



COACH BIO

AMERICAN YOUTH SOCCER ORGANIZATION - REGION 255



Name Janette Lopez

Age 37

Certifications U6, U8, U10, U12, Intermediate Coach, Safe Haven, CDC Concussion

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Playing Experience

Played for women's soccer teams in the Mexican League and Co-Ed teams for Visalia Adult League. Due to two knee injuries, I stopped playing.

Coach Experience

I have 10 years of coaching experience. I coached AYSO teams from U6 all the way to CoEd U19 teams. I like to coach my kids, in some years I have taken 2 or 3 teams each Season, it was challenging but I managed. I have also coached Mexican league soccer teams.

Personal Information

Hometown / Where I grew up: Born in Mexico and by age of 10 moved to Tulare, CA.

My Family: I have 4 kids, one girl and three boys, which all have played for AYSO. My daughter started playing for AYSO when she was 8 years old and then all my other kids followed.

Hobbies: I love anything outdoors. Some of my favorite hobbies are soccer, card games, dance, gardening, cleaning, hiking and of course, volunteering.

Soccer Philosophy: Every kid deserves a chance to learn the beautiful game of soccer. It is a sport that can be taught at an early age and by the years improve their skills with dedication and discipline. Giving kids a chance to be part of the game is a good way for them to improve themselves on how to handle the soccer ball and what to do with pressure.

What makes me love soccer coaching so much: I love to coach because each season gives me the opportunity to teach kids what I know about soccer. It's rewarding when I see them learn and improve their skills at the end of each season. And what makes it even better is the kids recognize me out there on the field after years have gone by.

Fun Fact about me: I love to dance ballet folklorico.