



## Expression of Interest

Project 22 is a proposed Football NSW initiative aimed at laying down the foundations required to give elite youth footballers the highest chance possible to succeed at the elite level as adult footballers. Project 22 aims to develop the next generation of Socceroos and Matildas who will compete at the FIFA World Cup in 2022. Project 22 is centred on FNSW being able to exceed world best practice in providing an elite competition and training environment for our future National Team Players.

### **The proposed initiative is FREE to all selected players**

The regions for the boys would include:

- Sydney West (Blacktown, Granville, Nepean)
- Sydney East (Canterbury, Eastern Suburbs, St George)
- Sydney South (Bankstown, Macarthur, Southern Districts)
- Sydney North (Gladesville-Hornsby, Manly-Warringah)
- Sydney Far North (Central Coast, Ku-ring-gai)
- Sydney Far South (Illawarra, Sutherland)

The age categories for the **boys** include the following composite age groups for 2009 / 2010;

- U10 (Born 2000 & 2001) x 14 players
- U12 (Born 1998 & 1999) x 14 players
- U14 (Born 1996 & 1997) x 14 players  
(Seven (7) of the best players in each age group in each region will be selected)

There is one central region for girls that will include the following age groups for 2009 / 2010;

- U13 (Born 1997) x 14 players
- U14 (Born 1996) x 14 players
- U15 (Born 1995) x 14 players

Once squads are selected this phase will include training 4 sessions per week from the end of October to December with high focus on technical outcomes. Game days will run on weekends and allow for group play outcomes to be achieved in small sided and modified games. January would be off-season then from February there would be 4 sessions per week. From March until September the teams will continue training 4 sessions per week and play in an organized competition against the other Regional Squads and Youth League Teams.



## Trial Details

Age Group	Date	Venue
<i>Boys</i>		
U9, U10, U11, U12	19 +20 September	Valentine Sports Park
U13, U14	26 +27 September	Valentine Sports Park
<i>Girls</i>		
U13, U14, U15	26 +27 September	Valentine Sports Park

The above open trials are for players not attending FNSW State Titles in Mudgee, Nowra and Dubbo in 2009. In addition FNSW will identify players who do not need to attend the open trials through written confirmation. This include State team players (U13 Boys & U14 Girls) and FNSW Scholarship holders (U10, U11 & U12)

### Confirmation week

The first week of training will be called confirmation week. This will allow successful players from the open trials, state titles and identified players the chance to secure their positions in the squad. Confirmation week commences the 19 October 2009 and concludes on the 22 October 2009 in each Project 22 centre.

If for any reason you are unable to attend any of the above mentioned please contact Tim Wilson on 8814 4445.

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Please mail or fax the form below if interested in trialing for Project 22 on 8814 4484 or PO Box 6146 Baulkham Hills BC 2153.

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Player's Name: _____ <small style="text-align: center;">(Please print neatly)</small>							
Address: _____							
						Post Code: _____	
Date of Birth: _____				Phone: _____			
Mobile: _____				E-Mail: _____			
<b>Program: Please circle</b>							
<b>Girls: Central</b>	<b>Boys:</b>	<b>North</b>	<b>Far North</b>	<b>East</b>	<b>South</b>	<b>Far South</b>	<b>West</b>