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The latest news and updates from ForcaGoa

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16 Centers Across Goa Begin Training

We kickstarted the 17-18 season by kicking off training at 16 of our grassroot centres. We will be starting our baby leagues from the next month so that more kids get involved in our program. This season will see a longer, more professional development program that will be based on ISL and AIFF recommendations.

Welcome Orlando Viegas New Head of Grassroots

Personal Football History

 Clubs played for: Salcette FC (1987'-88); Dempo SC (1988-1995); Churchill Brothers (1996-'97); Dempo SC (1997-'99); Vasco SC (1999-2000)



- Goa: Sub-juniors (1984-'85);
 Juniors (1986-'89); Seniors (1989-1995)
- Achievements: Santosh Trophy Champions (1989); Santosh Trophy Runners-up (1992 and 1995)



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Viegas brings over 20 years of invaluable playing experience to the grassroots program and he has also recently completed his AIFF D Licence coaching course in Goa. He will be overseeing the entire grassroots football program helping ForcaGoa bring its plan to light.

Viegas hopes to bring his passion for football and professionalism to the junior gaurs and create a talent pool that will provide quality players for our first team.



Baby Leagues



- Restructure our curriculum and format operation of the 16 Grassroots Centers to integrate AIFF and ISL Recommendations
- 4 Days of Training, 1 Day of Competition for all the kids at our centers in the form of a Baby League Structure
- Winners from our Baby Leagues will participate in our statewide Traditional Junior Gaur Leagues.

What is a Baby League?

- It is a league structure for kids ages 5 years and above.
- It is intended to involve greater participation from children centered as much around match-play as it is around skills development.

Why Baby Leagues?

- It will allow all the kids from the centers to participate in yearlong competitive football
- Help in the technical development of the players.
- Increase the development of Game Mentality and the Speed of Play
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Sustainable Waste Management



Why Nerul?

- There is a clear need there for a sustainable waste management system
- It is the right size village for a pilot program.
- Deltin, that operates from the area, wishes to solve its own waste management issues while also giving back to the community by being a stakeholder in this project.

Nerul Village

Location: North Goa Houses: 1178 Population: 5042 Ecosystems: Mandovi River, Hillocks, Coastal Zone

Status Report

- There are only 2-3 public waste receptacles
- There are heaps of garbage along the main road
- A garbage collection truck is meant to collect waste from households operates 2 a week
- Most people are hesitant to use it due to unreliability and odd timings.
- Villagers mostly resort to dumping their waste in open areas or burn it.

Our Waste Management Plan

Education

- Garbage related issues
- Importance of dry and wet segregation
- Negative effects of dumping and burning of garbage
- How dumping of trash in rivers affects environment and marine life

Collection Process

- Multiple Bins and drop off points should be created throughout the village for easy disposal
- Increase the number of days pick up is happening.
- Create separate days for dry and wet waste pick up
- Clean Up areas in the village which have become open dumps

ACT4GOA Campaign

Post Panchayat Elections in Goa, the elected Ward Members of each village will be selecting the Sarpanch and the Deputy Sarpanch among themselves, after which they gear up for their first Gram Sabha.

A Village Gram Sabha compromises of all the voters in the village and is an opportunity to work along with elected representatives and get involved in the running of your village.

Our "attend your Gram Sabha" drive aims to motivate people to attend their village Gram Sabha and equip them with the awareness and knowledge required to be active citizens.

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