

Ashley Nick #7
Midfielder/Defender
Arcadia, California

Went to Arcadia High School where she lettered in soccer, volleyball, and softball. Ashley received a full ride to the University of Southern California where she would captain the team to their first National Championship. She received All PAC 10 and All American Honors. Nick graduated with her teaching credentials for elementary school but chose to play pro before using her degree. She played on the youth U.S. National Teams up to the U-23 team. Nick played 12 years professionally both overseas and in the U.S. She started her pro career in the Netherlands for FC Twente where she captained the team to their first title and Champions League appearance. She played in Norway, Russia, Cyprus, and Italy; as the first American both male and female to play for Juventus, winning the double. Ashley played for Sky Blue, Houston Dash, Western NY Flash and most recently the Kansas City Current in the NWSL. Currently she plays futsal and small sided and gives all glory for her beautiful soccer journey to God.

Maria Gabriela Cordeiro #12
goalkeeper

Maria Gabriela Cordeiro, (Gabby) and I am a goalkeeper from Recife, Brazil. I moved to New York to pursue my academic and athletic career, where I competed in collegiate soccer in the United States for four years.

My background includes professional futsal experience in Brazil, semi-professional soccer in the U.S., and collegiate competition.

I have been ranked as the 5th best goalkeeper in the world and 1st in Brazil, was named best goalkeeper of the Copa Libertadores of America twice, and won two national championships during my college career.

A fun fact about me is that I never originally wanted to be a goalkeeper. I was encouraged by my coach because of my fearless personality, and although I nearly quit soccer at one point, I went on to sign my first professional contract just one year later at the age of 16.

Sarah Funk #17
Defender | Forward
San Diego, California (El Cajon)

Sarah Funk is a versatile and dynamic player who contributes on both sides of the ball, bringing creativity, composure, and a strong work ethic to every match. A native of El Cajon, she developed her game through competitive youth clubs including San Diego Surf, Albion, and the USSDA.

A graduate of Grossmont High School, Sarah was a multi-sport athlete who competed in basketball and track & field. As a sprinter, she raced in events ranging from the 100 to 400 meters, including relays, consistently finishing at the top of her field and never placing lower than second in any race while qualifying for the CIF Championships. Her athletic background has played a key role in her speed, endurance, and competitiveness on the soccer field.

She continued her academic and athletic career at San Diego State University. As a freshman in the 2021 season, Sarah earned a starting assignment in 11 of her 20 appearances, logging 815 minutes. She recorded 10 shots with six on target, including a season-high three shots (two on goal) against Long Beach State, and played a full 90 minutes against Stanford—demonstrating her consistency and ability to compete at a high level.

Sarah has also had the honor of competing at the national level, representing the United States Women's National Team, where she was recognized for her creativity and impact on the field.

Known for her determination and grounded mindset, Sarah approaches the game with humility and faith, guided by the belief: "If God puts a Goliath in front of you, He knows there's a David inside of you."

Yawara MacNeill #5
midfielder

Yawara MacNeill is a midfielder from Chula Vista, California, who competed at the NCAA Division I level with St. Francis Brooklyn. During her collegiate career, she earned recognition on the NEC Academic and Commissioner's Honor Rolls while serving as her team's representative in the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (SAAC).

Prior to her collegiate career, MacNeill competed with Rebels Soccer Club, where her team achieved a No. 1 national ranking and secured multiple titles, including the National Cup, Coast Soccer League Championship, and California Regional Championship.

MacNeill brings a high-level playing background with experience in semi-professional environments, complemented by a growing presence in the coaching space. She has contributed to player development at Southwestern College, Ankle Breakers, and within the San Diego FC system, demonstrating a strong understanding of the game and a commitment to developing talent at multiple levels.

MacNeill thrives on staying active beyond soccer, with a love for travel, dancing, and exploring new experiences- from surfing to skating and everything in between.

Marie Marlow #15

Defender

My name is Marie Marlow, I'm a left defender from Murrieta, California. I went to Santa Rosa Academy during my high school years and played soccer there as well, where I set the school record for 128 goals in a single season. I later played Division I soccer at the University of San Francisco, where I competed for five seasons and graduated in 2022. I have over 20 years of playing experience, including time with Legends FC and Arsenal FC in my youth, then later with SoCal Union in the WPSL for seven years, and one pro indoor appearance representing Team USA in the Empire Strikers women's indoor game back in 2023. In 2025, I was named WPSL Best XI Left Defender for the West Region. A fun fact about me is that I have 10 siblings.

Summer Mason #2

Defence

Summer Mason mainly plays winger in 11s and CDM for the Sockers. She's born and raised in Carlsbad, now living locally in Oceanside. She went to Carlsbad high school where she played varsity, as well as at many local clubs ranging from Rancho Bernardo to San Juan Capistrano, finishing her competitive playing with So Cal Blues ECNL. She played D1 for University of San Diego (USD) and graduated in 2019 with her bachelors in psychology. She has played professionally in Finland, Mexico (Xolos), and Spain at the 1st division. In 2025, she played for Austin Rise FC in TST, making it to the quarterfinals. A fun fact about Summer is that she has 4 adorable dogs and loves to educate youth athletes on becoming more holistic athletes.

Jazmin Aguas Orozco #21

Midfield

Jazmin Aguas Orozco is a midfielder from Escondido, California, and a graduate of San Pasqual High School. She has played at a high level with the Mexican national team, as well as professionally for Club Rayadas de Monterrey and Xolos de Tijuana, where she achieved the

distinction of becoming a Liga MX champion. Off the field, Jazmin enjoys building pools, combining her athletic drive with a hands-on passion for construction

Kimberly Rodríguez Ledezma #9
Midfielder

Kimberly Rodríguez Ledezma is a midfielder from Tijuana, BC, who attended Jose Vasconcelos High School. She has played for Club Romany F.C. and brings valuable experience to the field. Kimberly has earned medals at the National Olympiad, highlighting her competitive success. Off the field, she loves playing soccer but does not enjoy watching it on TV.

Brittney Viboch #1
Goalkeeper

Brittney Viboch is a goalkeeper from San Diego, California, who attended Westview High School before continuing her career at California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo (Cal Poly SLO). She played club soccer for West Coast FC ECNL and went on to compete for four years at Cal Poly, where she earned multiple Big West Defensive Player of the Week nominations and was named the team's Most Inspirational Player in 2017. Brittney also represented the USA Indoor Team for two years, including competing in MASL USA vs. Mexico matches. Outside of soccer, a fun fact about her is that her family has a pet tortoise named Dribble.

Abby Dillon # 22
Midfielder/ forward

Abby Dillon is an attacking midfielder/forward from Marin County, California, where she grew up playing for Marin FC. She went to the Branson School for high school and continued her soccer career at American University, competing at the Division I level. She transferred to the University of Richmond, where she earned her master's degree while playing a fifth year of collegiate soccer.

She now coaches the San Diego Sockers Girls U7 team. A fun fact about her is that she studied abroad in Rome, Italy, and trained with Trastevere Calcio.

McKenna Payne #10

Defender

McKenna Payne is a defender from Temecula, California. She attended Great Oak High School before continuing her collegiate career at Carroll College and later Ottawa University–Arizona. Payne has an extensive playing background that includes club soccer at the ECNL level, participation with the USYF Regional Futsal Team, and experience with SoCal Union FC. During her career, she earned multiple honors, including 2018 All-Conference Second Team, 2018 United Soccer Coaches NAIA All-West Region Second Team, and was part of the 2018 Cascade Conference Championship team. She also received US Bank Academic All-Conference honors three times. Her favorite English Premier League team is Manchester United.

Grace T #14

Midfielder

HIGH SCHOOL

Four-year varsity midfielder at Orange Lutheran in the Trinity League... Team captain junior and senior years... Led team in goals (2020–23) and assists (2022)... Four-time All-League and All-City selection... All-State and All-CIF honors junior and senior seasons... 2023 League MVP and Team MVP... Named Offensive MVP in 2022... Led team to Trinity League championships in 2019 and 2020... Graduated with a 4.0 GPA.

CLUB

Played with West Coast FC and Legends FC... Awarded Golden Boot and Golden Ball at 2021 USL Academy Cup... Four-star recruit ranked No. 27 in Southern California and No. 60 midfielder nationally by Top Drawer Soccer... Part of USYNT player pool with multiple ID center invitations and camps.

INTERNATIONAL

Represented Philippines U20 National Team in U20 World Cup Qualifiers... In player pools for Philippines and Thailand Women's National Teams.

PERSONAL

Daughter of Michi Muertigue and Alex Thao... Volunteer with TOP Soccer... Dean's List and Scholar Athlete honors... Chose LMU for its strong academics, Jesuit traditions, and opportunity to play under a great coaching staff close to family and friends.

Ashley Utrilla #4

Forward

Ashley Utrilla is a forward from Carlsbad, California. She attended Carlsbad High School and continued her soccer career at Palomar College, where she earned All-PCAC honors. She has been playing soccer since the age of five, building a strong foundation and passion for the game over the years.

Marie S #8

Midfielder

Hi, I'm Marie Seeger, and I play as a midfielder. I'm from Hofstetten, Germany, and went to Friedrich-List-Gymnasium in Gemünden. I played at Bryant & Stratton College Syracuse, and then continued at Tabor College in Kansas, where I earned my Master's degree in Sports Management, Leadership, and Business.

I've also experienced playing semi-professionally with NJ/NY Gotham FC Reserves in 2021, where we won the championship, FA Euro New York City in 2023, and Albion SC in 2024. Before moving to the U.S., I played in Germany with FC Würzburger Kickers in the U17 Bundesliga and later in the Regionalliga.

Some highlights for me include being team captain at BSC and helping lead the team to a national championship in 2021, earning the BSC MVP in 2021, All-American, and All-Academic honors, and winning Goal of the Season in 2023.

Fun fact: When I was a U11 player, I had to play almost an entire season using only my left (non-dominant) foot because my horse stepped on my right big toe - and my dad (who was my coach that time) said if I wanted to keep playing, I had to pass, shoot, and score with my left only.

Mia Martinez #11
Midfielder

Mia Estrella Martinez is a Midfielder from San Diego. She attended Helix Charter High School. She played for Sporting Sd her first few years of club and then made the switch to Del Mar Surf for her last two years of high school. She then went on to play at Southwestern College. Mia is the second of four children. She enjoys spending quality time with her friends and family and catching as many sunsets as possible.