

## **UTAH SURF DPL Program: Frequently Asked Questions**

### **What is the DPL?**

The Development Player League or DPL is a highly competitive, player-centric league specifically focused on female players and their development. [Click here for more information on the DPL.](#)

### **Which age groups and teams will be DPL this next year?**

Our U13-U19 girls teams will compete in the DPL beginning in the 2021-2022 season.

### **What are the rosters sizes for DPL teams?**

The maximum roster size for each DPL team is 30 players. However, only 18 players are eligible to participate in each game day. The club will more than likely only roster or assign 18 players per team.

### **How will the teams be structured?**

We will be creating a best of the best from Utah Surf from across the state of Utah. Players will tryout for their UYSA teams and then will be invited to join the DPL player pool in their respective age groups. Players will then be selected for event-based rosters.

### **Who are the assigned coaches for the DPL teams?**

Each coach will have a USSF A or B license. We are actively pursuing additional top level coaches and will staff the teams with the highest quality coaches per experience and license level that is available to us.

### **What clubs will our DPL teams play and what is the level of competition?**

Our entry to the DPL is part of an expansion Mountain West Region that so far includes teams from Utah and Arizona.

### **What are the travel requirements?**

We expect the travel requirements will be similar to those of any other regional league, across a similar geographic footprint.

### **Will DPL players be allowed to play high school soccer?**

Yes.

### **Will DPL players be able to participate in UYSA?**

Yes.

### **Will DPL players be allowed to play in State Cup?**

Yes.

### **Will DPL players be allowed to participate in ODP?**

Yes.

### **Can DPL players participate in other sports?**

Yes.

### **What will be the cost?**

Once we know what other teams will be our Region, we will get that information out. We do not have the exact cost. We predict that it will be similar to our teams that have competed in the Desert Conference League.