



# Manalapan Soccer Club

## Mission Statement

The Manalapan Soccer Club, established in 1987, is an independent, nonprofit organization of volunteers dedicated to the development of youth soccer in Manalapan. The Club introduces children to the exciting sport of soccer and provides professional skills training and competition designed to meet the needs of committed players during the fall and spring seasons.

The Mission of the Manalapan Soccer Club is to create an environment where our youth have the opportunity to develop to their full potential in a high quality, competitive program that allows individual and team goals to be achieved. The Manalapan Soccer Club is committed to the development of the whole child as it relates to physical exercise and sportsmanship. We will provide a positive, competitive youth soccer experience for player, parent, and coach. We emphasize long-term player development of physical, emotional, and social skills. We believe a positive team sport experience will promote a youth's self-confidence and self-esteem beyond the soccer field.

## Philosophy

Manalapan Soccer Club's goals are as follows:

- To enable our children to have fun playing soccer
- To teach our children good sportsmanship towards teammates, opposing players, coaches, and officials
- To teach our children the importance of teamwork, and the responsibilities and rewards that come with commitment to a team
- To provide high quality, professional soccer training so players can develop to the best of their ability
- To enable our children to develop soccer skills, experience, and a passion for the game that will help them to reach their highest potential

## Manalapan Soccer Club and Shatliff Soccer

Under the leadership of the Director of Coaching, Naji Shatliff, the Shatliff Soccer staff is prepared to deliver a season long curriculum designed to promote individual player development. Shatliff Soccer designs their training curriculum based on the guidelines set forth by US Youth Soccer, they can be found here: [https://static.ussdcc.com/users/148963/897090\\_eng-october2017pdi.pdf](https://static.ussdcc.com/users/148963/897090_eng-october2017pdi.pdf)

The MSC Board of Directors - along with Shatliff Soccer - use these guidelines to determine what will be most effective for the players prior to every season. The goal is to continue to foster a passion for the game in our children and allow them to develop at their own pace. The board is always available to listen to new ideas as well as any comments, suggestions, and feedback. This should be directed to [training.chair@manalapansoccerclub.com](mailto:training.chair@manalapansoccerclub.com).

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