



BIRMINGHAM UNITED FC MICHIGAN WOLVES-HAWKS FORM ALLIANCE

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Our club is pleased to announce a new affiliation with the Michigan Wolves-Hawks Soccer Club. This relationship will allow our players an additional avenue to pursue the game at the next competitive level. Birmingham United has always had a great deal of respect for the Michigan Wolves-Hawks organization, their coaches, style of play, and in general their overall professional reputation as one of the top soccer clubs in the country. This creates the opportunity for our players to experience a highly competitive soccer environment, if they so desire. Brian Doyle, Director of Coaching of the Michigan Wolves-Hawks, along with other head coaches of the organization, will be responsible for the evaluation and final selection of interested players.

Andy Chapman

"We are really excited to form this new soccer relationship with the Wolves-Hawks organization. This will allow the players in our club to have opportunities to play at the next level. I played professionally with many of their coaches, and I would trust them to do a great job identifying and helping players to further develop their soccer careers. It is a very exciting relationship."

Ian Fairbrother

"We would only endorse another club if we had full confidence in their professionalism, and ability to help some of our players achieve their soccer ambitions. We have respected Brian Doyle and his staff over the years for being the most competitive soccer program in the state. We have always believed in Birmingham United's ability to fulfill our players potential through high school. Now they have an additional platform (Wolves-Hawks organization) based on their own dedication and ability, to possibly play this game at college and beyond. Our older players are especially excited with this opportunity."

