

### ROYAL SPORTING CLUB ANDERLECHT YOUTH ACADEMY

#### Royal Sporting Club Anderlecht Youth Academy

Jean Kindermans – technical director





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#### Organogram Club(1)

#### **General Board:**

Constant Vanden Stock (+)
Honorary President

Roger Vanden Stock President Philippe Collin Youth President

#### **Board Members:**

Frans Callewaert - Etienne Davignon - Gustave De Louvien Charles Demey - Francis De Vos - Jean De Winne - Emile Servranckx Daniel Spreutels - Alexandre Van Damme - Alphonse Vanderborght Michel Verschueren







**Departments:** 

Herman Van Holsbeeck General Manager

Finance & Administration Sportive

Commercial Medical

Merchandising Youth Department

Media Scouting

Infrastructure Social



Technical Director Youth

Technical Director Youth Jean Kindermans

U21 Staff Johan Walem Rene Peeters Technical coordinator U11→U19 Dirk Gyselinckx

**Youth Trainers** 

**Youth Delegates** 

Technical coordinator U6 → U10

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**Youth Delegates** 

**Medical Staff** 





#### Youth mission

- To form players who are able to play First division and Champion's League at the age of 18-21 years.
- 2. To form players who are able to play professional soccer in Belgium or abroad.
- 3. To form personalities who are proud to have worn the Anderlecht club colors and who carry out the positive RSCA-image in a role as:
  - Board member
  - Youth trainer
  - Delegate
  - Employee
  - Supporter





#### Youth vision

- When talents are detected at a young age and youth staff makes sure that these talents get a highly professional training (technical, tactical, mental), the Anderlecht first team can always rely on young professional players.
- 2. A constant representation of minimum two players in the first team who were formed at least several years by the RSCA youth formation.





Slogan

# "Turn your passion into your profession!"





Youth Programs

**RSCA Youth Programs** 

National Youth Program Provincial Youth Program Regional Youth Program Women Youth Program

- 1. National Youth program: U6 till U21 (19 teams / ±240 players)
- 2. Provincial Youth program: 11 teams
- 3. Regional Youth program: 8 teams
- 4. Women Youth program: 4 teams





"RSC Anderlecht has to profile as a highly quality youth academy in order to act as an example for youth formation and to act as a relay station between national clubs and international top clubs"

> Quote Herman Van Holsbeeck General Manager RSC Anderlecht



#### National Youth Formation

Style of playing

Player profile National Youth

Playing system





### Style of playing

- Attacking, creative and academic football
- 2. High speed of execution
- 3. Never adapting to the strenght of the opponent
- 4. Players who dare to take initiative
- 5. Playing on the half of the opponent as much as possible
- 6. A fluent shift between defense and attach and between attack and defense
- 7. Nicely build up from behind
- 8. Playing in triangulars
- 9. Mutual coaching and skill of polyvalence
- 10. The manner of playing exceeds the importance of result





Playing system



### U11->U14:

1-3-4-3





Playing system



### U15-)U19:

1-4-3-3





Player profile: controlling midfileder



- 1. Technical potential in build up
- 2. Perfect balcontrol and quick continuation of
- 3. Perfect passing
- 4. Good center and cross, shot from the second line
- 5. Capablility of infiltration
- 6. Bilateral potential (left right)
- 7. Ideal balance between offensive support and defending tasks
- Good heading (vertical jump + timing)





Player profile: controlling midfileder



- 9. Power in 1-on-1 duels
- 10. Endurance (volume)
- 11. Positive aggressivity
- 12. Athletical Quick Agile





### Training schedule

- 1. U6 → U10
  - 3 training sessions (75 minutes) a week
  - 1 competition match
- 2. U11 → U19
  - 4 training sessions (90 minutes) a week
  - 1 competition match
- 3. U21
  - Dailly training sessions (90 minutes) a week
  - 1 competition match + integration in schedule first team



- From fysical accents (endurance, resistance, force) in the beginning of the week towards technical and tactical accents as the game approaches.
- 2. Fysical schedule is devided in a 6-week-cyclus:
  - 1. Extensive endurance training
  - 2. Intensive endurance training
  - 3. Interval training
  - 4. Lactate-threshold training
  - 5. Speed training
  - 6. Active recuperation training
- 3. Technical and tactical aspect:
  - 1. 6-weekly goals are described by technical director
  - 2. These goals have to be present in games and afterwords evaluated in match reports.
  - 3. The lacunes become new training goals in future training sessions after the game.



#### Youth trainer staff

#### 1. U21

- →ex-professional players (WALEM PEETERS) + professional fysical coach (DEHAESELEER)
- →3 FTE available for the most important youth team
- >trainers with a Uefa A degree or a Uefa Pro Licence Degree

#### 2. U11→U19

→ trainers with a Uefa A degree or a Uefa A Youth Elite Degree (New!)

#### 3. U6→U10

- →trainers with a Uefa B degree
- → trainers with a Bachelor or Master degree in fysical education





#### Youth accommodation today

#### **Present**

- 1. 4 grass pitches
- 2. 1 synthetical pitch (68m x110m)
- 3. 1 indoor synthetical pitch (60m x 40m)
- 4. 1 power training hall (8m x 30m)





#### Youth Accommodation



- · +3 demosrow
- + 1 synthetical pitch
- + 1 power training hall
   (500m²)





#### Championship & Tournaments

- Championship similar to the championship of the first team in U11 → U21
  - In order to form players
  - Every selected player has to play a minimum amount of minutes (30', 40', 50')
  - Every player has to be able to play in different positions
  - The score is only a logical result of the way of playing
- 2. National and international tournaments
  - In order to measure with the best players and the best teams
  - In orde to win!





#### Educational partnerships

- → Partnership with **French** educational schools:
  - Redouté Peiffer Anderlecht
  - Topsport school Tubize
- → Partnership with **Dutch** (Flemish) educational schools:
  - Sint-Niklaasinstituut Anderlecht
  - Koninklijk Atheneum Anderlecht
  - Sint-Guido-Instituut Anderlecht
- →4 additional training sessions based on technical development!





#### Evaluation moments

Start season: 15/07 – Winter break: december – End season: 31/05

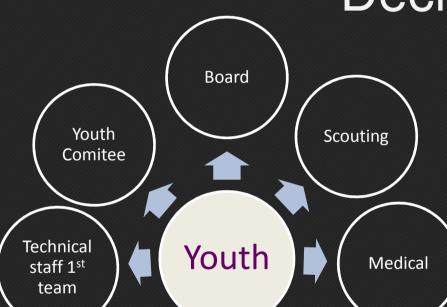
- Evaluation 1: 30/09
   →Player + trainer
- Evaluation 2: period 26/12 →31/12
   →Player + trainer + technical director
- Evaluation 3: 28/02

  → Player + trainer
- Final evaluation: 30/4
   ⇒Stay or leave





#### Decision making process



**Technical** 

staff youth

**Parent** 

delegation

- Trimestrial meeting
  - Parent Delegation
- Monthly meeting
  - Medical staff
- Weekly meeting
  - Board
  - Youth comitee
  - Technical staff first team
  - Scouting
- Daily meeting (formal and informal)
  - Technical staff youth



Youth scouting

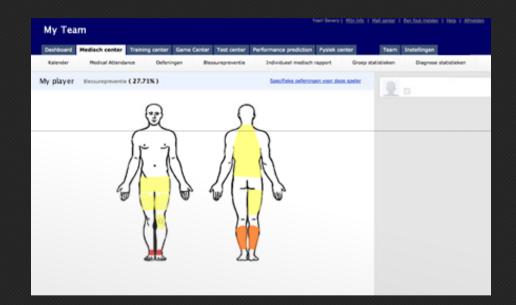
- <u>U6</u> → U10:
  - Local scouting
  - Regional scouting (30km)
- U11 → U16:
  - National scouting
- U17 → U21:
  - National scouting
  - International scouting





#### Fysical talent pool

- Technical director and trainer staff select ± 20 top talents (15-18 years old).
- 2. These players are tested on:
  - Endurance
  - Force
  - Speed
  - Elasticity/Stretch
- 3. Individual follow-up depending on the profile of the players.







#### TooucciData

- 1. Internal Communication tool
- 2. Web-based (world wide access)
- Developed to answer the needs of all RSCA-departments.
- 4. Modules:
  - General player information
  - Fysical information
  - Statistics
  - Scouting database
  - Evaluation modus
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