



Media Coverage

Local coaches pick up tips

SEVERAL of the island's coaches are currently undergoing a training camp that will be seeing them coming out with a Level One Certification. The week-long camp, which is being put on by local charity The Brewster Trust, is furnishing 38 local coaches with the skills and knowledge needed to deliver the basics to young footballers.

The clinic, which began on Monday at Queen's College, is aimed at preparing many of the coaches for the upcoming Brewster Trust Holiday Camp which gets started this coming Monday at the same venue. With close to 800 footballers between the ages of five and 19 registered for the camp, the coaches are being schooled in different drilling and instructional techniques as



Some of the local coaches going through drills yesterday at the Brewster Trust coaching camp.

well as fitness and diet training.

With the camp scheduled to end on Friday, the local coaches are being instructed by Arsenal coaches under the Gap

Year Programme. This programme – part of the Arsenal in the Community initiative – sees many of their young coaches spending time at international Arsenal Soccer School locations such as Thailand, Indonesia, Egypt, Greece and Barbados.

Speaking to the *Barbados Advocate* yesterday, head of the trust Nathaniel Brewster explained that things are going well for the training camp and that the dedication shown augurs well for the future of football in

Barbados.

"This is the third year that we have been running this camp and it has been really good. Right now we are focusing on the coaches this week. They will leave here with a Level 1 Certification. We have some Arsenal coaches down here helping to deliver the sessions. So all in all it has been a very good turnout. Even with Tropical Storm Chantal, we were out here training. We are trying to set a standard," he said.

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Brewster Trust giving back to Bim

ONE of this nation's true sons of the soil is on a mission to give back all he can to the land of his birth. After living in Canada since 1991, Nathaniel Brewster has been for the past three years doing his best to lift football in Barbados to new heights.

Speaking to the *Barbados Advocate* in an interview yesterday, Brewster, who is the Vice President and co-founder of the trust, explained that along with his father, Chesterfield, the pair wanted to give back to the island. "I like working with children and football is a passion of both my father and I, and we looked around and saw all the kids playing on pastures and beaches and there was no opportunity for them, so we decided to create an environment and programmes that these kids can stay off the streets and also get some good life lessons through playing football," he said.

With the summer holidays upon us, the trust is presently conducting a one-week coaching camp which precedes a four-week football camp for close to 800 youth players. Stating that it was not only training that the trust had on offer, Brewster also said that they made donations on the logistical side of things. "Two years ago we did a goal campaign where the Brewster Trust imported various sizes of goals and we put it out there to the nation that anyone that would like to have a set of goal bars should send us a letter and give a reason why you should have a goal... We delivered over 160 goal bars around the island. This year, we did a boots

campaign where we brought in just over 600 pairs of boots and we sold them at a discounted price," he stated.

Brewster pointed out that only with the help of a few private companies, the brunt of the costs have been covered by his family. "Every dollar that comes out of the Brewster Trust has either been paid for by my father and I, or we get help from PUMA. Powerade and Coca Cola have been very generous as well and donated quite a bit. And all the equipment to be used from a German company which has been very, very helpful. There is no government or private funding. We haven't even started doing any fund-raising. We have been pulling it out of our pocket so far," he said.

Stating that although there are two different trains of thought between his father and himself, the two believe that their combined efforts will yield the desired results. "My father and I have opposite ends of the dream. For me it's about the children and creating a grass-roots programme and something that can develop young players. My father is at the top end where he wants to see Barbados qualifying in World Cup games. So our dream at the end of the day is to have coaches trained up to be able to lead sessions in a professional manner and for the kids to be able to progress on to different programmes... We want to maintain some good programmes throughout the year and make football a 365-day-a-year sport around here and make it fun and keep the kids off the street," he stated.

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SUPREME COURT OF BARBADOS IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE

IN THE MATTER of section 9 of the Status of Children Reform Act Chapter 220 of the Laws of Barbados

AND IN THE MATTER of section 14 of the Vital Statistics Registration Act Chapter 192A of the Laws of Barbados

AND IN THE MATTER of establishing the paternity of ANNETTE SHIRLINE QUINTYNE nee HAYNES

AND IN THE MATTER of establishing that CALVIN RADCLIFF SHEPHERD was the father of ANNETTE SHIRLINE QUINTYNE nee HAYNES

AND IN THE MATTER of an Application by ANNETTE SHIRLINE QUINTYNE nee HAYNES

TAKE NOTICE

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