

**2024-25 Spring Showcase**

*Special Events Details & Schedules*

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**DON’T MISS THE ACTION: D1 GAMES AT SPRING SHOWCASE!**

***UNC Greensboro vs. Elon University*** *– Thursday, April 10 @ 6:30 pm EST*

***Wake Forest vs. Clemson University*** *– Saturday, April 12 @ 4:30 pm EST*

Get ready for an exciting pair of top-level college soccer matches at the Spring Showcase! We’re bringing you high-intensity Division 1 matchups, featuring none other than 2024 D1 National Finalist, Wake Forest! The energy will be off the charts with halftime competitions, raffle prizes, and a crowd full of passionate fans! Bring your team, bring the hype, and experience the game at its highest level. Admission is FREE!

[**SIGN UP HERE**](https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/63870d0a358a44f08b03fb0f90ec7f48)to be a ball girl and get a front row seat of the action!

**COLLEGE RECRUITING EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS WITH SIGGI NAGELE**

*Saturday, April 12 at 2:30 pm EST AND Sunday, April 13 at 10:30 am EST*
Join us for an informative session on the college recruiting process with Siggi Nagele, an expert in college recruiting and author of *College Recruiting Handbook: College Recruiting Bible to a Stress-Free and Personalized Roadmap*. Designed for players and parents, this session will provide a general overview of key topics, including recruitment timelines, communication with college coaches, finding the “right fit,” and navigating the various levels of college soccer. Attendees will also gain insights on academic eligibility, creating a player profile, and making the most of showcases and ID camps. Learn more about Siggi and his resources at [www.nagelecollegeplanning.com](https://www.nagelecollegeplanning.com), or stop by and chat with him in the Player Village on Saturday and Sunday.

[**REGISTER HERE**](https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/9141631779904caf89ab1a364937d26a) **to let us know you’re coming!**

**GREEN OUT GAMES: RAISING MENTAL HEALTH AWARENESS WITH THE ADVISORY PANEL💚**

*Taking place during ALL matches played on Saturday, April 12 (April 13 for U17)*

💚 **Mental health matters. Let’s talk about it, support each other, and make a difference—on and off the field!**

Join us in shining a light on **athletes' mental health** at the **Green Out Games!** 🌿⚽ On **Saturday, April 12 (April 13 for U17s),** we’re asking all teams to **wear green** during their matches to show support and help break the stigma surrounding mental health. **Stop by the Advisory Panel tent** to grab some green and access valuable **mental health resources** before your game. Let’s stand together as a GA community to ensure **every player feels supported, heard, and valued.**

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**SPORTSMANSHIP INITIATIVE**

*Taking Place during ALL Matches on Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Raffle Winners Announced on Monday.*

In line with our commitment to fostering a positive and fair environment, we will be recognizing displays of outstanding sportsmanship on the field. Match Officials will identify one player in each game who demonstrates exceptional sportsmanship to receive the "Sportsmanship Award." Each selected player will be invited to visit the Advisory Panel Tent after the match, where they’ll be entered into a raffle for a new pair of Adidas cleats.

**UNCOMMITTED GOALKEEPER SHOWCASE SESSIONS**

The Girls Academy is excited to host two Uncommitted Goalkeeper Showcase sessions during the Spring Showcase designed specifically for U16-U19 goalkeepers who are still seeking opportunities to play collegiate soccer. These sessions provide a unique platform to showcase your talent in front of college coaches actively recruiting goalkeepers. We encourage goalkeepers to take advantage of this opportunity to stand out in a competitive recruiting landscape.

* **When:**
	+ Session 1 – Thursday, April 10 @ 4:30pm – 5:30 pm
	+ Session 2 – Friday, April 11 @ 9:00am – 10:00 am
* **Location:** Field 6
* **Details:** Open to uncommitted goalkeepers in the U16-U19 age groups who are still seeking opportunities to play collegiate soccer. Capped at 40 GK’s per session.
* [**REGISTER HERE**](https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/f46519b69e6f47e58dd6b09a7389189b) **-** Registration Closes at 11:59 pm on Tuesday, April 8

For questions regarding any of these sessions and events, reach out to Sierra Cardenas at admin@girlsacademyleague.com



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**Thursday, April 10**

**4:30 PM** – Uncommitted Goalkeeper Showcase (U16-U19)

* *Location: Field 6*

**6:30 PM** – UNC Greensboro vs. Elon University

* *Location: Field 1, Soccer Stadium*

**Friday, April 11**

**All Day** – Sportsmanship Initiative

**9:00 AM** – Uncommitted Goalkeeper Showcase (U16-U19)

* *Location: Field 6*

**Saturday, April 12**

**All Day** – Green out Games!

**All Day** – Sportsmanship Initiative

**2:30 PM** – College Recruiting Session with Siggi Nagele

* *Location: Players’ Lounge*

**4:30 PM** – Wake Forest vs. Clemson University

* *Location: Field 1, Soccer Stadium*

**Sunday, April 13**

**All Day** – Sportsmanship Initiative

**10:30 AM** – College Recruiting Session with Siggi Nagele

* *Location: Players’ Lounge*