



The B13 Rush Select is preparing for their trip to Italy to take place in mid-April where thirty of the top players from across Rush, from 10 different clubs, will be joined by the coaching staff of Matt Mittelstaedt of VA, Dan Highstead of PP, Justin Sells of NM and Matt Saul of MI, for a 10 day trip. The visit will take in Milan, Lake Como and Florence and some of the highest level of soccer the players will have experienced

The guys will be playing in the Margine Pro Tournament in Montecatini, that will include the youth academy teams of Juventus, Roma, Empoli, Siena, Fiorentina and Atalanta to name a few. This will be a great test to play against some of the best teams in Europe.



The team will hit the ground running with a trip to the famous San Siro Stadium, home of both Inter and Ac Milan. They will then travel to Lake Como where they will play some friendly matches against local competition to prepare for the big tournament. Whilst in Lake Como they will be able to visit the famous Bellagio area and take in the sites of the town that many of the rich and famous call home.

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The group of players that will make up two teams, will also train at Corverciano, the national training center for the Italian Federation, and get to work with some of the Italian National team coaches, as well as visit the museum to take in the World Cup and European Championship trophies.

This will be truly an amazing trip and opportunity for the players that are listed below. You can see the entire itinerary by [clicking here](#).

We will have regular updates on both the Rush Website and the Select Facebook pages.

Player Name	Club		
McGrail, Tommy	DE	Soots, Caleb	MO
Hibbler, Terrance	VA	Rooney, Patrick	CO
Richdale, Kent	TX	Eads, Erik	VA
Vernon, Connor	CO	Nystrom, Kenji	WA
Kurlej, Casey	DE	Obara, Clay	VA
Drought, Connor	WA	Phillips, Cameron	TX
Blaylock, Cameron	MO	Hanson, Luke	CO
Fuerte, Ethan	WA	Falck, Simon	VA
McClendon, Mason	VA	Sexton, Caleb	MI
Ermini, John	VA	Yoshida, Sean	HI
Deutsch, Tyler	DE	Bassett, Cole	CO
Brynes, Nolan	CO	Lissa, Nadim	VA
Latino, Antonio	WA	Hernandez, Gabe	SOCAL
Peterson, Kevin	CO	Kugler, Ian	CO
Raynor, James	VA	Spory, Matthew	PP



The 2006 World Cup won by Italy