

CANADA SOCCER 2022 ANNUAL REPORT

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A MESSAGE FROM EARL COCHRANE, GENERAL SECRETARY



NEW LEADERSHIP

This past year has given us a much-needed return to normalcy – a return to the things we know and love, including reinstating competitions for all of our women's and men's programs. While we started to come together as fans and communities from coast-to-coast-to-coast, we found ourselves in a drastically changed world.

That change was also reflected in our organization.

It was an honour to be named our organization's new General Secretary last July. It is our commitment to take Canada Soccer—building on the work so many of you have and are already doing—to a more prominent position nationally and become leaders within our global federations and governing bodies.

I am excited for what the future holds for our membership, our national programs and our sport in Canada. On the heels of tremendous success by our National Team Players, we are poised to take yet another sizable step forward, continuing our build towards a more progressive world-class federation.

MAKING HISTORY. TOGETHER.

One of the most important matters that we undertook in the past 12 months, was the start of negotiations with both of our National Teams. Collective Bargaining is a complex and sometimes difficult process. The past few months have been a challenging time for our organization, exposing some of our wounds and gaps that are in need of fixing. I acknowledge there is necessary and urgent work to do.

Given all that has transpired, I remain hopeful. I am confident that we have all the necessary elements in place and that we have the capacity to meet this moment – an agreement that is fair, equitable and world-leading, setting up our players and our organization for success well into the future.

To our Women's and Men's National Team Players: I want to personally thank you for your strength of purpose and commitment to growing our sport and for wanting to leave it in a better place. I echo that desire. I know that trust is earned, and relationships that last, take work. We are committed to doing that work and are resolute in the belief that together, #WeCAN make history.

GOLDEN AGE

Our Women's National Team is about to compete in yet another FIFA Women's World Cup, and doing so for the first time as the defending Olympic Champions. As one of the world's highest ranked sides, fans across our country will once again unite this summer ready to celebrate even more glory.

After 36 years, our Men's National Team returned to the FIFA World Cup, competing valiantly against some of the world's greatest players and teams. As co-hosts to the next FIFA World Cup in 2026 beckons, this improbable journey continues as we all prepare to welcome the world in three short years.

There is no doubt that we are in the midst of the most exciting era in our nation's soccer history. There is so much promise for this golden age of soccer in our country, for both the women's and men's programs. We are seeing the next generation of stars lining up alongside some of our country's—and the world's—greatest players and ambassadors.

This is happening because the investments Canada Soccer and the membership have made in our grassroots and youth programs, investments that are so critical to our National Team pathways, are working. Pathways that are rarely binary. It is vitally important that the routes to professional careers in our sport are not one dimensional and have plenty of on and offramps to ensure we are providing multiple oppor-tunities for success—for all.

PROGRESS ON SAFE SPORT

Last summer, we hired Allison Forsyth, Ilan Yampolsky and the ITP Sport Group to work with us to formulate an Action Plan to ensure we implement the key recommendations from the McLaren Report. That work is well underway and I was pleased to update our membership recently on some meaningful policy changes, with an emphasis on systemic alignment, which included: an upgraded policy suite; more robust training and education; modified minimized standards for volunteer coaches to reduce cost without reducing the efficacy of the training; in-person education of our senior National Teams; incorporation of Safe Sport videos and recorded webinars for A, B, and C level coaches; quarterly live webinar offerings for parents, athletes, coaches at all levels; a revamped complaint management system; and, a new national public sanctioning registry.

As I have said publicly in recent months, there is always more to do and the work continues. We want to be leaders in Safe Sport policies and practices in Canada and I am reiterating our commitment to ensure, to the best of our ability and with the highest standards available, a safe and healthy soccer experience at all levels in our sport.

SHARED FUTURE

Our sport is played at a variety of different levels and in a multitude of places – but the essence of all of these games are the same. Regardless of the venue or place, the town or province, the street or stadium. A team is always stronger together. And it's that solidarity and unity with a common purpose that often determines and separates the victorious from the vanquished.

We need to work collaboratively to ensure that soccer continues to find its way into the fabric of Canadian society. That we strive, whether through proper governance, protections and transparency, through competitions or events, or through the development of all of the various aspects of the game, to widen the impact soccer can have on all – regardless of gender, race, age, sexual orientation, or socio-economic status.

Let's make 2023 the year where the modern era of Canadian soccer begins – through communication and harmony where we collectively map out an aligned future of our sport. One that is purpose-built, inclusive of all, and sustainable for future generations to enjoy this wonderful sport we all hold so dear. #WeCAN and we will do this together.

FIFA WORLD CUP 2026[™]

VANCOUVER AND TORONTO NAMED OFFICIAL HOST CITIES FOR THE FIFA WORLD CUP 2026™

As Canada continues to prepare for the FIFA World Cup 2026[™], both Vancouver and Toronto were unveiled as Canadian Official Host Cities for the biggest sporting event in the world. In all, there will be 16 Official Host Cities for the FIFA World Cup 2026[™] in Canada, USA and Mexico.

The positive impacts of hosting the FIFA World Cup 2026[™] will extend well beyond the matches hosted in Canada. Hosting the world's premier soccer showcase will create tangible legacy programs that continue the original bid vision of unity, certainty and opportunity.

Canada Soccer will extend its collaboration with all stakeholders to seek opportunities for Canadian cities and communities from coast to coast to be part of this historic event. In addition to marquee FIFA Fan Fests™ in Canadian Official Host Cities, Canada Soccer will continue to pursue opportunities to host live sites across Canada, to showcase uniquely Canadian artists, talents, and cultures to the thousands of international visitors during and leading up to the competition in the summer of 2026. The expanded format of the FIFA World Cup 2026[™] also provides additional opportunities for Canadian cities to host international matches in the four-year runway to the competition as well as team base camps during the FIFA World Cup 2026[™]. Canada Soccer will continue to engage fans from coast to coast as the excitement builds to Canada, Mexico and the United States welcoming the world in 2026.

When the opening whistle blows, Canada will hold the distinction of becoming the first nation to host five different categories of FIFA men's and women's international soccer tournaments for National Teams. As a host nation, Canada has set FIFA records for attendance for many events, notably the 1.35-million cumulative spectators across 52 matches for the FIFA Women's World Cup Canada 2015™. Eight years earlier. Canada set a thenrecord by drawing nearly 1.2-million cumulative spectators across 52 matches for the FIFA U-20 World Cup Canada 2007. In 2002, Canada set a still-standing record for the largest attendance to a FIFA women's youth tournament match when it drew 47,784 spectators to the Final of the FIFA U-19 Women's World Cup Championship Canada 2002.



FIFA WORLD CUP™

WINNER'S TROPHY



MOMENTS OF THE YEAR

Canada's inspirational run to the FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022 and their first-ever men's FIFA World Cup goal were Canada Soccer's 2022 Moments of the Year. From an incredible 20-match qualification run across nine countries, the Men's National Team's return to the world's biggest stage captured the imagination of an entire nation. Then in the most-watched soccer match in Canadian television history, Alphonso Davies made history when he scored the Men's National Team's first FIFA World Cup goal at Qatar 2022.

Fearless and entertaining throughout the group stage at the FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022, Canada scored their first goal after just 67 seconds in the second match with a Canadian recordbreaking 4.4 million average viewers across CTV, TSN and RDS. Davies was the history maker after he headed home a perfect cross from winger Tajon Buchanan in that second minute. The play was built up across 29 seconds of passing from six players before Davies' jumping header from inside the 18-yard box sent Canadians in stadium and back home into a frenzy.

Across 2021-22 FIFA World Cup Qualifiers, Canada posted 14 wins, four draws and just two losses over three rounds as they became the first nation from the region to qualify for Qatar with a 4:0 home win on 27 March 2022 in Toronto. Canada scored a Men's National Team record 54 goals across the cycle while Cyle Larin set the Canadian record for goals (13), Alphonso Davies set the Canadian record for assists (eight), and Milan Borjan set the Canadian record for clean sheets (nine). Of note, both Larin (13) and Jonathan David (nine) were the top-two goalscorers across all Concacaf nations in 2021-22 FIFA World Cup Qualifiers. Throughout the qualifying campaign, Canada set numerous team and individual records, also setting a Concacaf record for the longest undefeated streak in a FIFA World Cup Qualifiers campaign. Canada set their own Men's National Team records for consecutive wins (eight) and longest home undefeated streak (14 matches). Across 2021, Canada were the "Most Improved Side" on the FIFA/Coca-Cola World Rankings.

Canada were ultimately eliminated in the group phase at Qatar 2022, with defeats to the world's number-two ranked Belgium as well as the eventual third- and fourth-place nations Croatia and Morocco. Looking ahead to the next fouryear cycle, Canada will compete in the FIFA World Cup 2026 as one of three co-hosts alongside Mexico and USA. The new journey starts in March 2023 with the continuation of 2022-23 Concacaf Nations League and a potential berth at the 2023 Concacaf Gold Cup, the region's biennial confederation championship.

At year's end, Canada Soccer's Men's National Team were recognised as The Canadian Press Team of the Year for the first time while Davies finished the runner up in voting for The Canadian Press Male Athlete of the Year. It also marked just the third time that a soccer team voted The Canadian Press Team of the Year and the first time that soccer teams have won the award in back-to-back years. Before the Men's National Team in 2022, Canada Soccer's Women's National Team won The Canadian Press Team of the Year award in both 2012 (Olympic Bronze in London) and 2021 (Olympic Gold in Japan).



CANADA AT QATAR 2022

First to entertain.

First to show up fearless.







First goal.

CANADA 2018–2022 FIRSTS



First win vs. USA since 1985 OCTOBER 15, 2019





First competitive point at Azteca since 1980 OCTOBER 7, 2021





First World Cup Qualifiers win vs. Mexico since 1976 NOVEMBER 16, 2021



First win in Honduras since 1985 JANUARY 27, 2022











MEN'S NATIONAL TEAM

Canada Soccer's Men's National Team wrapped up an incredible 23-match journey in December through both FIFA World Cup Qualifiers and their first men's FIFA World Cup in 36 years. On the world's biggest stage, the Men's National Team was fearless and entertaining, scored their first goal at a FIFA World Cup, and left a legacy for bigger and better things to come on the road to 2026 and beyond.

Across the calendar year, Canada Soccer's Men's National Team posted a 2022 international record of seven wins, one draw and seven losses in 15 matches. The Men's National Team was again unbeaten at home, this time with a perfect competitive home record of three-straight wins in Hamilton, Toronto and Vancouver. The three matches drew 58,338 cumulative spectators, even though the first match featured restricted capacity because of the global pandemic. Across the 15 matches, Canada scored 23 goals, conceded 16 goals, and posted six clean sheets. Canadian players also established new records and reached some pretty remarkable milestones in 2022, most notably captain Atiba Hutchinson who became the first Men's National Team player to feature in 100 international "A" appearances. Other Men's National Team records were set by: Milan Borjan for international "A" appearances by a goalkeeper; Cyle Larin for career international "A" goals; and Alistair Johnston for consecutive international "A" matches.

Canada Soccer's Men's National Team are the reigning Kings of Concacaf, having finished first overall in the Concacaf Final Round of FIFA World Cup Qualifiers from September 2021 to March 2022. It marked the third time that Canada Soccer's Men's National Team won a Concacaf title, having previously won the 1985 Concacaf Championship and the 2000 Concacaf Gold Cup.

#CANMNT BY THE NUMBERS

- \rightarrow 15 international matches
- \rightarrow Record 7 wins, 1 draw, 7 losses
- \rightarrow Home record: 3W-0D-0l
- \rightarrow Concacaf/FIFA record: 5W-0D-6L
- → 23 goals scored, 16 goals conceded, 6 clean sheets
- \rightarrow 43 Men's National Team players
- ightarrow 35 MNT players featured in one or more matches
- → 3 MNT international "A" debuts (Ismaël Koné, Lukas MacNaughton, Joel Waterman)

HEAD COACH JOHN HERDMAN

→ Canada record 32 wins, 5 draws, 13 losses in 50 international "A" matches

#CANMNT 2022 LEADERS

- \rightarrow 1,173 minutes by Alistair Johnston
- \rightarrow 4 goals scored by Jonathan David
- \rightarrow 6 clean sheets by Milan Borjan



CANMNT 2022 RESULTS

DATE	МАТСН	RESULT	МАТСН ТҮРЕ	LOCATION	VENUE
JANUARY 27	CANMNT V HON	2:0	FIFA WORLD CUP QUALIFIERS	SAN PEDRO SULA, HON	ESTADIO OLÍMPICO METROPOLITANO
JANUARY 30	CANMNT V USA	2 : 1	FIFA WORLD CUP QUALIFIERS	HAMILTON, ON	TIM HORTONS FIELD
FEBRUARY 2	CANMNT V SLV	0:1	FIFA WORLD CUP QUALIFIERS	SAN SALVADOR, SLV	ESTADIO CUSCATLÁN
MARCH 24	CANMNT V CRC	0:1	FIFA WORLD CUP QUALIFIERS	SAN JOSÉ, CRC	ESTADIO NACIONAL DE COSTA RICA
MARCH 27	CANMNT V JAM	4:0	FIFA WORLD CUP QUALIFIERS	TORONTO, ON, CAN	BMO FIELD
MARCH 30	CANMNT V PAN	0:1	FIFA WORLD CUP QUALIFIERS	CIUDAD PANAMÁ, PAN	ESTADIO ROMMEL FERNÁNDEZ
JUNE 9	CANMNT V CUW	4:0	CONCACAF NATIONS LEAGUE	VANCOUVER, BC, CAN	BC PLACE
JUNE 13	CANMNT V HON	0:1	CONCACAF NATIONS LEAGUE	SAN PEDRO SULA, HON	ESTADIO OLÍMPICO METROPOLITANO
SEPTEMBER 23	CANMNT V QAT	2:0	MEN'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY	VIENNA, AUT	GENERALI ARENA
SEPTEMBER 27	CANMNT V URU	0:2	MEN'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY	BRATISLAVA, SVK	STADION TEHELNÉ POLE
NOVEMBER 11	CANMNT V BHR	2:2	MEN'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY	ISA TOWN, BHR	AL-KHALIFA STADIUM
NOVEMBER 17	CANMNT V UAE	2:0	EXHIBITION	DUBAI, UAE	AL MAKTOUM STADIUM
NOVEMBER 17	CANMNT V JPN	2 : 1	MEN'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY	DUBAI, UAE	AL MAKTOUM STADIUM
NOVEMBER 23	CANMNT V BEL	0 : 1	FIFA WORLD CUP	AL RAYYAN, QAT	AHMAD BIN ALI STADIUM
NOVEMBER 27	CANMNT V CRO	1:4	FIFA WORLD CUP	AL RAYYAN, QAT	KHALIFA INTERNATIONAL STADIUM
DECEMBER 1	CANMNT V MOR	0:2	FIFA WORLD CUP	AL RAYYAN, QAT	AL THUMAMA STADIUM



WOMEN'S NATIONAL TEAM

As a highlight to their 2022 international season, Canada Soccer's Women's National Team qualified for the FIFA Women's World Cup and finished runners up at the Concacaf W Championship. It marked the eighth consecutive time that Canada qualified for the FIFA Women's World Cup, an achievement that is matched by only eight other nations in the world.

To qualify for the FIFA Women's World Cup Australia & New Zealand 2023, Canada won back-to-back matches at the 2022 Concacaf W Championship in July at Mexico. From there, Canada won another two matches to reach the Concacaf Final, but were then ultimately beaten 1:0 by USA on a penalty in the second half.

Across the five matches, four Canadians were named to the tournament's Best XI while Kailen Sheridan won the Golden Glove Award and Julia Grosso won the Golden Boot Award. Alongside Sheridan and Grosso, both Jessie Fleming and Vanessa Gilles were also named to the Best XI while Canada also took home the Fair Play Award. Across the calendar year, Canada Soccer's Women's National Team posted a 2022 international record of 11 wins, three draws and three losses in 17 matches. The Women's National Team was again unbeaten at home, this time with a win and two draws while drawing 41,645 cumulative spectators to three matches on the FIFA International Calendar in Vancouver, Langford and Toronto. Canada scored 30 goals, conceded just nine, and posted 10 clean sheets.

Canada are Olympic champions (Tokyo in 2021), two-time bronze medal winners (2012 and 2016), and two-time Concacaf champions (1998 and 2010). In all, Canada have participated in seven consecutive editions of the FIFA Women's World Cup™ (1995 to 2019) and four consecutive editions of the Women's Olympic Football Tournament (2008 to 2021). At Tokyo 2020, Canada Soccer's Women's National Team became the first Canadian team to win three consecutive medals at the Summer Olympic Games and just the third nation in the world to win three medals in women's soccer.

#CANWNT BY THE NUMBERS

- \rightarrow 17 international matches
- \rightarrow Record 11 wins, 3 draws, 3 losses
- \rightarrow Home record: 1W-2D-0L
- \rightarrow Concaca record: 4W-0D-1L
- → 30 goals scored, 9 goals conceded, 10 clean sheets
- \rightarrow 41 Women's National Team players
- \rightarrow 33 players featured in one or more matches
- → 5 international "A" debuts (Marie-Yasmine Alidou, Amanda Allen, Simi Awujo, Zoe Burns, Clarissa Larisey)

HEAD COACH BEV PRIESTMAN

→ Canada record 18 wins, 10 draws, 6 losses in 34 international "A" matches

#CANWNT 2022 LEADERS

- \rightarrow 1,420 minutes by Jessie Fleming
- \rightarrow 5 goals scored (tied) by Jessie Fleming and Adriana Leon
- ightarrow 5 assists by Jordyn Huitema
- ightarrow 8 clean sheets by Kailen Sheridan



CANWNT 2022 RESULTS

DATE	МАТСН	RESULT	МАТСН ТҮРЕ	LOCATION	VENUE
JANUARY 27	CANWNT V HON	2:0	ARNOLD CLARK CUP	MIDDLESBROUGH, ENG	RIVERSIDE STADIUM
FEBRUARY 20	CANWNT V GER	1:0	ARNOLD CLARK CUP	NORWICH, ENG	CARROW ROAD STADIUM
FEBRUARY 23	CANWNT V ESP	0:1	ARNOLD CLARK CUP	WOLVERHAMPTON, ENG	MOLINEUX STADIUM
APRIL 8	CANWNT V NGA	2:0	WOMEN'S CELEBRATION TOUR	VANCOUVER, BC, CAN	BC PLACE
APRIL 11	CANWNT V NGA	2:2	WOMEN'S CELEBRATION TOUR	VICTORIA, BC, CAN	STARLIGHT STADIUM
JULY 5	CANWNTVTRI	6:0	CONCACAF W CHAMPIONSHIP	GUADALUPE, NL, MEX	ESTADIO BBVA
JULY 8	CANWNT V PAN	1:0	CONCACAF W CHAMPIONSHIP	SAN NICOLÁS DE LOS GARZA, NL, MEX	ESTADIO UNIVERSITARIO
JULY 11	CANWNT V CRC	2:0	CONCACAF W CHAMPIONSHIP	MONTERREY, NL, MEX	ESTADIO BBVA
JULY 14	CANWNT V JAM	3:0	CONCACAF W CHAMPIONSHIP	SAN NICOLÁS DE LOS GARZA, NL, MEX	ESTADIO UNIVERSITARIO
JULY 18	CANWNT V USA	0:1	CONCACAF W CHAMPIONSHIP	GUADALUPE, NL, MEX	ESTADIO BBVA
AUGUST 26	CANWNT V KOR	0:0	WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY	TORONTO, ON, CAN	BMO FIELD
SEPTEMBER 3	CANWNT V AUS	1:0	WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY	BRISBANE, AUS	SUNCORP STADIUM
SEPTEMBER 6	CANWNT V AUS	2 : 1	WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY	SYDNEY, AUS	ALLIANZ STADIUM
OCTOBER 6	CANWNTVARG	2:0	WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY	SANLÚCAR DE BARRAMEDA, ESP	ESTADIO SANLUQUEÑO
OCTOBER 10	CANWNT V MAR	4:0	WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY	JEREZ DE LA FRONTERA, ESP	ESTADIO MUNICIPAL DE CHAPÍN
NOVEMBER 11	CANWNT V BRA	2 : 1	WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY	SANTOS, BRA	ESTÁDIO URBANO CALDEIRA
NOVEMBER 15	CANWNT V BRA	1:2	WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL FRIENDLY	SÃO PAULO, BRA	NEO QUIMICA ARENA

WNT CELEBRATION TOUR

Canada Soccer continued to honour their Olympic champions with the second part of the Women's National Team Celebration Tour at a pair of home matches on the FIFA International Calendar in April 2022. The two-match series was highlighted by a surprise visit from the Prime Minister of Canada at the team hotel on Vancouver Island.

Despite restrictions coming out of the global pandemic, Canada Soccer hosted the Women's National Team in four different Canadian cities across the FIFA International Calendar in October 2021 and April 2022. The four home matches in Ottawa, Montréal, Vancouver and Langford drew 53,744 cumulative spectators. After the tour and just ahead of the Concacaf W Championship, Canada Soccer drew another 15,610 spectators for a home send-off match in Toronto before the Women's National Team successfully qualified for the FIFA Women's World Cup Australia & New Zealand 2023. Canada were undefeated across all four Celebration Tour Matches in 2021 and 2022, including the 2:0 win at BC Place in Vancouver and the 2:2 draw in front of a sold-out crowd at Starlight Stadium in Langford. Canada posted back-to-back wins against New Zealand in October 2021 and then both the win and a draw against Nigeria in April 2022.

Ahead of the home match in Vancouver on 8 April, all 22 players from Canada Soccer's Women's National Team received a personalised Olympic Champions ring to commemorate their world title. Coaches and team staff also received a personalized Olympic Champions ring.

As an additional honour for the first-time ever in Women's National Team Program history, Canada wore special red jerseys featuring gold numbers and letters for all four Celebration Tour matches.















CHRISTINE SINCLAIR 185

WORLD'S ALL-TIME INTERNATIONAL GOALSCORING RECORD

With Canada's first home match back in British Columbia since the global pandemic, Canada Soccer paid tribute to hometown legend Christine Sinclair for setting the world's all-time international goalscoring record. Sinclair was honoured in a pre-match ceremony with her two nieces at her side along with both family and friends nearby in the stands.

After Sinclair broke the world's all-time international goalscoring record on 29 January 2020, a special April 2020 home match commemorating the honour was postponed indefinitely because of the pandemic. At long last on Friday 8 April 2022, Canada Soccer and Sinclair's hometown fans were able to celebrate the incredible honour ahead of a 2:0 home win against international rivals Nigeria. Ahead of the match and to the surprise of fans in attendance, Sinclair's teammates all wore special Canada 12 Sinclair jerseys as part of their pre-match warmup. Sinclair's former Women's National Team roommate Candace Chapman, flown in for the special occasion, was also on hand to greet Sinclair after the warmup. Then after a special video presentation commemorated Sinclair's goalscoring record, President Dr. Nick Bontis congratulated Sinclair for being selected the 2022 recipient of the Canada Soccer President's Award.

YOUTH NATIONAL TEAMS

For the first time since the global pandemic, Canada Soccer's teenaged Youth National Teams returned to international competitions with participation in four Concacaf youth tournaments and two FIFA youth tournaments. From the Women's National Team Program, Canada qualified for both the FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Costa Rica 2022 and the FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup India 2022 while Canada's youngest squad finished runners up at the Concacaf Girls' Under-15 Championship. From the Men's National Team Program, Canada had an exciting run to the Concacaf Round of 16 before they were eliminated on kicks from the penalty mark.

In March, Canada finished in third place at the Concacaf Women's Under-20 Championship in the Dominican Republic to qualify for the FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Costa Rica 2022. From there, Canada faced Korea Republic, France and Nigeria at the FIFA youth tournament in August. Across the two competitions, Canada posted an international youth record of six wins and four losses before they were eliminated in the group phase at Costa Rica 2022.

In May, Canada finished in third place at the Concacaf Women's Under-17 Championship in the Dominican Republic to qualify for the FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup India 2022. From there, Canada drew France and Tanzania, but lost to Japan at the FIFA youth tournament in October. Across the two competitions, Canada posted an international youth record of five wins, three draws and two losses before they were eliminated in the group phase at India 2022. In June, Canada reached the Round of 16 at the Concacaf Men's Under-20 Championship in Honduras before they were eliminated by the eventual semi-finalists Guatemala on kicks from the penalty mark. Overall, Canada posted a win, two draws and a loss at the Concacaf tournament.

Canada Soccer's National Teams Program help channel Canada's exceptional young players into the best soccer environments. The Canada Soccer Pathway works in collaboration with provincial and territory partners as well as the professional clubs and academies. For Canada's elite players, the program emphasizes player development on the pathway to representing Canada in international soccer.

Canada Soccer's Men's National Youth Teams have won two Concacaf titles: both the 1986 and 1996 Concacaf Men's Youth Championships. Canada have qualified for 15 FIFA men's youth tournaments: eight editions of the FIFA U-20 World Cup and seven editions of the FIFA U-17 World Cup. Canada most recently qualified for the FIFA U-17 World Cup Brazil 2019, which was the last FIFA men's youth competition before the global pandemic.

Canada Soccer's Women's National Youth Teams, meanwhile, have won four Concacaf youth titles: the 2004 and 2008 Concacaf Women's Under-20 Championship, the 2010 Concacaf Women's Under-17 Championship, and the 2014 Concacaf Girls' Under-15 Championship. Canada have qualified for eight editions of the FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup (including a silver medal at Canada 2002) and all seven editions of the FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup (including a fourthplace finish at Uruguay 2018).









CANW20 2022 RESULTS

DATE	МАТСН	RESULT	МАТСН ТҮРЕ	LOCATION	VENUE
FEBRUARY 25	CANW20 V SKN	7:0	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-20 CHAMPIONSHIP	SAN CRISTOBAL, DOM	ESTADIO PANAMERICANO
FEBRUARY 27	CANW20 V SLV	4:0	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-20 CHAMPIONSHIP	SAN CRISTOBAL, DOM	ESTADIO PANAMERICANO
MARCH 1	CANW20 V TRI	5:0	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-20 CHAMPIONSHIP	SAN CRISTOBAL, DOM	ESTADIO PANAMERICANO
MARCH 4	CANW20 V CAY	13 : 0	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-20 CHAMPIONSHIP	SANTO DOMINGO, DOM	ESTADIO OLÍMPICO FÉLIX SÁNCHEZ
FEBRUARY 8	CANW20 V PAM	1:0	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-20 CHAMPIONSHIP	SAN CRISTOBAL, DOM	ESTADIO PANAMERICANO
MARCH 10	CANW20 V MEX	0 : 1	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-20 CHAMPIONSHIP	SANTO DOMINGO, DOM	ESTADIO OLÍMPICO FÉLIX SÁNCHEZ
MARCH 12	CANW20 V PUR	2:0	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-20 CHAMPIONSHIP	SANTO DOMINGO, DOM	ESTADIO OLÍMPICO FÉLIX SÁNCHEZ
AUGUST 11	CANW20 V KOR	0:2	FIFA U-20 WOMEN'S WORLD CUP	SAN JOSÉ, CRC	ESTADIO NACIONAL DE COSTA RICA
AUGUST 14	CANW20 V FRA	1 : 3	FIFA U-20 WOMEN'S WORLD CUP	SAN JOSÉ, CRC	ESTADIO NACIONAL
AUGUST 17	CANW20 V NGA	1 : 3	FIFA U-20 WOMEN'S WORLD CUP	SAN JOSÉ, CRC	ESTADIO ALEJANDRO MORERA SOTO

CANM20 2022 RESULTS

DATE	МАТСН	RESULT	МАТСН ТҮРЕ	LOCATION	VENUE
APRIL 15	CANM20 V CRC	3:0	YOUTH INTERNATIONAL MATCH	SAN RAFAEL, CRC	COMPLEJO DEPORTIVO FCRF-PLYCEM
APRIL 21	CANM20 V CRC	0 : 1	YOUTH INTERNATIONAL MATCH	SAN RAFAEL, CRC	COMPLEJO DEPORTIVO FCRF-PLYCEM
JUNE 18	CANM20 V CUB	0 : 1	CONCACAF MEN'S UNDER-20 CHAMPIONSHIP	TEGUCIGALPA, HON	ESTADIO NACIONAL
JUNE 20	CANM20 V USA	2:2	CONCACAF MEN'S UNDER-20 CHAMPIONSHIP	TEGUCIGALPA, HON	ESTADIO NACIONAL
JUNE 22	CANM20 V SKN	4:0	CONCACAF MEN'S UNDER-20 CHAMPIONSHIP	TEGUCIGALPA, HON	ESTADIO NACIONAL
JUNE 26	CANM20 V GUA	1 : 1	CONCACAF MEN'S UNDER-20 CHAMPIONSHIP	TEGUCIGALPA, HON	ESTADIO NACIONAL
AUGUST 5	CANM20 V JPN	1 : 2	YOUTH INTERNATIONAL MATCH	SAN JOSÉ, CRC	



CANW17 2022 RESULTS

DATE	МАТСН	RESULT	МАТСН ТҮРЕ	LOCATION	VENUE
MARCH 3	CANW17 V POL	1 : 2	COSTA CÁLIDA MIMA CUP	SAN PEDRO DEL PINATAR, ESP	PINATAR ARENA
MARCH 5	CANW17 V BEL	1 : 1	COSTA CÁLIDA MIMA CUP	SAN PEDRO DEL PINATAR, ESP	PINATAR ARENA
APRIL 24	CANW17 V DOM	10 : 0	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-17 CHAMPIONSHIP	SANTO DOMINGO, DOM	ESTADIO OLÍMPICO FÉLIX SÁNCHEZ
APRIL 26	CANW17 V BER	5:0	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-17 CHAMPIONSHIP	SANTO DOMINGO, DOM	ESTADIO OLÍMPICO FÉLIX SÁNCHEZ
APRIL 28	CANW17 V JAM	1 : 1	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-17 CHAMPIONSHIP	SANTO DOMINGO, DOM	ESTADIO PANAMERICANO
MAY 1	CANW17 V HON	4 : 1	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-17 CHAMPIONSHIP	SANTO DOMINGO, DOM	ESTADIO OLÍMPICO FÉLIX SÁNCHEZ
MAY 4	CANW17 V CRC	2:0	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-17 CHAMPIONSHIP	SANTO DOMINGO, DOM	ESTADIO PANAMERICANO
MAY 6	CANW17 V USA	0:3	CONCACAF WOMEN'S UNDER-17 CHAMPIONSHIP	SANTO DOMINGO, DOM	ESTADIO OLÍMPICO FÉLIX SÁNCHEZ
MAY 8	CANW17 V PUR	3:0	CONCACAF WOMEN,S UNDER-17 CHAMPIONSHIP	SANTO DOMINGO, DOM	ESTADIO OLÍMPICO FÉLIX SÁNCHEZ
AUGUST 31	CANW17 V COL	0 : 1	WOMEN'S REVELATIONS CUP LEÓN 2022	LEÓN, GT, MEX	UNIDAD DEPORTIVA ENRIQUE FERNÁNDEZ
SEPTEMBER 3	CANW17 V MEX	1:4	WOMEN'S REVELATIONS CUP LEÓN 2022	LEÓN, GT, MEX	UNIDAD DEPORTIVA ENRIQUE FERNÁNDEZ
SEPTEMBER 6	CANW17 V CHI	3 : 2	WOMEN'S REVELATIONS CUP LEÓN 2022	LEÓN, GT, MEX	UNIDAD DEPORTIVA ENRIQUE FERNÁNDEZ
OCTOBER 12	CANW17 V FRA	1 : 1	FIFA U-17 WOMEN ₂ S WORLD CUP	GOA, IND	PANDIT JAWAHARLAL NEHRU STADIUM
OCTOBER 15	CANW17 V JPN	0:4	FIFA U-17 WOMEN ₂ S WORLD CUP	GOA, IND	PANDIT JAWAHARLAL NEHRU STADIUM
OCTOBER 18	CANW17 V TAN	1 : 1	FIFA U-17 WOMEN ₂ S WORLD CUP	GOA, IND	PANDIT JAWAHARLAL NEHRU STADIUM
NOVEMBER 5	CANW17 V NZL	1 : 1	YOUTH INTERNATIONAL MATCH	-	-

CANM17 2022 RESULTS

DATE	МАТСН	RESULT	МАТСН ТҮРЕ	LOCATION	VENUE
DEC 15	CANM17 V CRC	2 : 1	YOUTH INTERNATIONAL MATCH	MEXICO, DF, MEX	CENTRO DE ALTO RENDIMIENTO DE LA FEDERACIÓN MEXICANA DE FÚTBOL
DEC 19	CANM17 V MEX	0:3	YOUTH INTERNATIONAL MATCH	MEXICO, DF, MEX	CENTRO DE ALTO RENDIMIENTO DE LA FEDERACIÓN MEXICANA DE FÚTBOL

CANW15 2022 RESULTS

DATE	МАТСН	RESULT	МАТСН ТҮРЕ	LOCATION	VENUE
AUGUST 1	CANW15 V JAM	5:0	CONCACAF GIRLS' UNDER-15 CHAMPIONSHIP	TAMPA, FL, USA	TAMPA SPORTSPLEX
AUGUST 2	CANW15 V PUR	4 : 1	CONCACAF GIRLS' UNDER-15 CHAMPIONSHIP	TAMPA, FL, USA	TAMPA SPORTSPLEX
AUGUST 4	CANW15 V USA	0 : 1	CONCACAF GIRLS' UNDER-15 CHAMPIONSHIP	TAMPA, FL, USA	TAMPA SPORTSPLEX
AUGUST 5	CANW15 V MEX	0:0	CONCACAF GIRLS' UNDER-15 CHAMPIONSHIP	TAMPA, FL, USA	TAMPA SPORTSPLEX
AUGUST 7	CANW15 V USA	1:4	CONCACAF GIRLS' UNDER-15 CHAMPIONSHIP	TAMPA, FL, USA	TAMPA SPORTSPLEX





PARA SOCCER NATIONAL TEAM

Canada finished in ninth place at the 2022 IFCPF Men's World Cup, matching their previous best result at the biennial world competition from 2009. Led by Head Coach Drew Ferguson, it marked Canada's fourth top-10 finish in nine editions of the IFCPF Men's World Cup since 2005. After posting a 1-1-1 record in group play, Canada beat Australia on kicks from the penalty mark and then won 1:0 over the hosts Spain on the final of the competition.

Samuel Charron was again recognised as the world's best player as he captured his second IFCPF Player of the Tournament award. He led Canada with five goals and three assists in five matches, bringing his career totals to 48 international goals in 56 career matches.

Across the group stage, Canada lost 1:8 to group winners England on Tuesday 3 May, won

1:0 over Netherlands on Thursday 5 May, and drew 3:3 with Venezuela on Saturday 7 May. Canada finished tied with Netherlands on four points, but finished third on goals difference and thus missed the Quarterfinals.

In the playoffs, Canada were down 2-0 late to Australia, but then mounted their comeback on a pair of Samuel Charron goals in the final minutes of the second half (58 and 60'+2). Canada took a 3-2 lead in the last minute of the first period of extra time, but then conceded in the last minute of the second period of extra time. Tied 3:3, Canada then won 5-4 on kicks from the penalty mark, with goalkeeper Ryan Watson the hero after he both scored and then saved a shot.

On the final day of the competition, Yuri Costa scored the 1:0 winner as Canada beat Spain on Saturday 14 May.





2022 RESULTS

DATE	МАТСН	RESULT	МАТСН ТҮРЕ	LOCATION	VENUE
MAY 3	CANPARA V ENG	1:8	IFCPF MEN'S WORLD CUP	SALOU, ESP	FUTBOL SALOU SPORTS COMPLEX
MAY 5	CANPARA V NED	1:0	IFCPF MEN'S WORLD CUP	SALOU, ESP	FUTBOL SALOU SPORTS COMPLEX
MAY 7	CANPARA V VEN	3:3	IFCPF MEN'S WORLD CUP	SALOU, ESP	FUTBOL SALOU SPORTS COMPLEX
MAY 10	CANPARA AUS	3:3	IFCPF MEN'S WORLD CUP	SALOU, ESP	FUTBOL SALOU SPORTS COMPLEX
MAY 14	CANPARA V ESP	1:0	IFCPF MEN'S WORLD CUP	SALOU, ESP	FUTBOL SALOU SPORTS COMPLEX

eNATIONAL TEAM

Canada Soccer's eNational Team had a historic first run at the FIFAe Nations Cup 2022™ when they reached the Round of 16 in Denmark. Their impressive performance helped the team jump from 36th to seventh on the world's FIFAe Nations Rankings which was also first amongst all Concacaf nations.

This marked Canada Soccer's second year in the FIFAe Nations Series, with all matches played in a 2v2 format on EA Sports FIFA22 for PlayStation. From May through July, eNational Team players Goalmachine, AJ and Exraa represented Canada Soccer at the FIFAe Nations Online Qualifiers, the FIFAe Nations Playoffs, and the FIFAe Nations Cup.

Over the course of the calendar year, Canada Soccer's eNational Team posted a record of 20 wins, 12 draws and 12 losses, which includes December's 2023 FIFAe Nations Play-Ins Match Week 1. The 2023 season continues with FIFAe Nations Play-Ins and the Qualifiers from January through April followed by the FIFAe Nations Playoffs in May.

Canada Soccer's eNational Team, managed by John Bruce, have demonstrated a commitment to the growth of eSports in Canada. By qualifying for the FIFAe Nations Cup, Canada had the opportunity to compete alongside 23 other nations in the most prestigious event of the year.



2022 RE	SULTS
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DATE	МАТСН	RESULT	МАТСН ТҮРЕ	LOCATION	VENUE
JULY 27	CANeNT V KOR	2 : 1	FIFAE NATIONS CUP	COPENHAGEN, DENMARK	BELLA ARENA COPENHAGEN
JULY 27	CANeNT V KAZ	1 : 1	FIFAE NATIONS CUP	COPENHAGEN, DENMARK	BELLA ARENA COPENHAGEN
JULY 27	CANeNT V ISR	0:1	FIFAE NATIONS CUP	COPENHAGEN, DENMARK	BELLA ARENA COPENHAGEN
JULY 27	CANeNT V SPA	0:0	FIFAE NATIONS CUP	COPENHAGEN, DENMARK	BELLA ARENA COPENHAGEN
JULY 28	CANeNT V POR	0:1	FIFAE NATIONS CUP	COPENHAGEN, DENMARK	BELLA ARENA COPENHAGEN
JULY 28	CANeNT V ISR	0:2	FIFAE NATIONS CUP	COPENHAGEN, DENMARK	BELLA ARENA COPENHAGEN
JULY 28	CANeNT V KOR	6 : 1	FIFAE NATIONS CUP	COPENHAGEN, DENMARK	BELLA ARENA COPENHAGEN
JULY 28	CANeNT V POR	0 : 1	FIFAE NATIONS CUP	COPENHAGEN, DENMARK	BELLA ARENA COPENHAGEN
JULY 28	CANeNT V KAZ	0:3	FIFAE NATIONS CUP	COPENHAGEN, DENMARK	BELLA ARENA COPENHAGEN
JULY 29	CANeNT V ARG	1:0	FIFAE NATIONS CUP	COPENHAGEN, DENMARK	BELLA ARENA COPENHAGEN
JULY 29	CANeNT V ARG	0:2	FIFAE NATIONS CUP	COPENHAGEN, DENMARK	BELLA ARENA COPENHAGEN



FUTSAL NATIONAL TEAM

Canada Soccer's Futsal National Team Head Coach Kyt Selaidopoulos named a 14-player roster ahead of the start of the 2021 Concacaf Futsal Championship that took place from 3-9 May 2021 in Guatemala City.

Canada took on three teams in the tournament with a 4:2 win against Haiti on May 4, a 5:1 loss against Costa Rica and drew the match 1:1 against Panama but lost 4:3 in a penalty shootout.

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Joshua Lemos was unbeaten in both of his international matches at the Concacaf Futsal Championship, a 4:2 win over Haiti and then the 1:1 draw with Panama before Canada were eliminated on penalty kicks. It was Lemos' third Concacaf Futsal Championship since 2012.

The 32-year-old goalkeeper was Canada's star player at the 2021 Concacaf Futsal Championship in Guatemala, bringing Canada to within a win of gualifying for the FIFA Futsal World Cup.



CONCACAF FUTSAL CHAMPIONSHIP

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PLAYER AWARDS



The 30th anniversary of the Canada Soccer Player Awards celebrated six footballers in recognition of their achievements with the National Teams and their respective clubs. For the first time in more than a decade, the same two footballers won the Players of the Year award in back-to-back years with both Alphonso Davies and Jessie Fleming named the winners in 2021 and 2022.

Other 2022 award winners were Simi Awujo and Ismaël Koné for Young Players of the Year, Daniel Chamale for Futsal Player of the Year, and Samuel Charron for Para Soccer Player of the Year.

Alphonso Davies from Canada Soccer's Men's National Team has been named the Canada Soccer Player of the Year for the fourth time in five seasons. Davies won the 2022 award after the Men's National Team returned to the FIFA World Cup for the first time in 36 years and he scored the program's first-ever goal on the world's biggest stage. He helped his professional club FC Bayern win both the 2021-22 Bundesliga and 2022 DFL Supercup in Germany while also becoming the all-time Canadian leader in UEFA Champions League appearances.

Jessie Fleming from Canada Soccer's Women's National Team has been named the Canada Soccer Player of the Year for the second year in a row. Fleming won the 2022 award after a year in which she helped Canada qualify for the FIFA Women's World Cup Australia & New Zealand 2023 and then capture a silver medal at the Concacaf W Championship. She also helped her professional club Chelsea FC win the 2021-22 FA Women's Super League and 2022 FA Cup in England.

CANADA SOCCER HALL OF FAME



Canada Soccer honoured former National Team stars Patrice Bernier, Martina Franko and Rhian Wilkinson with their induction to the Canada Soccer Hall of Fame. With the three new selections from the Class of 2022, the Canada Soccer Hall of Fame now features 205 honoured members: 140 players, 13 coaches/managers, 10 referees, and 42 builders.

As a Canada Soccer priority achieved in 2022, the Canada Soccer Hall of Fame's Modern Canadian Players category now features an even balance of past Men's National Team and Women's National Team players. There are now 29 past Men's National Team Players and 29 Women's National Team players from the 1980s/90s forward. This balance reflects the modern era during which international football at the very highest level has both a men's and women's FIFA World Cup as the pinnacle of the sport (since the inauguration of the FIFA Women's World Cup in 1991).

For two years, the global pandemic put many in-person celebrations on hold. In 2022, Canada Soccer finally got the chance to celebrate its legends alongside family, friends and fans at home international matches. In April 2022, five legends were honoured at a Women's National Team home match: Randee Hermus (Class of 2019); Karina LeBlanc and Brittany Timko Baxter (Class of 2020); Martina Franko and Rhian Wilkinson (Class of 2022). In May, Bob Sayer (Class of 2020) was honoured at the Annual Meeting of the Members. In June, Patrice Bernier (Class of 2022) was honoured at a Men's National Team home match.

Also in 2022, Canada Soccer unveiled the new "look" for the honoured member digital plaques (Modern Canadian Players) at the Annual Meeting of the Members in May. Digital plaques for all 200+ honoured members are scheduled to be completed in 2023.


DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

The Canada Soccer Development Department provides technical leadership across programs and services for Coach Education, Club Licensing, Diversity, Equity, Inclusion Initiatives, and the Safe Sport Roster.

It was another busy year for Canada Soccer programming in 2022 and the Development Department responded with the hiring of two new staff while the Director of Development, Jason deVos, was seconded to a successful role with the Men's National Team as an Assistant Coach. Dave Nutt, Manager of Development–Operations, served in his place as the Interim Director of Development while Jim Loughlin continued in his role as Manager of Coach Education. New to Canada Soccer in 2022 were Mike Whyatt in the role of Master Coach Developer and Sarah Ouellette in the role Development Department Administrator. Leaving the Development Department in 2022 was Kristina Kiss, the former Manager of Development – Programming, with her role replaced in 2023.

Internationally, Jim Loughlin continued to serve as a key member of the Concacaf Coach Education Panel, notably driving the region's Concacaf Coaching Convention. Passed in December 2021, Concacaf applications for recognition were scheduled to begin in early 2023.

Canada Soccer was also very proud to participate in the FIFA Coach Educator Development Pathway Project. This program trains coach developers through online asynchronous and synchronous sessions followed by a five-day, in-person workshop that was hosted in Montréal. Mentored by two FIFA Coach Education experts, the workshop featured seven Coach Educator Developers and 18 Coach Educators from across the country. As a part of the FIFA event, Canada Soccer was also honoured to host technical and coach education leaders from FIFA, Concacaf, USA, and Mexico to discuss future oppor-tunities for collaboration in the lead up to the FIFA World Cup 2026 with a goal of created a technical legacy for this event.

COACH EDUCATION & CERTIFICATION PROGRAM

Canada Soccer is responsible for the development, training, and certification of all coaches working with players across all environments in Canada through its Coach Education and Certification Program.

After launching the new Grassroots Coach Education Program in 2021, Canada Soccer continued to roll out a blended learning approach that makes Coach Education more accessible across the country than ever before. Since the launch of online theory training across Active Start, FUNdamentals, Learn to Train and Soccer for Life, more than 16,000 coaches have engaged in more than 30,000 trainings. Through the Canada Soccer Safe Sport Roster, Canada Soccer programming will continue to grow, with notably the Modified Safe Sport Roster targeting coaches in low-risk environments mandatory as of 2023.

With pandemic-related restrictions lifting across the country, new on-field practical workshops to support the learning from the online theory modules are being rolled out across the country.

Within the Advanced Coach Education Program, even more coaches were engaged in the training in 2022 than ever before. The 2021-22 Workshops concluded in the spring featured 468 coaches registered and 253 diplomas awarded, incluing the first-ever Youth Goalkeeping Diplomas. Simultaneously, the 2022 Workshops delivered from January through December featured 413 coaches registered.

BY THE NUMBERS: 2021–22 ADVANCED COACH EDUCATION PROGRAM

- 24 Canada Soccer "A" Diploma
- 77 Canada Soccer "B" Diploma
- 94 Canada Soccer Youth Diploma
- 11 Canada Soccer Youth Goalkeeping Diploma
- 47 Canada Soccer Children's Diploma

CLUB LICENSING

The Canada Soccer Club Licensing Program continued to progress and prepare for the requirement that all Canadian clubs begin the process of acquiring club licensing in 2023. Across the four categories of recognition, 132 new licences were granted. In total, there are now 352 licensed clubs representing all provincial member associations, a 37.5% increase from 2021 (with approximately 1/3 of Canadian clubs now holding a club licence).

BY THE NUMBERS: 2022 CLUB LICENSING PROGRAM

10 – National Youth Club Licenses

16 – Member Association Youth Club Licence – Level 2

10 – Member Association Youth Club Licence – Level 1

96 – Standards for Quality Soccer Licences

BY THE NUMBERS: OVERALL CLUB LICENSING

67 – National Youth Club Licenses

- 31 Member Association Youth Club Licence Level 2
- 67 Member Association Youth Club Licence Level 1
- 187 Standards for Quality Soccer Licences

FIFA PROGRAMS

In 2022, Canada Soccer took part in two new FIFA programs for which it was selected to participate. With a guiding philosophy to "Give Every Talent a Chance," the FIFA Talent Development Scheme aims to create a sustainable legacy for long-term talent development by maximizing each participating Member Association's opportunities. As a part of this program, Canada Soccer participated in the FIFA Talent Ecosystem Analysis Project, used to create both a global and Canada Soccer-specific report. This leads into the FIFA Talent Development Scheme, which offers a tailor-made concept for each country on how best to operate to give every talent a chance by providing bespoke consultancy services for the long-term collaboration on talent development. As a starting point, Canada Soccer representatives Dave Nutt, Andrew Olivieri, and Katie Collar participated in a FIFA workshop in

Costa Rica alongside identified leading Concacaf nations. Work within this program is scheduled to continue from 2023 through 2026.

Aligned to the work done through the FIFA Talent Ecosystem Analysis Project, Canada Soccer also began participation in the FIFA Amateur Football Environment Analysis. This program will help Canada Soccer gain a clear understanding of the current status, challenges, and opportunities for amateur football worldwide, including an analysis of the role of and cooperation with the various stakeholders inside and outside of football. With most soccer environments in Canada focused on amateur football, the reports and recommendations developed through this program will be instrumental in guiding the game forward. The first reports from this project were scheduled to be available in 2023.

SAFE SPORT

Canada Soccer is committed to providing a safe, inclusive, and developmentally appropriate training environment for all who participate in the game in Canada. Together with its Member Association, Canada Soccer received unanimous support for its Safe Sport Roster at its 2019 Annual Meeting of the Members. In addition, Canada Soccer supports the Government of Canada's efforts to ensure Abuse-Free Sport. Ahead of the start of the 2023 soccer season, all Canada Soccer Member Associations will be required to meet the minimum standards of the Quality Soccer Provider level of the Canada Soccer Youth Club Licensing Program. The Quality Soccer Provider is in support of the guiding principles of the Safe Sport Roster as well as the Modified Safe Sport Roster targeting coaches in lower risk environments.





CANADA SOCCER REFEREEING

Canada Soccer is responsible for the development and training of match officials for amateur and professional competitions in Canada. In partnership with our Provincial and Territorial Associations and sanctioned professional leagues, Canada Soccer provides development and training opportunities to advance to the national list of referees and nominations to the FIFA list.

As part of its 2022 programming, the Canada Soccer launched new referee education modules to Provincial and Territorial Associations, an important service that will continue in 2023. The program provides resources for referee educators in the form of modules for teaching topics in a concise format. This standardizes education across the country and ensures instructors and referees at all levels are being provided consistent content in line with expectation of FIFA and Canada Soccer.

At the international level, Drew Fischer played a key role as a Video Match Official at the FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022™. He joins a small group of Canadian officials that have served as Referees and Assistant Referees at past men's FIFA World Cups featuring Joe Fletcher (2014 and 2018), Ray Morgan (1962), Héctor Vergara (2002, 2006, 2010), and Werner Winsemann (1974 and 1978). In all, 17 Canadian officials were appointed to the FIFA List of International Referees in 2022. Ahead of his appointment to the FIFA World Cup, Fischer also served as a Video Match Official at the FIFA Club World Cup UAE 2021 in February 2022. Other Canadian referees at FIFA events were Chantal Boudreau (Assistant Referee) at the FIFA U-20 Women's World Cup Costa Rica 2022 and both Carol Anne Chénard (Video Assistant Referee) and Myriam Marcotte (Referee) at the FIFA U-17 Women's World Cup India 2022.

Several Canadians were also appointed to Concacaf tournaments in 2022, with notably Marie-Soleil Beaudoin (Referee), Chantal Boudreau (Assistant Referee) and Myriam Marcotte (Referee) at the Concacaf W Championship in July. Looking ahead to 2023, Beaudoin, Boudreau, Marcotte, Chénard and Fischer have all been selected as match officials for the FIFA Women's World Cup Australia & New Zealand 2023.

At the domestic level, Canada Soccer featured 42 officials on the National List of Refereeing plus another 31 officials on the NextGen List of Referees.

BY THE NUMBERS: REFEREES

12,675 – Canadian Referees 9,914 – Male Referees 2,763 – Female Referees

CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP



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Vancouver Whitecaps FC were crowned Canadian champions for the second time after they defeated visiting Toronto FC in the 2022 Canadian Championship Final. The match drew 24,307 spectators at BC Place, the second-highest attendance ever for a Canadian Championship match since the competition was inaugurated in 2008.

Across four rounds, Vancouver beat Winnipeg's Valour FC in the First Round, eliminated Calgary's Cavalry FC in the Quarter-Finals, beat York United FC in the Semi-Finals, and then won 5-3 on kicks from the penalty mark over Toronto FC to lift the Voyageurs Cup in the Final. It marked the first time since 2015 that Vancouver Whitecaps FC were crowned Canadian Championship winners. Midfielder Ryan Gauld, who recorded two assists and was part of the offensive build up on five of the Whitecaps' six goals, won the George Gross Memorial Trophy as the Most Valuable Player of the tournament. Winger Ryan Raposo, who scored a goal and started all four matches, won the Best Young Canadian Player Award.

All 12 matches in the 2022 Canadian Championship were televised live by Canada Soccer on OneSoccer TV from 10 May through 26 July. For the first time ever, the 2022 Official Draw was televised live in advance of the competition on 9 March.



2020 CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP FINAL

Delayed on account of the global pandemic, the 2020 Canadian Championship Final was played on 4 June 2022 in Hamilton, Ontario with the visitors Toronto FC crowned Canadian champions. All even 1-1 after 90 minutes, Toronto FC won the Final 5-4 on kicks from the penalty mark and lifted the Voyageurs Cup for the eighth time. RATULATIONS VANCOUVER WHITECAPS FC

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PROFESSIONAL SOCCER IN CANADA

WOMEN'S PROFESSIONAL SOCCER

As an important milestone for professional soccer in Canada, Breagha Carr-Harris was hired as Canada Soccer's new Head of Women's Professional Soccer in May 2022. Carr-Harris is helping spearhead women's professional soccer for Canadians in order to raise the level of competition and provide viable role models to inspire the next generation of women's footballers, coaches, referees and administrators.

In July, both Carr-Harris and Allie Pike, Canada Soccer's Professional Games Manager, attended the two-day Concacaf W League Development Workshop in Monterrey, NL, Mexico. The workshop featured representatives from Concacaf's Member Associations from across the region.

In December, Canada Soccer welcomed plans for a new women's professional league scheduled to launch in 2025 by Project 8, an organisation led by Canadian soccer hero Diana Matheson along with her business partner Thomas Gilbert. The first two franchises announced were Vancouver Whitecaps FC and Calgary Foothills SC. The vision for this new league put forth by Project 8 aligns with the research and strategic planning done by Canada Soccer's Head of Women's Professional Soccer and is an important development in the women's soccer ecosystem in our country.

MEN'S PROFESSIONAL SOCCER

This past year marked the fourth season for the Canadian Premier League, Canada Soccer's tier one men's professional league that operated in eight Canadian markets. From more than 100 league matches, Atlético Ottawa were first-time league winners and Forge FC Hamilton were third-time North Star Shield playoff winners.

In Major League Soccer, CF Montréal were the highest-ranked of three Canadian teams in 2022, finishing third overall in the league standings after a record-breaking season in which they posted 20 wins, 65 points, and scored 63 goals.

BY THE NUMBERS: CANADIAN MINUTES PER TEAM

26,164 – Forge FC Hamilton 23,307 – York United FC 22,314 – Pacific FC 19,870 – CF Montréal 19,595 – Calgary's Cavalry FC 19,340 – Halifax Wanderers FC 19,328 – FC Edmonton 17,519 – Toronto FC 17,469 – Atlético Ottawa 13,577 – Winnipeg's Valour FC 10,687 – Vancouver Whitecaps FC

*CPL, MLS, Canadian Championship and Concacaf competitions



Kadeisha Buchanan won her fifth UEFA Women's Champions League title in six years with Olympique Lyonnais after a 3:1 victory over FC Barcelona. Buchanan from Brampton, Ontario featured as a first-half substitute in the Saturday 21 May 2022 final at Juventus Stadium in Turin, Italy. Still only 26 years old, Buchanan is the most decorated Canadian in the history of the competition having won the European title in 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2022. After six seasons at Olympique Lyonnais, Buchanan transferred to Chelsea FC in England where she now stars in the FA Women's Super League.

This past year marked the sixth year in a row that a Canadian dressed for the UEFA Women's Champions League Final since Buchanan and Olympique Lyonnais faced Ashley Lawrence with Paris St-Germain FC in the 2017 European Final (both played 120 minutes before Lyon won on kicks from the penalty mark). Buchanan also dressed for the 2018 and 2019 finals, then featured for the full 90 minutes in Lyon's 3:1 win over VfL Wolfsburg in 2020. Jessie Fleming of Chelsea FC dressed for the 2021 European final, a 4-0 loss to FC Barcelona.

Across domestic competitions in Europe in 2021-22, Buchanan won her fifth Championnat de France title, both Lawrence and Jordyn Huitema won the Coupe de France, and Fleming won both the FA Women's Super League and the FA Cup. Other Canadian champions included: Julia Grosso who won the 2021-22 Serie A, 2022 Coppa Italia and 2022 Supercoppa with Juventus; Cloé Lacasse who won the 2021-22 Campeonato Nacional Feminino and 2022 Supertaça de Portugal with Benfica; and Clarissa Larisey who won the 2021-22 Scottish League Cup and 2022 Scottish Cup with Glasgow's Celtic FC.

Back across the Atlantic in the National Women's Soccer League, Huitema and Quinn helped OL Reign win the NWSL Shield as league winners before Janine Beckie and Christine Sinclair helped Portland Thorns FC win the NWSL Championship in the playoffs. For the 2022 playoff winners, Portland Thorns FC featured Rhian Wilkinson as Head Coach and Karina LeBlanc as General Manager. Also of note in that playoff finale, it was the first-ever NWSL Championship captained by Canadians on either side of the pitch: Sinclair for Portland and Desiree Scott for the Kansas City Current.

In Major League Soccer, goalkeeper Maxime Crépeau led all Canadians in regular-season minutes (2,970) for the second year in a row, this time helping Los Angeles FC win both the MLS Supporters' Shield and the MLS Cup (before suffering a season-ending injury in the 5 November 2022 Final). From the regular season, Crépeau also co-led all Canadians with 33 matches, led all Canadians with nine clean sheets, and finished second with 76 saves (behind Minnesota's Dayne St. Clair).

In Germany, one-time UEFA Champions League winner Alphonso Davies of FC Bayern München won his fourth-consecutive Bundesliga title with and his third consecutive DFL-SuperCup. He also set the Canadian men's record for appearances in UEFA Champions League.

Despite missing the first three months of the year, Davies still finished the calendar year as one

of just a few Canadians that featured in more than 2,000 minutes with a first division club in Europe.

In France, Jonathan David bettered his own record for most goals by a Canadian in a top-5 men's European league with 15 goals during the 2021-22 Ligue 1 season with Lille OSC. In October, he set the club's all-time record for Ligue 1 goals. Across the calendar year, he scored 12 goals in 37 matches and featured in 2,957 minuets across all competitions.

In Serbia, goalkeeper Milan Borjan won his fifth-consecutive SuperLiga title with FK Crvena Zvezda (Red Star Belgrade), which also marked the eighth season in a row that Borjan won a first division title in Europe (after three titles with PFC Ludogrets in Bulgaria). Alongside the SuperLiga title, Borjan also helped his club win their second-straight Serbian Cup. In all, Borjan made an incredible 50 appearances across all domestic and continental competitions in 2022.

In Portugal, Stephen Eustáquio helped FC Porto win the 2021-22 Primeira Liga, the 2022 Taça de Portugal, and the 2022 Supertaça de Portugal. In the Fall, he scored his first two career goals in UEFA Champions League as FC Porto reached the 2022-23 knockout phase. In Belgium, Tajon Buchanan helped Club Brugge KV win the 2021-22 Championnat de Belgique. In July, both Buchanan and Cyle Larin helped the same club win the 2022 Supercoupe Belgique.

Also in Europe in 2022, Larin and Atiba Hutchinson helped Besiktas JK win the Türkiye Süper Kupa (Super Cup) in January and then Scott Arfield helped Glasgow's Rangers FC win Scottish Cup at Hampden Park in May.

PROFESSIONAL SOCCER AROUND THE WORLD

TROPHIES BY KADEISHA BUCHANAN WITH OLYMPIQUE LYONNAIS

5 UEFA Champions League (2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2021-22)

5 Championnat de France (2016-17, 2017-18, 2018-19, 2019-20, 2021-22)

3 Coupe de France (2017, 2019, 2020)

BY THE NUMBERS: GLOBAL TRANSFER REPORT 2022 FOR CANADA MEN'S PROFESSIONAL SOCCER

ightarrow 98 Incoming transfers

 \rightarrow \$7.34m spending on fees

MINUTES PLAYED BY CANADIANS IN EUROPE

- 4,500 Milan Borjan with FK Crvena Zvezda in Serbia
- 3,160 Junior Hoilett with Reading FC in England
- 2,957 Jonathan David with Lille OSC in France
- 2,361 Tajon Buchanan with Club Brugge KV in Belgium
- 2,110 Alphonso Davies with FC Bayern München

BY THE NUMBERS: GLOBAL TRANSFER REPORT 2022 FOR CANADA MEN'S PROFESSIONAL SOCCER

 \rightarrow 111 Outgoing transfers

 \rightarrow \$7.2m receipts fees

BY THE NUMBERS: 2022 AMATEUR SOCCER

- \rightarrow 403 incoming transfers
- ightarrow 543 outgoing transfers
- \rightarrow 171 clubs engaged



FUTSAL CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP

For the first time since the global pandemic, Canada Soccer hosted the Futsal Canadian Championship in April 2022 to crown a national champion. With clubs from six different provinces and territories represented, the four-day tournament featured nine matches in the Centre sportif Gatineau in the nation's capital region.

Undefeated in three matches, Sporting Montréal FC won the 2022 Canadian Championship after a 6:3 win over Toronto Idolo Futsal in the national final. Haitian international Shaquille Michaud scored a hat trick and was named the Most Valuable Player of the tournament.

Futsal is a unique, fast-paced indoor sport played across Canada and around the world. Canada Soccer is committed to the growth and promotion of the game. At the elite club level, Canada Soccer supports domestic competition through the annual Canada Soccer Futsal Canadian Championship. Alongside the men's Futsal Canadian Championship that has been played annually since 2015, the women's Futsal Canadian Championship will make its debut in April 2023 in Calgary, Alberta.











CANADA GAMES SOCCER TOURNAMENT

The Canada Games Soccer Tournament, held every four years but postponed from 2021 until 2022 because of the global pandemic, featured U-18 provincial all-star teams in the Niagara region across two weeks in August. In the opening week, Québec won the gold medal in the men's tournament with goalkeeper Judwellin Michel named the tournament's Top Player. It marked the fourth time that Québec won gold in the tournament (1997, 2009, 2013, 2022). In the second week, Ontario won the gold medal in the women's tournament with centre back Zoe Markesini named the Top Player. It marked the second time that Ontario won the tournament (2001, 2022).



TOYOTA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

After two missed years because of the global pandemic, the Toyota National Championships returned in 2022 to crown Canadian champions at the premier amateur level in both adult and youth soccer. Run simultaneously from 5 to 10 October in three Canadian cities, the Toyota National Championships crowned men's and women's winners in Vaughan, Ontario (Women's Jubilee Trophy and Men's Challenge Trophy), Surrey, British Columbia (U-17 Cup), and Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island (U-15 Cup).

Canada Soccer's Toyota National Championships serves as our nation's premier amateur competition and provides a meaningful soccer experience for participating teams and their players, coaches, support staff, as well as for officials and volunteers. Other Canada Soccer club competitions are the Canadian Championship and the Futsal Canadian Championship. In the adult competitions, Ottawa Gloucester Celtic FC won their second Challenge Trophy in 10 years while St. John's Holy Cross FC became the first Newfoundland Labrador club to win the Jubilee Trophy. In the men's competition, Bezick Evraire was named Most Valuable Player after he scored two goals and four assists in four matches with undefeated Ottawa. In the women's competition, Jane Pope was named Most Valuable Player after she co-led the tournament with five goals and also recorded six assists in four matches.

At the youth level, CS Saint-Laurent won the Boys' U-17 Cup while Union Lanaudière-Sud won the Girls' U-17 Cup on Teck Finals Day in Surrey. In the younger age group, CS Longueuil won the Boys' U-15 Cup while Winnipeg 1v1 Futbol Dreams won the Girls' U-15 Cup on Teck Finals Day in Charlottetown.











ACTIVE START SOCCER FESTS

As Canada's leading grassroots soccer program, Active Start Soccer Fests has reached over four million Canadians and delivered financial, promotional and technical resources which contribute to the hosting of community soccer celebrations in collaboration with community soccer clubs. Canada Soccer recognises and thanks the program's community soccer club partners who contribute significant time and energy to create the best possible experience for young soccer players and their families, encouraging lifelong participation in the beautiful game.

Following a condensed 2021 season due to the global pandemic, Canada Soccer's Active Start Soccer Fests featured exceptional growth in 2022 with its promotion of fun-filled festivals across 90 community soccer clubs from coast to coast across the nation. Over the past year, Active Start Soccer Fests connected nearly 57,000 participants under the age of 12 and more than 125,000 people in all including coaches, volunteers and families. The 2022 festival season featured national program partners Toyota, Allstate, Teck, GoGosqueeZ, and StorageVault. Our partners contributed to the positive participant experience by activating at a total combined 50 festivals. Toyota Canada supported 11 appearances by past National Teams players while Allstate Canada featured the 'Win a Trip' contest. Participants also enjoyed giveaways from Canada Soccer and partners, which included string bags from StorageVault, Canada Soccer stickers, tattoos, and more.

PROVINCE/TERRITORY	FESTIVALS
YUKON TERRITORIES	1
BRITISH COLUMBIA	9
ALBERTA	12
ONTARIO	38
QUÉBEC	6
NEW BRUNSWICK	6
NOVA SCOTIA	8
PRICE EDWARD ISLAND	7
NEWFOUNDLAND LABRADOR	3



CANADA SOCCER AWARDS

Christine Sinclair, the world's all-time international goalscoring record holder, was the recipient of the 2022 Canada Soccer President's Award by Dr. Nick Bontis. Sinclair was chosen for this special recognition with the relaunch of the Canada Soccer Annual Awards as part of the first in-person Annual Meeting of the Members since the global pandemic paused all football activities in 2020, the year Sinclair broke the record.

Canada Soccer celebrates excellent individuals on an annual basis as part of the Awards Banquet at the Annual Meeting of the Members. This year's list of award winners included Maeve Glass for the Aubrey Sanford Meritorious Service Award, Charmaine Crooks for the Brian Budd Award, Drew Fischer for the Ray Morgan Memorial Award, the late Gary Miller for the Tony Waiters Coaching Excellence Award, and Tony Nocita for the Award of Merit. Mrs. Lorraine Miller, who worked for Canada Soccer for 33 years from 1973 to 2006, was presented with her Canada Soccer Life Membership certificate after she was honoured in 2021. Mrs. Miller, who has been battling cancer, is herself a former recipient of both the President's Award in 1998 and Aubrey Sanford Meritorious Service Award in 2006.

AWARDS:

Canada Soccer President's Award - Christine Sinclair

Since 1993, the Canada Soccer President's Award has recognised outstanding and unique efforts in developing the game in Canada.

Aubrey Sanford Meritorious Service Award – Maeve Glass

Since 1986, the Aubrey Sanford Meritorious Service Award has recognised outstanding service and overall contribution in refereering, coaching, playing or administration.

Brian Budd Award - Charmaine Crooks

Since 2010, the Brian Budd Award recognises outstanding athletes who have excelled both in soccer and in another endeavour, be it in sport or public life.

Ray Morgan Memorial Award - Drew Fischer

Since 1980, the Ray Morgan Memorial Award has recognised referees that show progress at the national and international levels.

Tony Waiters Coaching Excellence Award - Gary Miller

Since 2022, the Tony Waiters Coaching Excellence Award celebrates a person's overall contributions to coaching in Canada for a minimum of 20 years.

Canada Soccer Award of Merit - Tony Nocita

Since 1989, the Canada Soccer Award of Merit has recognised the promotion, growth and development of soccer in Canada.





689,938 TOTAL PLAYERS



704,926 TOTAL PLAYERS, LICENSED COACHES & REFEREES



MARKETING & PROMOTIONS

Canada Soccer launched the #WeCan / #OuiCan brand platform, developed to celebrate Canada Soccer's National Team successes and provide meaningful connections across its fan base. Highlights of the campaign included a #WeCan / #OuiCan collective which featured a user-generated digital movement that gave fans a voice and role to join our National Teams representing our nation on the international stage.

Canada Soccer introduced an all-new and enhanced CanadaRED fan membership program in March of 2022. The redesigned program was developed to address key needs to help grow support for Canada Soccer's National Teams and Development programs through the empowerment of Canadian soccer fans. Two new tiers of membership – CanadaRED+WHITE and CanadaRED+GOLD – were introduced, driving thousands of membership registrations from Canada Soccer's most ardent fans and supporters. Canada Soccer implemented a variety of unique experiences to engage all fans, supporters, and membership of Canada Soccer from around the world during the FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022TM.

- Canada Soccer produced and published the #WeCan Documentary Series that followed the Men's National Team incredible qualifying journey to the FIFA World Cup[™] with behindthe-scenes and never-before-seen interviews.
 - Over 3 million views across all Canada Soccer platforms
- #WeCan & #OuiCan Men's National Team 'home town' billboard campaign.
 - Large-Scale Out-Of-Home Displays in home communities of the 26 players on Canada's FIFA World Cup Roster
 - Generated more than 29 million total impressions across Canada
- Canada Soccer House was the ultimate Canadian Soccer fan experience on the ground in Doha for the FIFA World Cup Qatar 2022[™], welcoming Canadian fans visiting Qatar as well as local expats
- #WeCan Viewing Party Kits to enhance fans' live viewing party experiences from coast to coast to coast

Canada Soccer greeted fans in accordance with all public health and safety guidelines throughout 2022 National Team home matches providing a sea of CanadaRED support for our National Teams.

- In total, 99, 983 fans attended the six National Home Team matches hosted from January through June, with an average attendance 16,663 per match.
- Highlights include nearly 30,000 fans in attendance to support Canada Soccer's Men's National Team historic win over Jamaica at BMO Field on 27 March which sealed qualification to the 2022 FIFA World Cup. As well, more than 20,000 fans attended the Women's National Team Celebration Tour victory over Nigeria at BC Place in Vancouver in April before the scene shifted to Langford, BC where a sold-out crowd coast to coast

Canada Soccer's Men's National Team v Croatia at the FIFA World Cup Qatar[™] was the most watched soccer match in Canadian history with 4.4 million average viewers and a total reach of 9.8 million unique Canadian viewers.

Canada Soccer generated over 1,200% follower growth and six million engagements across all social media platforms throughout the FIFA World Cup Qatar™. Canada Soccer announced multiple new significant partnerships throughout 2022 as Canada Soccer continues to demonstrate the enhanced commercial brand strength and consumer awareness in the marketplace.

- CIBC as the Offical Bank and a lead partner of Canada Soccer
- Carlsberg as the official beer and nonalcoholic beer partner of Canada Soccer
- Degree as the official deodorant & antiperspirant partner of Canada Soccer
- Gatorade as the official isotonic and water partner of Canada Soccer
- Maple Lodge Farms as the official food protein partner of Canada Soccer
- Osmow's as the official middle eastern and/or Mediterranean restaurant partner of Canada Soccer
- Quesada as the official burrito and Mexican restaurant partner of Canada Soccer
- Visa as the official preferred payment partner of Canada Soccer
- Tik Tok Canada as an official content distribution partner

Canada Soccer announced partnership renewals with crucial supporters Toyota Canada and Teck Resources Limited demonstrating their continuing support of Canada Soccer and the grow of the sport across the country.

DIGITAL MEDIA

Canada Soccer saw monumental growth across their digital platforms in 2022, with a record number of fans seeing and engaging with an unprecedented amount of Canada Soccer content. Canada Soccer's content drew over 200 million impressions in 2022, whilst nearly reaching the 1 million follower mark across all channels. During the 2023 FIFA World Cup Qatar, Canada Soccer's channels saw their audience grow by more than 100k, with engagement rising by more than 600% on their social media platforms.

950,697 FOLLOWERS ACROSS ALL SOCIAL CHANNELS +51%



FINANCIALS

The Men's national Team completed a condensed qualification schedule successfully qualifying and preparing for participation in the FIFA World Cup Qualifiers Qatar 2022 ending a 34 year long drought since its last appearance in the competition. This single achievement generates significant additional revenues and re-investment into programming throughout the organization.

Technical development continues to be a priority for Canada and continue to expand the connection with the Canadian soccer community with increased investment by 93% including ongoing adaptation to an online environment continued with an increase in investment in education programs that reached more Canadians in remote locations.

Strong government support saw an increase of 7% in funding through Sport Canada and Own the Podium. Canada soccer remains united with our neighbours Mexico, and the United States in continuing our investment in preparation as co-hosts for FIFA World Cup 2026 - the largest single sporting event in the world. Toronto and Vancouver were successfully chosen as Official Host Cities by FIFA. Preparations, collaboration and planning continue in 2022 with all levels of government including the host cities and provinces as well as the federal government.

With the ever-expanding Canada Soccer Nation getting stronger year over year, 2022 continued to prove that collaboration and shared goals will strongly impact how we collectively DEVELOP, GOVERN, and GROW our sport as we continue our path to cohosting the once-in-a-generation FIFA World Cup 2026.



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