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Attention editor

THE BREWSTER TRUST - Nine weeks of football for everyone

THE BREWSTER TRUST's Football Holiday Camp 2012 is for girls, boys and also for children with disabilities. It takes place at Queen's College with various age groups in the months of July and August 2012 for in total nine weeks. The courses are held by coaches from Arsenal FC, namely Joe Mitchell, Sam Ingram, Luke Howard and Ognjen "Oggy" Soskic and Nathaniel P. Brewster, Vice-President and co-founder of THE BREWSTER TRUST.



The participants of the age group 5-9 (Group B) after the Award Ceremony

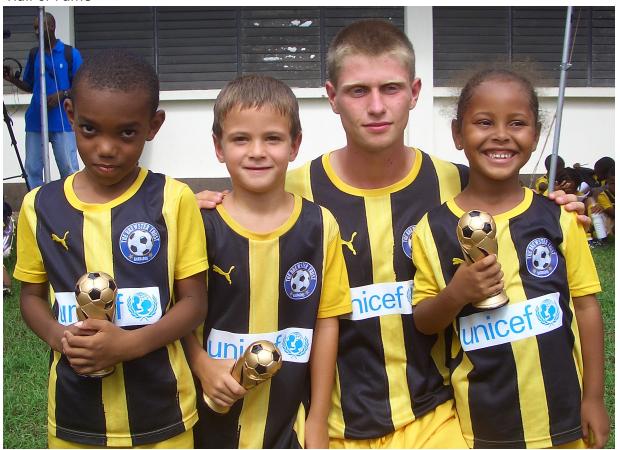
Focus children

The camp started with a coaching course for 46 local football coaches. The following weeks the charity hosted 137 registered campers in the first group of the age group 5-9 years, 152 campers in the first group of the age group 10-14 years, 41 campers in the age group 15-18 and for the last two weeks 158 campers in the second group of the age group 5-9 years.



Axel Bernhardt, CEO of THE BREWSTER TRUST, states: "As a charity we want to give everyone the same opportunity, programme or duration and so we started this group on Kadooment Day and over 60% followed the invitation. Again, we have seen very committed campers as well as parents. We had 158 campers including 11 from last year, nearly nine percent girls; in average we had every day 126 participants or around 80%, 70 campers or 44% attended every single day."

"Hall of Fame"



The awardees: Coach Luke with Ethan Goodridge (Fair Play Award), Benjamin McFarlane (Most Outstanding Boy) and Alayna Defretas (Most Outstanding Girl)

On the last day the awards for the "Most outstanding Players" and the "Fair Play" trophies have been handed over. Congratulations to:

- Zahria Gibson (Most Outstanding Girl), Edwin Currency (Most Outstanding Boy) and Ronan Lee (Fair Play Award) in Coach Oggy's group
- Alayna Defretas (Most Outstanding Girl), Benjamin McFarlane (Most Outstanding Boy) and Ethan Goodridge (Fair Play Award) in Coach Luke's group
- Asha Stevenson (Most Outstanding Girl), Jaydon Sealy (Most Outstanding Boy) and Akiel Wade (Fair Play Award) in Coach Joe's group



- Kayla Renwick (Most Outstanding Girl), Rhemar Simmons (Most Outstanding Boy) and Luke Thompson (Fair Play Award) in Coach Sam's group
- Genesis Chester (Most Outstanding Girl), Michael Mayers (Most Outstanding Boy) and Diallo Marshall (Fair Play Award) in Coach Nat's group

Set-up

The Football Holiday Camp 2012 comes complete with camp basics but also includes extras for parental comfort and focus on the children like health insurance cover, ambulance service, physiotherapist, hot healthy lunches and afternoon fruit breaks, isotonic beverages or shirt, shorts, socks and shinpads for every camper and not to forget a daily academic football session in classrooms. On 20th August 2012 the last group in this year's programme started the multifarious coaching sessions from 9.00am to 3.30pm daily include competitions, basic passing techniques, dribbling and turning at speed, slalom, turns, control and heading sessions including aerial control, using various parts of the body, basic techniques of shooting - with 172 registered campers.

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About our organisation:

THE BREWSTER TRUST, founded on 22nd April 2010, is a registered charity (No. 825). The trust's mission is to promote, develop and improve football in Barbados with the aim of creating opportunities at all levels but especially for the youth. To impart the qualities of leadership and loyalty, sportsmanship, competitive ambition and the drive for academic excellence as well as discipline, fair play and respect is the Charity's ultimate goal just as the fruitful cooperation with all national and international football stakeholders.