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Portland Thorns Regional Training Center (RTC) Program

What is the Thorns Regional Training Center (RTC) Program?

The Regional Training Center program, run by the Portland Thorns youth department in conjunction with OYSA, and commonly referred to as the RTC program, is a developmental program created to identify and develop future Olympic Development Program players throughout the state of Oregon and Southwest Washington.

The RTC program is structured with four Regional Training Centers in the Portland Metro area, and then regional identification tryouts throughout the Summer, Fall and Winter season in Bend, Salem, Eugene and Medford. These four centers in Portland are located in Portland West, Portland East, Portland North/Vancouver, WA and Portland South.

The goal of the RTC program is to identify and develop players in the states most heavily populated areas for players 9-13 years of age, with the mission of strengthening the Thorns Olympic Development Program pools who make up the top players in the state of Oregon.



What is Portland Thorns Olympic Development Program (ODP)?

As players go through the RTC program, the ultimate end goal is to be selected to the Thorns Olympic Development Program. The Portland Thorns Olympic Development Program is a program designed to identify the top youth players in the state of Oregon and Southwest Washington. In ODP, elite youth players throughout the country are chosen to represent their state association, region and ultimately, the United States in soccer competition. ODP teams are formed at the state association and regional levels, made up a lot of the best players in various age groups. At the state level, pools of players are identified in each eligible age group and then brought together as a team to develop their skill through training and competition.

Through a collaborative effort between the Portland Thorns and Oregon Youth Soccer Association, Oregon is a nationally recognized ODP program with a cutting-edge youth development and Academy system. Through ODP, these programs provide an integrated pathway to developing players for next-level programs like regional and national ODP play.

The principle Portland Thorns/OYSA ODP mission is to identify, evaluate, and provide more training opportunities for the elite youth soccer players in Oregon. As part of the effort, the Portland Thorns ODP program is dedicated to helping to develop the highest level of youth soccer in the state. This objective will be achieved in an atmosphere of integrity, fairness, and impartiality. The player's talent with a ball, their physical and cognitive skills, together with their attitude will be the criteria for entry into the program.

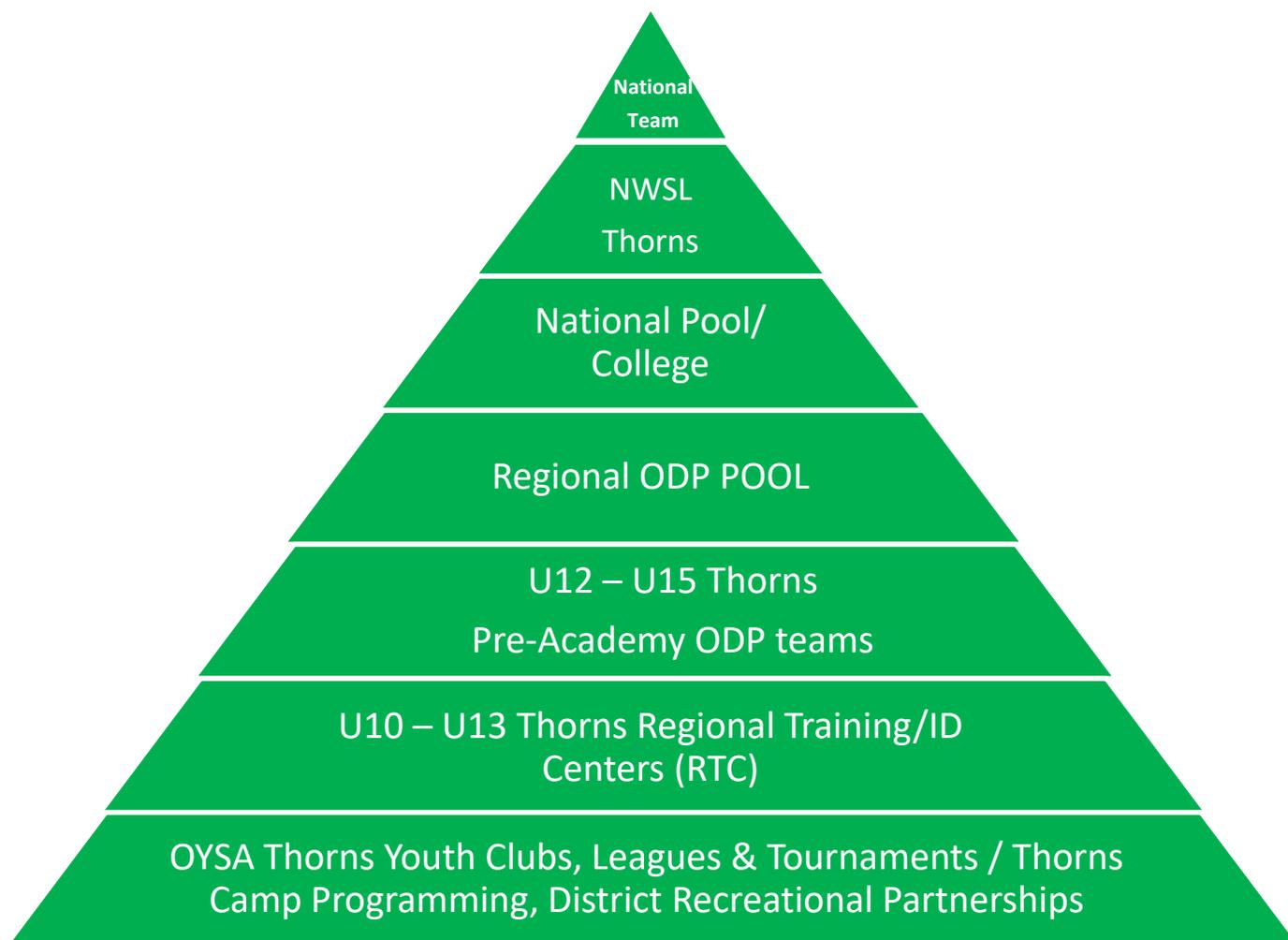


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Why should I participate in Thorns RTC/ODP?

The Thorns RTC/ODP gives players the chance at a young age to participate in a major league development program. Around the world, player development starts as young as 5-years old in the top clubs. The Thorns goal is to help develop players here in the state with the idea of identifying homegrown talent and providing opportunities for players to be identified for Regional Pool or collegiate programs. Thorns RTC and ODP has produced many players who are playing professional soccer now including current Thorns player Bella Bixby, who went through the Oregon ODP program and is now a professional player for the Thorns.

As shown below in our development pyramid below, you will see the suggested pathway for players in the Thorns program. By challenging players in a competitive setting, we are giving players the chance to develop and improve, while creating an environment that challenges them to become better players and move up the pyramid. When players become 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18 years old, players have the opportunity to move up to the ODP program, ODP regional pool and collegiate programs. The pyramid is a great visual tool for players to follow and the RTC program is a great step in the right direction of moving up the soccer ladder for players who have this goal.





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Thorns ODP also gives players the chance to compete for Regional and National team opportunities along with college showcase opportunities. The ODP structure also gives players the chance to work with the top coaches in the state which typically includes a college coach on each Thorns ODP staff.

How does the RTC/ODP process work?

In order to understand the RTC process, we break it down in to the four age groups with four different structures. Keep in mind the RTC and ODP program is a calendar year program which is in line now with the club age structure. In RTC and ODP, if a player is born in 2009 at any point, they will tryout for the 2009 RTC pool in your area and so on each age group. See the age group breakdown below.

2009 Born Players RTC/ODP Structure

If you were born in the year 2009 at any time, this is the pool you will tryout for in your RTC area. This pool is run differently than all others. If you live in the Portland East, Portland West, Portland South or Portland North/Vancouver area, you will tryout for the 2009 Portland Pool in mid to late August. We will again create just one RTC pool of roughly 40 players in Portland which creates a very competitive training environment.



If you live in Salem, Eugene, Bend, Medford and possibly other areas, we will conduct

identification nights in your area in the summer and fall where our staff comes to your location and holds a tryout for players in this age group. Players we identify as high-level players will then be invited to the eventual ODP tryout in late November/early December. The 2009 RTC program is a fall-only program.

The 2009 RTC Portland pool will train 8-10 sessions in the Fall which also includes a classroom session from our sports psychologist along with skills training information we track from day one to the end. Training will always take place on Friday or Sunday night. Once RTC training is completed in mid-November, we will hold our 2009 ODP Tryout weekends in late November/early December. We will hold two weekends to accommodate schedules. An ODP pool of 30-35 players will be selected after the two tryout weekends and then the new ODP pool will have an ODP schedule starting in December and January. Players who participate in RTC will be allowed to tryout for the ODP state pool in November/December. No outside players will be allowed to tryout unless there is an injury to the player who is looking to tryout or special consideration is given by the Thorns ODP staff.

Why does Portland have an RTC training pool, but areas outside of Portland do not?

This is a new format for RTC this season in areas outside of Portland. The club directors in these areas of the state have pushed our staff to move away from the RTC training sessions and create an easier format for players outside of Portland to be identified while cutting down on training time, staffing of these RTC's and cost. Portland never has an issue with competitive numbers, whereas groups outside of Portland typically do and idea here is to create a competitive training environment for players any time they are on the field.



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For any RTC player who does not make the 2009 ODP pool, they will receive an evaluation of their play about a month after the tryout from your RTC Director. Once our Timbers ODP pool is selected in early December, we will begin training as a state pool and will prepare for the 2022 ODP Regional Championships in January. Once the ODP Regional Championship event is complete, all ODP state pool players will have an 6-8 session training schedule (January to March) that takes us in to spring break. These sessions typically take place on the weekend. This age group will not participate in the RTC Tournament in March like we have done in recent years. After your club state cup is completed in April, the 2009 ODP State Pool will come back together in May, train and prepare for tournament play in late May/early June. The top ODP players from this age group will then have the opportunity to be selected to ODP Regional Camp in early July, made up of the top 2009 players in the 14 Western States. From there, players can be selected to the ODP Regional Pool or even National Camp.

2010 Born Players RTC/ODP Structure

If you were born in the year 2010 at any time, this is the pool you will tryout for in your area. Contrary to the 2009 pool, the 2010 RTC pool will hold tryouts on the west side of Portland and the east side of Portland. The idea here is we begin to move away from the four groups (North, South, East and West) and we again, create a more competitive program for players by having two strong pools in Portland. Tryouts will again occur in mid to late August. Training for these pools will take place on a Friday or Sunday night. Players are encouraged to tryout with the RTC closest to you. We will not allow players to tryout in two different areas. Each RTC Pool will keep roughly 25-30 players after tryouts. Cuts are made to get us to this number.

The 2010 RTC Pools will train 8-10 times in the Fall with weeks four and eight designated for a combination training or games with the other RTC pool. This will happen in Portland only. Outside of Portland, we will again go away from actual RTC training groups, and instead will rely on our RTC identification nights where we look to identify players in Bend, Eugene, Salem and Medford for the RTC Evaluation Tournament in March.

After the RTC Fall training and RTC identification nights are completed in mid-November, we will ask a group of players to participate in a tryout weekend in late November for a chance to participate in the ODP Regional Championships in January. We will select a group of 18 players from this invite pool who will attend the tournament. Once the event in January is completed, all players in Portland will go back to their RTC Pools and begin training in the Winter sessions and players outside of Portland will go back with their club teams.

In the Winter/Spring RTC season (January-March), the 2008 RTC pools will train 8-10 times and will look to hold the first 2-4 training sessions indoors to avoid the bad weather. Do know the indoor facilities are very busy this time of year so there is always a chance we are forced to train outside during these times. The goal is to run these session are indoors though.

At the conclusion of the winter/spring sessions, all players will participate in the RTC Tournament which typically takes place in Eugene, Oregon (March 19-20), the first weekend of Oregon spring break. The long-term goal for all players in this 2010 age group is to be identified as one of the top players at the RTC Tournament where you will be trying out for the 2010 ODP state pool.



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The final 2010 ODP state pool will have 32-36 players in the final ODP state pool. **The RTC Tournament is mandatory** for all players who want to make the ODP state pool. Only injured players or players with regional or national team duty will be excused from the tournament, or, have permission by the Thorns youth staff to miss.

Once the ODP state pool of roughly 32-36 players is selected, ODP players will move on with the state team with a designated schedule and RTC players not selected will receive an evaluation of their play in RTC within a month after the RTC Tournament. ODP players will have a training weekend on the last weekend of spring break before State Cup begins.

After State Cup is completed in April and May, the 2010 ODP State Pool will come back together in May, train and prepare for tournament play in late May/early June. The top ODP players from this age group will then have the opportunity to be selected to participate in ODP Regional Camp in early July, which is a camp made up of the top 2010 players in the 14 Western States. From there, players can be selected to the ODP Regional Pool or National Camp.

2011 Born Players RTC Structure

If you were born in 2011 this is the pool you will tryout for in your area. We will hold tryouts for this age group with designated tryout times in Portland East, Portland West, Portland North/Vancouver and Portland South. Areas outside of Portland, we will again go away from actual RTC training groups, and instead will rely on our RTC identification nights where we look to identify players in Bend, Eugene, Salem and Medford for the RTC Evaluation Tournament in March. Players who are identified by our staff will be given an invitation to attend the RTC tournament in March of 2022.

The 2011 RTC Pools in Portland will train 8-10 times in the Fall with weeks four and eight designated for games with other RTC pools in the Portland area only.

Each RTC in Portland will participate in a classroom session with our Sports Psychologist, ideally in the Fall season as schedules allow. Each RTC player will also go through skills training and a nutrition session. The game focus will in this age group will be 9 v 9 to coincide with the Timbers/OYSA developmentally appropriate plan.

In the Winter/Spring RTC season (January-March), the 2011 RTC pools in Portland will look to train 8-10 times and will look to hold the first 2-4 training sessions indoors due to the rough weather. Do know the indoor facilities are very busy this time of year so there is always a chance we are forced to train outside. The goal is to run these sessions indoors though.

At the conclusion of the Winter/Spring session in early to mid-March, each RTC will send all players to the RTC Tournament in Eugene, Oregon (March 19-20). The RTC pools will then play in a round-robin tournament which also includes some small-sided activities or functional training for each player and we will select an ODP developmental state pool at the conclusion of the RTC Tournament. **The RTC Tournament is mandatory for all player who want to make an ODP pool unless given permission to miss by the Thorns youth staff.**

All players who participate in the 2011 RTC program will then receive an evaluation of their overall play from the RTC coaching staff within a month after the RTC Tournament.

We will look to keep 30-36 players in the ODP Developmental Pool and these players will participate in some training in May and the Timbers Friendship Cup Memorial Day Weekend in Portland.



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2012/13 Born Players RTC Structure

The 2012/13 Junior RTC program is for players born in 2012 and 2013. This age group is part of our developmental program where players will participate in RTC training in Portland East, West, South and North. The early training opportunities for these young players is fantastic prep for club and RTC or ODP opportunities in the future and the feedback on this program is very positive. We will hold tryouts in mid to late August for this age group with designated tryout times in Portland East, Portland West, Portland North/Vancouver and Portland South. We will not hold any identification dates for Bend, Salem, Eugene and Medford due to the club directors in these areas asking our staff to hold off with these age groups for now.

The 2012/13 RTC Pools in Portland will train 8-10 times in the Fall with weeks four and eight designated for games with other RTC pools or club teams in the Portland area only if possible. Each RTC will participate in a classroom session with our Sports Psychologist, ideally in the Fall season as schedules allow. Each RTC player will also go through a nutrition and skills training we will track from day one to the last session in the spring. The game focus in this age group will be 7 v 7 to coincide with the Thorns/OYSA developmentally appropriate plan.

In the Winter/Spring RTC season (January-March), the 2012/13 RTC pools will look to train 8-10 times and will look to hold the first 2-4 training sessions indoors. Do know the indoor facilities are very busy this time of year so there is always a chance we are forced to train outside. The goal is to run these sessions indoors though. At the conclusion of the Winter/Spring session in early to mid-March, each RTC will send all players to the RTC Tournament in Eugene, Oregon (March 19-20). The nine RTC pools will then play in a round-robin tournament which also includes some small-sided activities for each player. The tournament is a great way to end the season for the 12/13 age groups. All players who participate in the 2012/13 RTC program will then receive an evaluation of their overall play from the RTC coaching staff within a month after the RTC Tournament.

What is the RTC Tournament?

As we have discussed above for each age group (other than the 2009 group), the RTC Tournament is the end-of-the-season evaluation tournament we hold for the 2010 and 2011 age groups, and the end of the season tournament for the 2012/13 age groups. The RTC Tournament will take place March 19-20 in Eugene, Oregon. The RTC Tournament weekend always starts with a Friday night Parent/Player/Staff meeting at our host Hotel.

The goal of the weekend is to select our 2010 and 2011 ODP state pools for the Thorns ODP program, but it's also the conclusion to the RTC program where elite players from all over the state of Oregon get to compete against each other in a neutral setting.

The weekend always starts with our parent/player/staff meeting Friday night with a great video presentation where parents and players have the chance to see what the Thorns youth program and structure looks like. The weekend also gives our Thorns ODP staff a chance to see players and talk with parents about the future, goals and so on. We also bring in some guest speakers and our sports psychologist to chat with the players and parents as well.

The feedback from parents and players after this event is always extremely positive and the players experience at this event is very positive. **The RTC Tournament is the one mandatory event for all RTC players who want to be considered for an ODP pool (2010 and 2011). National team duty or injury are the only excused absences unless cleared by our Thorns youth staff.**



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As for the tournament structure, we start all age groups with some small-sided activities Saturday morning. This allows our staff the opportunity to break-up players into small groups and force them to play. Goalkeepers have a separate evaluation with our GK staff.

After we complete the small-sided activities, we get into our round-robin tournament where RTC groups either compete against each other in a team format or are scrambled into teams. The winning RTC team is always recognized on the Timbers website and this event always provides a positive experience for players. All 2010 and 2011 groups are evaluated by our ODP state staff and ODP rosters will be named on the Tuesday after the event.

There is no expense for players to participate in this event other than a hotel for Friday and Saturday night. The Timbers will set aside a list of hotels for each RTC to use during the weekend at discounted prices to simplify the process for parents who will be responsible for booking a hotel and transportation.

ECNL and Club Conflicts with RTC Training and ODP Training

As we said above, we will always do what's best for the player and our RTC staff will always encourage the player to attend all league games with their club teams during the RTC training season if the player has conflicts. Our schedule is made to work around club events, but there may be conflicts at times and we always want the players to feel comfortable if they have to miss an RTC session. **The only event in RTC we require, other than at least one tryout, is the RTC Tournament in March along with the 2009 ODP Tryout in late November/early December.** Once players get to the ODP state team, training is mandatory, and we expect players to be at each event. There are very few ODP events that conflict with club events though. In any case though, our Thorns youth staff does have the final say on excused absences for players or player additions throughout the season.

Uniforms

Part of the Thorns RTC process is the player kit players will receive if they make the RTC Pool. RTC players will receive one training t-shirt, rain jacket, shorts, socks and bag. The Thorns jersey will be provided to the player who make the ODP pool. All RTC gear will be housed at Tursi's Soccer Supply in Portland. Once RTC state fees are paid, we will release gear for pick-up. Our gear cycles run on two-year cycles and we will be in year one of our new sets this next year.

Fees, financial aid, paperwork

Shown on the next page is a fee outline of what to expect from the RTC and ODP process this next season. Please know we offer financial aid to players for a lot of events below. We never want cost to be an issue for a player to participate and we gave out more than \$8,000 in scholarships last year between RTC and ODP. We also offer payment plans to families in case a fee can't be paid in full up front. Scholarship applications will be accepted once RTC pools are formed.



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RTC Fee Outline for Players who make the RTC Pool

<u>Amount</u>	<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Age Group</u>
\$60	Portland RTC Tryout Fee	Portland Groups
\$60	RTC Identification Tryouts (Covers 2-3 tryouts)	Bend, Salem, Eugene, Medford
\$325	RTC State Fee if player makes RTC Portland Pool	Portland 2009's
\$425	RTC State Fee if player makes RTC Portland Pools	2010, 2011, 2012/13

ODP Fee Outline for Players who make ODP Pool from RTC Program

<u>Amount</u>	<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Age Group</u>
\$750	Estimated January Tournament Fee for ODP players (If selected)	2009, 2010
\$285	ODP State/F. Cup Fee (For those selected to ODP State Pool)	2009 Players
\$225	ODP State/F. Cup Fee (For those selected to ODP State Pool)	2010, 2011
\$500	ODP Regional Camp Fee (Invited players only by Region IV)	2009, 2010

RTC Fee Description

- The **\$60** tryout fee is required for all players who tryout for the RTC program in August; there are 3-4 tryout dates for each RTC location and the \$60 covers all of your tryouts.
- The **\$30** tryout fee is required for all players trying out at our ID tryouts in groups outside of Portland.
- The **\$325** covers the RTC Fall program for the 2009 Portland players who are in the Fall Only program along with the ODP Tryout in November and December.
- The **\$425** covers the RTC program expenses for the entire RTC season for 2010-2013 players: This covers 16-20 training sessions, Sports Psychologist, Nutrition Information, Uniform, RTC Tournament for 2010-13 players.

ODP Fee Description

- The **\$750** is an estimated tournament cost for the January ODP Regional Championships in Phoenix, AZ for 2009 and 2010 players. Only 18 players (2009 players) and 15 players (2010 players) will be selected to this event per age group.
- The **\$285** ODP State fee is for 2009 players only who make the final ODP State Pool: This covers your training and Friendship Cup fees.
- The **\$225** ODP State/F. Cup fee is due from players who make the 2010 and 2011 ODP State Pool: This covers all your training, uniform and the Friendship Cup fee.
- The **\$500** Regional Camp fee is due to Region IV from players who are identified and selected to participate in ODP Regional Camp in early July. You are not required to attend this event.

Timbers Scholarship/Financial Aid Program

As noted on the last page, we have a scholarship program in place to help those who may need assistance with some of our fees. It's very rare we give out the full amount to anybody for any of our fees above, but we do our best to help everybody if needed in some capacity. Requirements for scholarships are the scholarship application we provide to all players once pools are named along with Income Tax Return statements. Without these documents, we can't help the player out. If you have questions about this process, please don't hesitate to contact us via email.

We also provide payment plans for all of our fees. We understand some of these fees can't be paid for all at once. We also know most families are paying for club fees as well. Our payment plan options will be released this summer, but they typically allow a four-payment plan option for our fees in the Fall and then 2-3 payment options for ODP fees in the spring. Credit cards are required for all payment plans.



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Who and how are Coaches Selected for the RTC and ODP Program?

The State ODP coaching staff will be named for the 2009, 2010 and 2011 age groups by early summer and will be listed on the Portland Timbers website under the Youth/ODP section. The 2009, 2010, 2011 and 2012/13 RTC staff will be named and composed of coaches in each region who will coach the RTC Pools over an 8-month stretch (4-months for 2009 pools) and will be selected by the Timbers Youth Technical Staff with help from the RTC Directors in each region. Each Regional Training Center is composed of the following staff: RTC Director, RTC Assistant Director (if needed), 2010 Head Coach, 2011 Head Coach, 2012/13 Head Coach and a Goalkeeping Coach. There are special situations where we may add another assistant coach or will drop a coach if numbers are too small. All coaches must have the proper licensing or playing experience to be a part of the Timbers programs and are hand-picked by the Timbers youth department.

All ODP staff is composed of some of the top coaches in the state of Oregon. These coaches have the top licenses, have played at the highest levels or coach in collegiate programs. We do our best to make sure we have college coaches on each staff for each age group. All RTC and ODP groups will have a designated goalkeeping staff as well. Goalkeeping is a giant part of RTC and ODP and is often the one piece neglected with clubs and teams. We will provide tremendous training for our goalkeepers.

What do I need to expect at RTC Tryouts in August?

Each Regional Training Center will hold tryouts in mid-August. Some regions have held tryouts in late August before. We typically designate three tryout dates for each Regional Training Center and some will hold four. These tryout dates typically take place on weeknights as we know the summer months/weekends are very busy. Players are encouraged to attend all tryout dates, but we offer multiple opportunities and stagger these over a couple weeks for a reason, knowing not everybody will be able to attend every session.

Even if you attend one tryout, you will be evaluated enough to have a shot at making the RTC Pool so don't be discouraged if you see a lot of conflicts when the schedule comes out. Players who attend all three sessions obviously have more face-time with the staff which is always beneficial. Tryout dates are typically announced in June/July. Tryout registration will all take place through the Timbers online system with a link you can click on at www.timbers.com under the Youth/RTC section of the website. These are tryouts so players will be cut.



In the past, we have allowed players to attend multiple tryout locations. **This was done for various reasons but we will not allow this moving forward.** The issue we ran into in years past was players who attended two tryout locations, made both pools, and then dropped their spot with one of the RTC Pools leaving us with a hole. Players can tryout in one location this year and again, we encourage you to tryout with the RTC closest to you so you can avoid the unnecessary travel. To help with this, we have included a boundary section for all parts of the state on the next page that explains which RTC location you should tryout with. It's not required you tryout in your designated location, players can tryout anywhere they choose, but again, the program is in place to eliminate unnecessary travel. The tryout fee is \$60 for all players in Portland, regardless if you attend one tryout day or three. The RTC ID Tryouts for players outside of Portland is \$30 a player.



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Regional Boundaries for Tryouts (If you live in this area, this is where we recommend you tryout)

Below are the listed boundaries for players and regions. Again, players are more than welcome to tryout in a different region if they choose too, but the point of regional training is to cut down on travel.

-Portland West-Beaverton, Forest Grove, Hillsboro, West Portland

-Portland East-SE Portland, Gresham, Troutdale, Clackamas

-Portland North/Vancouver-Vancouver, Camas, Salmon Creek, North Portland, Washougal

-Portland South: West Linn, Lake Oswego, Tigard, Tualatin, Oregon City, Wilsonville

-Salem-Salem, Keizer, Woodburn, Newberg, McMinnville, Silverton

-Eugene/Corvallis-Albany, Corvallis, Central Coast, Eugene, Roseburg (if you choose)

-Bend-Bend, Redmond, Sisters, Madras, La Pine

-Southern Oregon- Grants Pass, Medford, Ashland, Klamath Falls, Southern Coast

-Gorge-The Dalles, Hood River, Hermiston, La Grande, Pendleton

*If you are unsure on where to tryout, please contact us and we can assist you with this.

Playing Up in RTC or ODP

When trying out, we require all players to tryout with their designated age group. The staff then has the authority to move players up if we feel they would be challenged more at an older age group. Parents do not make this decision, our staff makes this decision. Just so everyone knows, we move players up every year so this does happen and our staff can spot this early. The 2012 group is the only place we allow younger players to play up this year as we anticipate some 2013 players will want to tryout.

Training Schedule For RTC and ODP

The RTC Directors will have final say on their training schedules. We will recommend Friday or Sunday training with all groups. Some weekday training may occur if we run in to field issues or soccer schedules, but we will look to train on Friday or Sunday evening. The benefit of having a Regionalized Program is travel is cut down considerably to the point where weekday sessions, at times, may be necessary. We will also recommend that coaches' train in multiple locations within your region if necessary. Included on the next page is what the RTC and ODP schedule will look like for 2021-22. The schedule is always subject to minor changes as we are given new opportunities during the season to attend different events. Below is a typical training location for each RTC location. This is subject to change.

Portland 2009 Pool: Providence Park, Delta Park, Buckman

Portland East: Eastside Timbers Complex or Buckman Fields

Portland West: Tualatin Hills Recreation Center or Timbers Training Facility

Portland North/Vancouver: Delta Park, Harmony Sports Complex, Luke Jensen

Portland South: Tigard High School, Lake Oswego or Horizon Christian

RTC ID Tryout Locations for Out-of-Town Players Below

Salem: Capital Timbers Complex, Corban University or Willamette University

Eugene/Corvallis: Willamalane Complex, Oregon State University, South Albany HS, Crystal Lake

Bend: Bend Field Complex, Pine Nursery, Summit High School

Medford: US Cellular Complex

Gorge: Hood River High School



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2021-22 RTC and ODP Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>
August	RTC Tryouts (Start after August 15 th)	Your Regional area
Sept-November	8-10 RTC Training Sessions (All)	Portland
Sept-November	RTC ID Tryouts	Bend, Eugene, Medford, Salem
November/December	2009 ODP Tryout/2010 Tournament Tryouts	Portland
December 4-5	09/10 ODP Training	Portland/Salem
December 11-12	09/10 ODP Training	Portland/Salem
December 18-19	09/10 ODP Training	Portland/Salem
December 28-30	09/10 ODP Training	Portland/Salem
January TBA, 2022	ODP Regional Championships (09, 10)	Phoenix, AZ
January-March	8-10 RTC Training Sessions (10, 11, 12/13)	Portland
January-March	RTC ID Tryouts	Bend, Eugene, Medford, Salem
March 19-20	RTC Tournament (10, 11, 12/13)	Eugene, Oregon
March 22	Timbers ODP Roster Announced (10, 11)	Timbers Website
March 26-27	10, 11 ODP State Pool Training	Portland, Oregon
May 14-15	ODP State Pool Training (All)	Portland, Oregon
May 21-22	ODP State Pool Training (All)	Portland, Oregon
May 23 rd	Timbers/Thorns Friendship Cup Rosters Announced	
May 27-30	Timbers Friendship Cup	Beaverton, OR
June 1	ODP Regional Camp Rosters Announced	TBA
July (TBA)	ODP Regional Camp	McMinnville, Oregon

***Schedule is always subject to change**

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