## **2022 TOPSoccer Buddies**





## Want to be a TOPSoccer Buddy:

Email us at: <a href="mailto:PAWestTOPSoccer@gmail.com">PAWestTOPSoccer@gmail.com</a>

TOPSoccer is a community-based training and team placement program

for young athletes with special needs.

TOPSoccer provides meaningful learning, development, and physical participation opportunities to these young athletes through the game of soccer.

TOPSoccer players are just like the rest of us. They want to make friends, have fun, and play games in a safe playing environment.

On the soccer field, they can do all of these things and more, but only with the support of volunteers like you!!

- The emphasis of this program is on development, training, and meaningful participation rather than on competition.
- Our goal is to enable the young athletes with disabilities to develop their physical fitness, technical skills, courage, and self-esteem, through the joy and excitement of playing soccer.
- Each program operates on their own schedule so finding one close by that works with your schedule is a snap!
- This opportunity exists only with the support of volunteers like you!

## WHAT IS A TOPS BUDDY?



- 13 years of age or older
- Enthusiastic about helping another player experience the game of soccer
- No previous experience or training required
- THAT'S IT!!

There are many TOPSoccer programs across Western PA, if you would like to get involved as a Coach, a Buddy or would like to discuss starting your own program, please email us!

Make sure to include your home club name to help us locate your closest program