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## **CASL Calendar**

### November 30

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#### December 6-8

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## January 11, 2014

CASL Play 4Kay 4v4

Register your team today youth and adult teams welcome

# **CASL Camps and Academies**

High School Girls Winter **Training Series Register Today** 12 sessions/\$120

Winter Youth Technical Academy (U11-U14) **Register Today** 6 sessions/\$100



# CONNECTION

November 25- December 1, 2013

## **National Team News**

Wagner, Pinto, and Otto – three names to get used to hearing



Claire Wagner ('94 CASL ECNL alum), Brianna Pinto ('98 CASL ECNL) and Taylor Otto ('96 CASL ECNL) are now common names across the U.S. Soccer scene. We all kept up with Otto over the summer as she worked her way into the final roster for the U-17 U.S. Women's National Team that competed in the CONCACAF World Championships earlier this month. She notched two goals for the U.S. against Jamaica and anchored the back line for the team against Guatemala. CASL players are continuing to represent the United States at various age groups on the heels of Otto's success. Claire Wagner, a freshman defender at Clemson, was called up to join the U-20 Women's National Team Training Camp taking place this week. Wagner was part of the U.S. U-17 Women's National Team that competed in the U-17 Women's World Cup in Baku, Azerbaijan in 2012. Wagner will be fighting for a spot on the final U-20 roster that will go to the CONCACAF Women's U-20 Championships in January. Brianna Pinto, '98 CASL ECNL, is currently at the U.S. Soccer's National Training Center in Carson, CA for the U.S. U-14 Girls' National Team training camp. Pinto is 1 of 36 players invited to the national camp, which will also form the core of the next U-17 Women's National Team cycle. We will surely be hearing a lot more about these three young women who have reached the highest levels of soccer in their age groups.



## CASL Play 4Kay 4v4 Charity Soccer Event

Brianna Pinto (right)

Register today for this charitable soccer event that will support the fight against women's cancers. Ten teams are already signed up and are showing their support for the Kay Yow Cancer Fund.

Now it's time to grow this number! Remember, 100% of proceeds will be donated back to the Fund. Youth and adult-co-ed teams are welcome, and all teams are accepted. Team registration is only \$180, which equates to a little more than \$20/player on an 8-player roster: a small donation that can go a long way in the fight against women's cancers!



## **Team Name: U16 CASL Challenge Pumas**

The Pumas were assigned to a Classic bracket at the FCCA Carolina Shootout tournament in Concord, NC. The team was up to the task achieving two ties on Saturday and a win on Sunday morning to earn the Pumas a spot in the afternoon Championship game against The WOW



Explosion from Wilkes County. The Pumas came from behind on Saturday to tie the Explosion and were eager to face them again for this final match. The game was a true defensive battle and could not have provided more excitement or suspense! Regulation time ended in a 0-0 tie. Two overtimes later, the score remained 0-0 with the PK line up positioned to decide the Pumas' fate. The coaches had prepared the team for this possibility, and with a heart-stopping block by goalie, Isa Tenario, and three well placed shots by Alexandra

Stanford, Audrey Bowen, and Alex Maldonado, the Pumas captured the U16 Green Division Championship with a final kick tally of 3 - 1!

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