



Colorado Rush COS Accepted into the Elite Academy League

We are proud to announce that Colorado Rush COS has been officially accepted into the **Elite Academy League (EA)**.



This is an important step forward for our club and a reflection of the progress made across our programs. Acceptance into the Elite Academy League provides Colorado Springs players with access to a highly competitive national platform, creating meaningful opportunities for development, exposure, and long-term growth in the game.

The EA is built around a standards-driven environment that prioritizes player development, high-level competition, and consistent programming—values that align closely with our club's direction.

This opportunity is the result of the commitment shown by our players, families, and staff. It also reflects the continued growth of the Colorado Springs region and its ability to support and sustain a competitive pathway at the national level.

We look forward to this next chapter and the opportunities it will provide for our players to be challenged, improve, and compete at a higher level. Thank you to everyone who has contributed to making this possible.

"We are excited to join the Elite Academy League. This platform provides a highly competitive environment that aligns with our commitment to player development and creating meaningful opportunities for our players." - Mark Hiemenz, Executive Director, Colorado Rush Soccer Club

"This achievement belongs to our players, our coaches, and everyone who has helped raise the standard of our program. I am truly proud of how far our program has come." - Marc Carrasco, Technical Director, Colorado Rush COS