



# BCCSL announces hosting plans for the 2022 Coastal Cup Finals!

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The BC Coastal Soccer League (BCCSL) is pleased to announce the host club and location for the 2022 Coastal Cup Finals that will take place on the April 23-24 weekend.

The annual Coastal Cup is one of British Columbia's most prestigious youth soccer events, and the BC Coastal Soccer League will be managing the competition. The BCCSL will manage the draw, scheduling, communications, discipline and overall operations of the competition while BC Soccer will retain jurisdiction over the rules, regulations, and format.

The Coastal Cup has a long and rich history in BC, with teams from across the lower mainland (and Vancouver Island prior to this year) competing in this month-long competition. Boys and girls teams from the U13-U18 age categories in the A and B Cup compete with successful teams going on to represent their age category and district at the BC Soccer Provincial Championships.

Joe Basic, Chair of the BCCSL, commented, "We are very excited to have the Ridge Meadows Soccer Club host this year's Coastal Cup Finals. RMSC has established themselves a leader in our sport and we know that they will do an amazing job in organizing this prestigious event. Good luck to all of the teams as they enter the playdowns and I look forward to watching the finals in April".

RMSC President Mike Savignano, added, "We're honored to have been selected to host the Coastal Cup Final right here in our home city of Maple Ridge. It's been a challenging couple of years for all young athletes in our province, with health restrictions forcing cancellations of many tournaments and competitions that these kids would normally have been able to participate in. There's a long history of support and passion for youth soccer here in the Ridge Meadows community, and we're blessed with access to some of the best soccer fields in the lower mainland. To be able to host the first Coastal Cup since 2019 is really exciting both for our Club and for our community. We can't wait for the games to begin! The Ridge Meadows Soccer Club looks forward to welcoming players and families from all over the province, as they join us for the 2022 Coastal Cup Tournament".

The full Coastal Cup Finals game schedule will be released in the near future. For more information, visit [www.bccoastalsoccerleague.ca](http://www.bccoastalsoccerleague.ca)