

## **2020-2021 TOPSoccer Department – Joy Carter, Staff Liaison**

### **RECAP**

#### **Programs (Clubs Participating)-**

- COVID hindered TOPSoccer in both the summer, fall and winter of 2020; most programs started back up in the spring of 2021 with at least two of the programs meeting the winter before
- Spring programs 2021 were booming and all athletes at all clubs were so happy to be back to playing again
- UIndy student Delaney Patterson ran a summer program at John Glen High School in July 2020

#### **Events-**

- Cincy TOPSoccer festival 2020 was canceled due to COVID

### **Going Forward-**

#### **Outlook for the next fiscal year-**

- A presentation is available at the annual meeting about starting TOPSoccer clubs and how you can start a TOPSoccer program at your club
  - We look forward to an increase in the number of participants at every club; St. Francis is starting up again after a few years hiatus
  - Joy has been participating in virtual training sessions from US Youth TOPSoccer
- Gus Chikamba and Joy Carter will travel to different programs in Spring 2022 to get video footage of the various programs