

EPL residential camp 08

EPL Sports Camps
P.O. Box 5
Westtown, PA, 19395



our goal at EPL Sports

Our goal at EPL Sports is to guide each and every player to reach "the next level" within a fun and challenging environment.

We understand that players don't always improve in one drill or one session, that is why we always stress the importance of practice outside of practice, work ethic and attitude off the field of play.

These principles, taught by a line up of professionally qualified and experienced coaches will ensure an unforgettable learning experience for each and every participant.

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To get invited to an English Premiership Academy is a dream come true - Thank you EPL

Melvin Snoh
Spirit United

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I will never forget the time I had at the English Academies. It has made me realise that in order to achieve my dream I need to work extremely hard at my game.

Zach Zandi
West Chester United

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EPL Sports is...

...a pioneering instructional program aimed at raising the standard of soccer, utilising the finest professional coaches from all over the world.

If a player shows exceptional talent during the camp, they will be invited to the UK for a tryout at a professional club.

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ever dream of becoming a professional soccer player?

If you do, then there is a once in a lifetime opportunity available to you this summer.

EPL Sports is proud to present its inaugural "2008 Residential Professional Academy Camp" in conjunction with top professional coach and European Club scout, Andy Ritchie. Andy will be supported by other top professional academy coaches from Reading FC, Sheffield United FC and the English FA. Andy's philosophy is to bring a high level of professionalism and competitiveness to the camp through innovative learning techniques in a fun environment.

This specialized 5 day Residential camp is available for travel players (**boys and girls**), aged 10-18 years old. The camp will involve a mix of field & classroom sessions identical to those experienced by young professional academy soccer players. **Be the best you can be!**

Camp Facilities

West Chester University will serve as the headquarters for the EPL Sports Professional Academy Camp. A safe and beautiful campus set in the heart of Chester County, PA. The university offers excellent facilities including;

- Grass Fields • All Weather Turf Fields • Indoor Gymnasium
- Swimming Pool • Classrooms • Movie/Film Rooms
- Safe & Secure Dormitories

For further details and directions please visit www.wcupa.edu

Camp Staff

A camp is only as good as it's staff. The 2008 Professional Academy Camp will host a line up of coaching staff that is unmatched in quality and experience. Top coaches from the US and Europe will be on hand to deliver a 1st class experience.

Andy Ritchie	Camp Director, Fulham FC
Barrie Love	Assistant Camp Director
Adam Pilling	English FA, England
Shelley Strange	Reading FC, England
Richard Witt	Reading FC, England
Mark Thomas	Ex-Liverpool FC Player, England
Richard Oldfield	Sheffield United, England
Kevin Cooper	Sheffield United, England
Kendal Walkes	West Chester University Mens Soccer Coach

All main coaches will be assisted by male and female college players

Registration

To register please mail in the enclosed registration form along with \$100 (non-refundable) deposit to **EPL Camps, P.O. Box 5, Westtown, PA, 19395**. Alternatively you can sign up online at: www.eplsports.org

Once you have registered, you will receive a confirmation e-mail with more information in regards to the camp including check in times, rooming requests and what to bring.

venue: West Chester University, PA

date: July 13-17

**cost: \$525 Boarding
\$445 Commuters**

For more information email info@eplsports.org or visit:

www.eplsports.org

Camp Schedule

7:30am	Rise and shine!
8:00am	Breakfast
8:30am	Extended day campers arrive
9:00am	Speed, Agility & Quickness training
10:00am	Technical Sessions (daily theme)
12:00am	Lunch
1:00pm	Academy Classroom session (daily topic)
2:00pm	Tactical Sessions (daily theme)
4:00pm	Structured Activities / Swimming / Game & Player Analysis
5:00pm	Dinner
6:00pm	Evening Games
8:00pm	Extended day campers leave
9:00pm	Soccer Quiz / Fun Games/ Lectures
10:00pm	Bed Time!

Camp Features

EPL Sports Professional Academy Camp will provide the following to our campers;

- Innovative Training Techniques from Professional Academy Coaches
- Personal Performance Evaluation
- Adidas Ball
- EPL Academy Shirt
- 24hr Supervision
- 3 Meals per day
- Access to Camp Store

Andy Ritchie camp director

Andy has 17 years coaching experience at the highest level within the UK ACADEMY system of the PREMIER YOUTH LEAGUE, having worked at four professional football clubs.

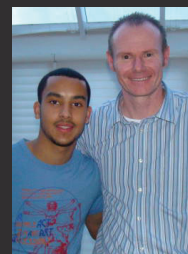
Whilst at Crystal Palace he worked with Hayden Mullins now West Ham United, at Charlton Athletic FC with Scott Parker now also West Ham United, at Chelsea FC with JOHN TERRY the current England and Chelsea Captain and laterly with THEO WALCOTT now Arsenal and England, whilst at Southampton FC.

Andy possesses the UEFA 'A' Advanced Coaching Licence, a University degree in Physical Education and Personal Development ,the Academy Managers Licence and the FA Youth Coaches Licence. Andy also has Coach Educator's qualifications having worked and delivered courses for the Football Association.

He played for Reading FC and captained the British Colleges Soccer Team. Andy wrote the Under 9-16 Coaching syllabus whilst at Charlton Athletic FC and has studied the Youth policies at Olympic Lyon FC, the best Academy in France, Juventus FC in Italy and Borussia Monchengladbach FC in Germany.

When I was at Southampton Andy Ritchie always told me to pass into the net with power," said Walcott. Ritchie, like so many others, will be delighted with his progress.

Theo Walcott
daily mail article — oct 24, 2007
(national UK newspaper)



registration form

name: _____

commuter boarder (Tick the appropriate box)

playing level: _____

age: _____

position: _____

address: _____

tel (h): _____

tel (c): _____

email: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT DETAILS

name: _____

tel: _____

health information: _____

I hereby release and discharge Barrie Love, Andy Ritchie, EPL Sports, West Chester United Soccer Club, West Chester University and any other Staff members from any claims, responsibilities or liabilities for injuries or harm incurred as a result of my and/or my child's participation during this camp. I authorize Barrie Love, Andy Ritchie, EPL Sports, West Chester United Soccer Club, West Chester University and any other staff members to take whatever action is necessary, in their best judgment, in an emergency and I hereby release and discharge Barrie Love, Andy Ritchie, EPL Sports, West Chester United Soccer Club, West Chester University and any staff members from any responsibility or liability related thereto.

Signature: _____