



PRESS INFORMATION
on behalf of
RANGERS FOOTBALL CLUB



Rangers in Michigan

Rangers Football Club today (Friday 7 March 2008) announced details of a partnership with Vardar West Soccer Club as part of their highly successful Soccer Schools programme. Over the past three years, Rangers overseas camps have gone from strength to strength, with Soccer School activities taking place in America, Canada, Australia, Germany and Spain.

Now the young football fanatics from Michigan will have lots to look forward to as Rangers Soccer Schools will deliver a camp in partnership with Vardar West Soccer Club from Monday 4 to Friday 8 August 2008. Rangers Soccer Schools is delighted to provide the players and coaches of Vardar West with the opportunity to be a part of Rangers Football Club, and have the full Rangers experience on their very own doorstep.

With one of the most loyal and passionate fan bases and a record 101 trophies and 51 league titles, Rangers is truly one of the biggest and most famous Clubs in world soccer where tradition and success go hand in hand. With Vardar Soccer Club also boasting an impressive 86 State and 3 National Championships, then this really is an ideal opportunity for all players to train and play the Rangers way and take their game to the next level!

Rangers Soccer Schools guarantee that every player who attends an overseas camp will be developed to their full potential in a challenging, fun and safe environment. Integral to this objective are the hand-picked professional coaches who are all qualified to the highest standards and have a wealth of experience in developing professional youth players.

In addition Rangers coaches are continually on the lookout for emerging young stars who show enough potential to become the next DaMarcus Beasley or Claudio Reyna.

As part of Rangers long-term commitment to Vardar West, the camps will also include a series of coaches' clinics where Rangers staff will provide a unique insight into the coaching philosophy and methods used within the Club's youth programme. Vardar West will also receive regular coaching content throughout the year, which is similar to that used within the Youth Academy at Murray Park. The aim is to educate both players and coaches to ensure that when the camp ends, there is some legacy left behind that will continue to develop every young player until the Rangers coaches return the following year.

David Stewart, Rangers Senior Soccer Schools Officer, commented: "There is a real passion for soccer at Vardar West which we can obviously relate to at Rangers Football Club. We are determined to help all young footballers who attend one of our overseas camps to fulfill their potential as we guide them towards achieving technical footballing excellence.

"We know it is every young player's dream to become a professional soccer player and our aim, through Rangers Soccer Schools, is to help as many of those dreams as possible come true."

To book a place on this camp, email vardarwest@comcast.net or call 616 773 9425 and for further information regarding Rangers Soccer Schools, please contact David Stewart on +44(0)141 580 8953 or david.stewart@rangers.co.uk.