you loved everyone.*

That is me. I may not act like you, but I feel like you...

*Now imagine that I could not play a sport.
 Now imagine that I could not participate like others.
 Now imagine that others don't know how to
 interact with me.*

*Now imagine that I dream of doing all the things
 I see others do.
 And pretend that there are some adults and
 teenagers who want to help me participate.*

*And pretend that someone developed a program
 to help me participate in sports.*

And pretend that person is you.



Programs & Events

Cal South TOPSoccer has programs running throughout Southern California. To see a full list of programs or to find one that would be the perfect fit for you and your child, please visit: www.calsouth.com/topsoccer/programs

Several Cal South TOPSoccer programs also hold annual festivals, round-robin tournaments and other events designed to help bring more awareness to the availability of TOPSoccer in their communities. To see a calendar of upcoming events, please visit: www.calsouth.com/topsoccer/calendar

Contact Info

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For the Game. For the World.

TOPSOCCER's mission in Cal South

TOPSOCCER - The Outreach Program for Soccer is a community-based recreational program specifically designed to help athletes with physical and mental disabilities participate in the world's most popular sport.

Cal South's numerous TOPSOCCER programs bring soccer to players who refuse to let their challenges stop them from playing the sport that they love. The emphasis of this program is on development, training and providing meaningful participation rather than on competition.

The basis of TOPSOCCER is a modified version of the game of soccer, specifically altered to allow full participation and enjoyment for each athlete. TOPSOCCER provides affordable opportunities for fitness and building self-esteem. One-on-one assistance is available for those who are in need of it. Above all, TOPSOCCER offers a recreational and fun approach to the game of soccer.



A successful TOPSOCCER program

- Places players by their abilities, not by age.
- Highlights each player's abilities rather than their disabilities.
- Allows each player to have a full, meaningful experience.
- Focuses on fun, fun, FUN!

Cal South is dedicated to promoting the development of new programs or even individual teams of TOPSOCCER players throughout all seven of its districts in Southern California. Cal South helps out new programs by providing access to start-up and adaptive equipment. The ultimate goal is to enable the thousands of local athletes with disabilities to be valued and successful members of Cal South.

If you are interested in starting your own TOPSOCCER program within your local league, please contact Sandy Castillo at 714-524-3354 or scastillo@calssouth.com.

Volunteering with Cal South TOPSOCCER

Cal South's TOPSOCCER programs are entirely dependent upon the power provided by volunteers. Volunteering for TOPSOCCER helps bring more awareness and understanding to the special needs community. You can even receive community service hours by helping out a TOPSOCCER program.

TOPSOCCER relies heavily on help provided by "Buddies." Anyone can be a TOPSOCCER Buddy: parents, brothers, sisters, aunts, uncles or friends. It doesn't matter if you have no soccer experience. If you want to give back to your community and help this vastly underserved part of our population get the chance to participate in soccer, TOPSOCCER is the place for you.

If you want to take it a step further, why not become a coach? It's easy, and there is a US Youth Soccer TOPSOCCER Coaching Certification Course available free of cost. To learn more about TOPSOCCER volunteering and coaching, please visit www.calssouth.com/topsoccer.

