

**The Program**  
**Euro Champions**  
**ECP**

The next step in the progression of player development is our Euro Champions Program, an extension of our popular champions and Euro Touch programs.

Players who are **U12 eligible** who have competed and excelled in our champions league program, or have been invited by the coaching staff will be selected to participate in our Euro Champions winter training program.

Players in the ECP program will be coached and directed by our professional coaches, Alex Sahlen and Aaran Lines. ECP will provide a structured and competitive environment, giving advanced youth players not only the newest technical and physical training, but the game experience that is critical to youth players development.

Youth players will blossom while training under professionals that know what it takes to get to the highest level, as well as training at a quality facility with top players within their age group.



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**Euro**

**Champions**

*By invitation  
only*

**Professional  
Coaching  
Directed  
by**

**Alex Sahlen**

**U12 Girls**

# The Program Euro Champions ECP

Training sessions will begin in October and run through May which enables players to continue playing with their respective travel/premier teams in the summer.

Training sessions will be on Mondays and Wednesday evenings from 5:45-7:00 pm in October. Beginning in November, the team will play either inter-squad games or league games on Saturdays in addition to their M/W training regiment. The team will also play one indoor tournament. Each player will receive two T-shirts.

All training sessions and games will be held at Sahlen Sports Park, Western New York's premier training facility.

Cost for the program is \$1200. Players who put a \$500 deposit by August 15th will receive an early bird special of \$50 off the full cost.

Payment schedule:

Early Bird: Regular

Aug 15: \$500 Sept 15: \$500

Nov 15: \$500 \$500

Feb 15: \$150 \$200

# The Coaching Staff ECP

## Alex Sahlen

Sahlen has one of the most impressive female resumes in the area, combining her playing experience with her youth and collegiate coaching of females. Sahlen currently plays for the WNY Flash, one of 6 teams in the WPS--the highest level of women's professional soccer in the world.

Sahlen finished off her career at Niagara University appearing in over 70 matches for the Purple Eagles leading them to their first MAAC Championship and ECAC Tournament appearances. Following her collegiate career, Sahlen played in the W-League, the then #3 league in the world logging over 3,000 minutes for the Rochester Rhinos and appearing in the league semi-final match. In 2009 & 2010, Sahlen played for the expansion Buffalo Flash, accumulating a 24-3-5 record as the starting outside back for the Flash. In 2010, the Flash capped off an undefeated season with a W-League National Championship in Santa Clarita, CA defeating the Vancouver Whitecaps 3-1 and joined the WPS as an expansion club in September 2010.

On the other side of the white line, Sahlen has assistant coached at the Division I Level for her alma mater, and has helped the Purple Eagles reach 3 MAAC Championship Games, 1 MAAC Championship & NCAA Championship Berth, and 1 MAAC Championship Semi-Final.

At the Youth level, Sahlen took over the Empire United 91/92s and lead them to their first ever NYSW State Cup Championship in 2009. They were also Blue Chip showcase semi-finalists, Sereno Soccer Showcase semi-finalists and Empire Cup Champions.

## Registration

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Age: \_\_\_ D/O/B: \_\_\_\_\_

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