



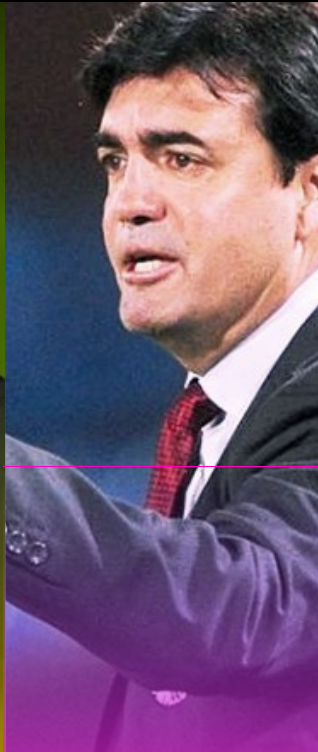
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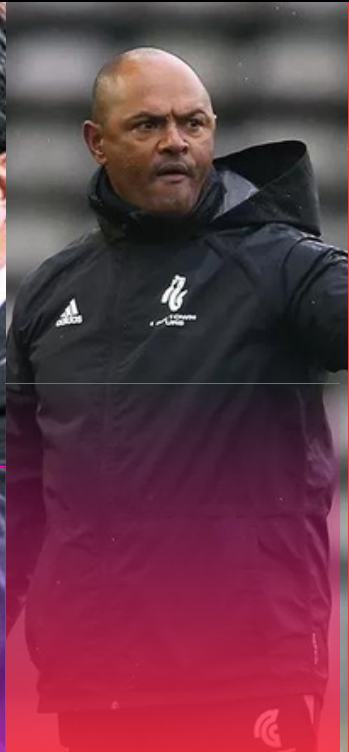
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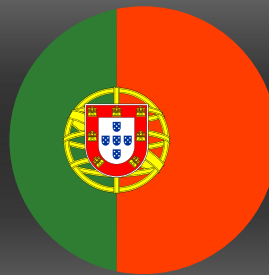
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# THE FOOTBALL SHOWCASE

8th – 10th December 2023

3 day residential camp

Players aged 13-21 years old



Elite level coaching and the opportunity to showcase your talent to scouts from across SA & abroad.

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OUR FOOTBALL SHOWCASE PROVIDES AN UNPARALLELED OPPORTUNITY FOR FOOTBALL PLAYERS AGED 13 TO 21 TO TRAIN WITH SOME OF THE BEST COACHES IN THE COUNTRY, LEARN FROM EX-PROS, EVALUATE THEIR SKILLS AND FITNESS, AND SHOWCASE THEIR TALENT TO LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL SCOUTS AND COACHES.

OVER THE COURSE OF SEVERAL DAYS, PLAYERS WILL PARTICIPATE IN INTENSIVE TRAINING SESSIONS LED BY EXPERIENCED AND KNOWLEDGEABLE COACHES. THESE COACHES WILL WORK CLOSELY WITH EACH PLAYER TO HELP THEM IMPROVE THEIR SKILLS AND REACH THEIR FULL POTENTIAL. IN ADDITION TO THE TRAINING SESSIONS, PLAYERS WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN FROM EX-PROFESSIONAL PLAYERS WHO HAVE PLAYED AT THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF THE GAME. THESE PROFESSIONALS WILL PROVIDE VALUABLE INSIGHTS AND ADVICE ON WHAT IT TAKES TO SUCCEED AS A PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL PLAYER.

THROUGHOUT THE SHOWCASE, PLAYERS WILL ALSO HAVE THEIR SKILLS AND FITNESS EVALUATED BY OUR TEAM OF EXPERT COACHES. THESE EVALUATIONS WILL PROVIDE PLAYERS WITH VALUABLE FEEDBACK ON THEIR STRENGTHS AND WEAKNESSES AND HELP THEM IDENTIFY AREAS FOR IMPROVEMENT. FINALLY, THE SHOWCASE WILL CULMINATE IN A SERIES OF GAMES, GIVING PLAYERS THE OPPORTUNITY TO SHOWCASE THEIR TALENTS TO LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL SCOUTS AND COACHES. THIS IS A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY FOR PLAYERS TO GAIN EXPOSURE AND POTENTIALLY TAKE THEIR CAREERS TO THE NEXT LEVEL.

THE FOOTBALL SHOWCASE PROVIDES AN IMMERSIVE AND INTENSIVE EXPERIENCE THAT IS DESIGNED TO HELP PLAYERS IMPROVE THEIR SKILLS, GAIN EXPOSURE, AND TAKE THEIR CAREERS TO THE NEXT LEVEL. WE ARE COMMITTED TO PROVIDING THE BEST POSSIBLE TRAINING AND DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES FOR FOOTBALL PLAYERS AND LOOK FORWARD TO HELPING PLAYERS ACHIEVE THEIR GOALS.

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## EXPERT COACHES



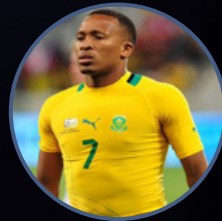
## MORE TO BE REVEALED...

## GUEST SPEAKERS



## INTERNATIONAL SCOUTS

## EX & CURRENT PROS



## LEGENDS

## UNIVERSITY COACHES



## INTERNATIONAL COACHES

## INTERNATIONAL SPORT AGENCIES



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SC FARENSE (PORTUGAL)



MAMELODI SUNDOWNS



ARMENIA BIELEFELD  
(GERMANY)



KAIZER CHEIFS



ASPIRE ATLANTIC  
(AMERICAN COLLEGE SCOUTS)



UNIVERSITY OF PRETORIA



NEW VISION  
(UNITED KINGDOM)



WITS UNIVERSITY



ELITE INT. FOOTBALL  
MANAGEMENT (SPAIN)



BSI FOOTBALL ACADEMY



SOUTH AFRICAN  
NATIONAL TEAMS



TOTAL FOOTBALL  
EXCELLENCE



SUPERSPORT UNITED



ORLANDO PIRATES FIVES



AMATUKS FOOTBALL  
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FOOTBALL

NEW VISION FOOTBALL :  
DIRECTOR - MATT KLEINMAN  
(UNITED KINGDOM)

NEW VISION IS A BESPOKE FOOTBALL AGENCY WHO PRIDE THEMSELVES ON THEIR THREE PILLARED APPROACH TOWARDS PLAYER REPRESENTATION: - STRATEGIC CAREER MANAGEMENT - THINKING LIKE A CLUB - WORKING OFF OF AN EVIDENCE BASED CULTURE AS A LEADING, SMALL SIZED AGENCY IN THE UK, BOTH MATT AND HIS BUSINESS PARTNER, ALEX LEVACK HAVE BUILT A COMPANY WHERE THE EMPHASIS IS QUALITY OVER QUANTITY IN ORDER TO DELIVER THE BEST POSSIBLE RESULTS FOR EACH AND EVERY CLIENT. THEIR EXTREMELY STRONG REPUTATION WITHIN THE INDUSTRY HAS ENABLED THEM TO CONTINUE TO PERFORM AT THE HIGHEST LEVELS OF THE GAME.



MATT KLEINMAN IS CO-OWNER OF NEW VISION FOOTBALL AND HAS BEEN ACTING AS AN AGENT FOR OVER 25 YEARS. DURING THIS TIME HE HAS REPRESENTED THE LIKES OF LUCAS RADEBE, MARK FISH AND SHAUN BARTLETT (ALL SOUTH AFRICAN INTERNATIONALS WHO PLAYED IN THE ENGLISH PREMIER LEAGUE). HE HAS ALSO BEEN INVOLVED WITH THE LIKES OF, ADAM LALLANA (FORMER ENGLAND INTERNATIONAL CURRENTLY PLAYING FOR BRIGHTON), FORMER MAN CITY AND ENGLAND STAR, MICAH RICHARDS, AND FORMER EVERTON AND LEEDS FORWARD, JERMAINE BECKFORD.

TODAY NEW VISION ACT FOR THE ENGLAND AND ARSENAL DEFENDER, BEN WHITE AS WELL AS THE GERMAN INTERNATIONAL DEFENDER, ARMEL BELLA-KOTCHAP. MATT IS ALSO A PUBLISHED AUTHOR OF THE BOOK, 'SHOW ME THE MONEY!' – AN INSIDER'S GUIDE TO BECOMING A TOP LEVEL PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALLER.

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(AMERICAN COLLEGE SCOUTS)

ASPIRE ATLANTIC IS A USA COLLEGE RECRUITMENT AND SCHOLARSHIP AGENCY THAT ASSISTS INTERNATIONAL ATHLETES IN STUDYING AND PLAYING COLLEGE SPORTS IN THE USA. GUIDING TOP ASPIRING ATHLETES THROUGH THE INTRICATE PROCESS OF COLLEGE RECRUITMENT, CONNECTING THEM WITH COLLEGE SPORTS PROGRAMS THAT ALIGN WITH THEIR ABILITIES AND ACADEMIC ASPIRATIONS.

SUCCESSFULLY PLACED MORE THAN 600 STUDENTS WITHIN THE UNITED STATES. EACH YEAR, THE AGENCY CONSISTENTLY SECURE SPOTS FOR OVER 100 NEW ATHLETES AT PRESTIGIOUS COLLEGES. ON AVERAGE, ATHLETES RECEIVE AROUND \$35,000 IN SCHOLARSHIP FUNDING ANNUALLY. ASPIRE ATLANTIC HAVE SECURED OVER \$70,000,000 IN FINANCIAL AID, AMOUNTING TO OVER ONE BILLION RANDBS SINCE THEIR INCEPTION.

ASPIRE ATLANTIC HAVE CULTIVATED AN EXTENSIVE NETWORK OF RELATIONSHIPS WITH COACHES IN THE USA, POSITIONING ASPIRE AS THE GO-TO SOURCE FOR TOP ASPIRING ATHLETES LOOKING FOR OPPORTUNITIES IN THE USA.

“OUR PERSONALIZED APPROACH DESIGNS PATHWAYS THAT MAXIMIZE A STUDENT'S POTENTIAL, ENSURING THEY FIND THE PERFECT ACADEMIC AND ATHLETIC ENVIRONMENT TO MATCH THEIR DESIRES AND CAPABILITIES.”

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SEBASTIAN SCHACHTER  
(GERMANY)

SCHÄCHTER SPORTS IS AT THE HEART OF THE FAST GROWING GLOBAL FOOTBALL MARKET. WORKING WITH SOME OF THE WORLD'S BIGGEST CLUBS, INCLUDING AS ROMA, AC MILAN, VFB STUTTGART, FC TOKYO, KAWASAKI FRONTALE, AND FSV MAINZ 05

THEIR VISION IS TO BECOME THE ENABLER FOR YOUNG PLAYERS, ASSOCIATIONS, CLUBS AND PLAYERS TO ENTER THE EUROPEAN FOOTBALL MARKET. THEIR GOAL FOR INTERNATIONAL YOUTH DEVELOPMENT IS TO WORK WITH ACADEMIES AND CLUBS ABROAD TO GIVE EVERY PLAYER THE CHANCE TO EXPERIENCE THE BEST POSSIBLE SUPPORT IN THEIR PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT. THEY SUPPORT THEIR PARTNERS BY GIVING LOCAL CAMPS WITH GERMAN HIGH-QUALITY COACHES AND PROMOTE THE MOST TALENTED PLAYERS BY GIVING THEM THE CHANCE TO GET INDIVIDUAL TRAINING WITH COACHES IN GERMANY AT ONE OF THE TOP TIER ACADEMIES ACROSS THE COUNTRY. PLAYERS GET THE CHANCE TO BENEFIT FROM EXPERTS AND THE ABILITY TO MEASURE THEMSELVES AGAINST DIFFERENT CLUB LEVELS THROUGH TRYOUTS IN GERMANY.

SCHÄCHTER SPORTS HAS WORKED WITH A WIDE RANGE FOR PARTNERS TO DATE FROM WORLD-LEADING BRANDS AND CLUBS TO GRASS ROOTS ACADEMIES.  
CHOSEN REFERENCES AND PARTNERS:



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## SHAUN BARTLETT (CAPE TOWN SPURS)

COACH SHAUN BARTLETT STANDS AS A PROMINENT FIGURE IN THE WORLD OF FOOTBALL, RENOWNED FOR HIS REMARKABLE CONTRIBUTIONS BOTH AS A PLAYER AND AS A COACH. HIS JOURNEY FROM BEING A SKILLED STRIKER ON THE FIELD TO A VISIONARY COACH HAS LEFT AN INDELIBLE MARK ON THE SPORT. THIS WRITE-UP DELVES INTO THE LIFE, ACHIEVEMENTS, AND COACHING PHILOSOPHY OF THE LEGENDARY SHAUN BARTLETT.

**EARLY LIFE AND PLAYING CAREER:** BORN ON OCTOBER 31, 1972, IN CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA, SHAUN BARTLETT DISPLAYED AN INNATE TALENT FOR FOOTBALL FROM A YOUNG AGE. HIS PLAYING CAREER SPANNED OVER TWO DECADES, DURING WHICH HE EARNED ACCOLADES AND ADMIRATION FROM FANS AND PEERS ALIKE. BARTLETT PLAYED A PIVOTAL ROLE IN THE SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL TEAM, REPRESENTING HIS COUNTRY IN MAJOR TOURNAMENTS SUCH AS THE FIFA WORLD CUP.

### NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENTS:

- 1996 AFRICAN CUP OF NATIONS:** BARTLETT PLAYED A CRUCIAL ROLE IN HELPING SOUTH AFRICA WIN THEIR FIRST-EVER AFRICAN CUP OF NATIONS, A HISTORIC MOMENT FOR THE NATION'S FOOTBALL.
- CLUB SUCCESS:** THROUGHOUT HIS CLUB CAREER, BARTLETT PLAYED FOR NOTABLE TEAMS SUCH AS CHARLTON ATHLETIC IN THE ENGLISH PREMIER LEAGUE, WHERE HE ESTABLISHED HIMSELF AS A PROLIFIC GOAL SCORER.
- INTERNATIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS:** BARTLETT'S DEDICATION TO THE SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL TEAM EARNED HIM OVER 70 CAPS, MAKING HIM ONE OF THE MOST CAPPED PLAYERS IN THE COUNTRY'S HISTORY.

**TRANSITION TO COACHING:** FOLLOWING HIS ILLUSTRIOUS PLAYING CAREER, SHAUN BARTLETT SEAMLESSLY TRANSITIONED INTO COACHING, LEVERAGING HIS DEEP UNDERSTANDING OF THE GAME AND HIS LEADERSHIP QUALITIES. HIS COACHING JOURNEY EXEMPLIFIES HIS COMMITMENT TO NURTURING TALENT AND IMPARTING HIS KNOWLEDGE TO THE NEXT GENERATION OF FOOTBALLERS.

**COACHING PHILOSOPHY:** COACH BARTLETT'S PHILOSOPHY REVOLVES AROUND A BLEND OF TACTICAL PROWESS, NURTURING PLAYER POTENTIAL, AND FOSTERING A STRONG TEAM SPIRIT. HE EMPHASIZES THE IMPORTANCE OF UNDERSTANDING THE NUANCES OF THE GAME, ADAPTING STRATEGIES BASED ON OPPONENTS, AND INSTILLING DISCIPLINE AND WORK ETHIC IN HIS PLAYERS. HIS APPROACH CENTERS ON DEVELOPING NOT ONLY EXCEPTIONAL ATHLETES BUT ALSO WELL-ROUNDED INDIVIDUALS.

### PREVIOUS COACHING STINTS:

- ASSISTANT COACH - KAIZER CHIEFS:** BARTLETT'S COACHING JOURNEY BEGAN AT KAIZER CHIEFS, ONE OF SOUTH AFRICA'S MOST PRESTIGIOUS FOOTBALL CLUBS. HIS ROLE AS AN ASSISTANT COACH ALLOWED HIM TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE TEAM'S TACTICAL DEVELOPMENT AND PLAYER MENTORSHIP.
- HEAD COACH - GOLDEN ARROWS:** SHAUN BARTLETT TOOK ON THE ROLE OF HEAD COACH AT GOLDEN ARROWS, WHERE HE FURTHER HONED HIS LEADERSHIP SKILLS AND SHOWCASED HIS ABILITY TO LEAD A TEAM TO SUCCESS.

**LEGACY AND IMPACT:** COACH SHAUN BARTLETT'S LEGACY EXTENDS BEYOND HIS INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENTS, AS HE CONTINUES TO SHAPE THE FUTURE OF SOUTH AFRICAN FOOTBALL. HIS DEDICATION TO THE SPORT, BOTH AS A PLAYER AND A COACH, HAS INSPIRED COUNTLESS INDIVIDUALS TO PURSUE THEIR PASSION FOR FOOTBALL. HIS COACHING ACUMEN, LEADERSHIP QUALITIES, AND COMMITMENT TO PLAYER DEVELOPMENT MAKE HIM A ROLE MODEL FOR ASPIRING COACHES AND PLAYERS ALIKE.



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## COACH SHAWN BISHOP (EX SUNDOWNS ACADEMY)



AS THE HEAD OF METHODOLOGY AT MAMELODI SUNDOWNS ACADEMY, SHAWN BISHOP IS RESPONSIBLE FOR OVERSEEING THE DEVELOPMENT OF YOUNG PLAYERS AT THE ACADEMY. HE IS IN CHARGE OF DESIGNING AND IMPLEMENTING TRAINING PROGRAMS THAT FOCUS ON THE TECHNICAL, TACTICAL, PHYSICAL, AND MENTAL ASPECTS OF THE GAME. HE IS ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR IDENTIFYING TALENTED YOUNG PLAYERS AND NURTURING THEIR DEVELOPMENT.

COACH SHAWN IS KNOWN FOR HIS INNOVATIVE APPROACH TO COACHING AND PLAYER DEVELOPMENT. HE IS ALWAYS LOOKING FOR NEW AND BETTER WAYS TO TRAIN PLAYERS AND HELP THEM REACH THEIR FULL POTENTIAL. UNDER HIS LEADERSHIP, THE MAMELODI SUNDOWNS YOUTH ACADEMY HAS PRODUCED SEVERAL TALENTED YOUNG PLAYERS WHO HAVE GONE ON TO PLAY FOR THE FIRST TEAM AND EVEN REPRESENT SOUTH AFRICA AT INTERNATIONAL LEVEL.

## COACH ZECA MARQUES (BSI ACADEMY)



ZECA MARQUES IS A WELL-KNOWN SOUTH AFRICAN FOOTBALL COACH WHO HAS BEEN ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN THE SPORT FOR SEVERAL DECADES. HE IS A FORMER PLAYER WHO TURNED TO COACHING AND HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL IN BOTH ROLES. ZECA MARQUES IS BEST KNOWN FOR HIS STINT AS HEAD COACH OF PSL CLUB, MOROKA SWALLOWS.

DURING HIS TIME AT MOROKA SWALLOWS, ZECA MARQUES LED THE TEAM TO A SECOND-PLACE FINISH IN THE PSL AND ALSO HELPED THEM WIN THE MTN8 CUP. HE IS KNOWN FOR HIS TACTICAL ASTUTENESS, ABILITY TO MOTIVATE PLAYERS, AND ATTENTION TO DETAIL. ZECA MARQUES IS ALSO KNOWN FOR HIS EMPHASIS ON YOUTH DEVELOPMENT AND HAS HELPED SEVERAL YOUNG PLAYERS MAKE THEIR MARK IN SOUTH AFRICAN FOOTBALL.



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## COACH ALEJANDRO HEREDIA (EX BAFANA & BANYANA GOALKEEPER COACH)

COACH ALEJANDRO HEREDIA IS A WELL-KNOWN GOALKEEPER COACH WHO HAS WORKED WITH SEVERAL SOUTH AFRICAN FOOTBALL TEAMS, INCLUDING SUPERSPORT UNITED, MAMELODI SUNDOWNS AS WELL AS BAFANA BAFANA. HEREDIA HAS OVER 20 YEARS OF EXPERIENCE IN COACHING AND IS KNOWN FOR HIS EXPERTISE IN DEVELOPING YOUNG GOALKEEPERS.

AS A FIFA GOALKEEPER INSTRUCTOR, HEREDIA IS RESPONSIBLE FOR TRAINING OTHER GOALKEEPER COACHES AND DEVELOPING GOALKEEPER TRAINING PROGRAMS THAT MEET FIFA'S STANDARDS. HE HAS HELPED TO IMPROVE THE STANDARD OF GOALKEEPER TRAINING IN MANY COUNTRIES, AND HIS CONTRIBUTIONS HAVE BEEN RECOGNIZED BY FIFA AND THE FOOTBALL COMMUNITY.

## DAVID RIBEIRO (THE FOOTBALL UNION)



COACH DAVID RIBEIRO IS A HIGHLY QUALIFIED AND RESPECTED FIGURE IN SOCCER COACHING. AS THE TECHNICAL DIRECTOR OF TOTAL FOOTBALL EXCELLENCE AND SAFA GOALKEEPER COACH, HE BRINGS EXTENSIVE KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE TO HIS ROLE. WITH QUALIFICATIONS SUCH AS THE FIFA MASTER, CAF B LICENSE, AND FIFA ADVANCED GOALKEEPER COACH, RIBEIRO IS DEDICATED TO PLAYER DEVELOPMENT AND UTILIZES CUTTING-EDGE COACHING METHODOLOGIES. HIS LEADERSHIP SKILLS AND ABILITY TO INSPIRE PLAYERS MAKE HIM A VALUABLE ASSET IN SHAPING THE FUTURE OF SOCCER.

COACH DAVID RIBEIRO HAS MADE SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE SOUTH AFRICAN WOMEN'S NATIONAL U17 TEAM AS THEIR GOALKEEPER COACH. HIS EXPERTISE AND GUIDANCE HAVE PLAYED A CRUCIAL ROLE IN DEVELOPING THE SKILLS AND TECHNIQUES OF THE YOUNG GOALKEEPERS WITHIN THE NATIONAL SETUP.

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