CALGARY RANGERS SOCCER CLUB ACADEMY STAFF



AUSTIN CONNELLY MARKETING & COMMUNICATIONS DIRECTOR

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AUSTIN WAS BORN AND RAISED IN DAWSON CREEK, BRITISH COLUMBIA AND RECEIVED HIS BACHELOR OF COMMUNICATIONS WITH A MAJOR IN JOURNALISM FROM MACEWAN UNIVERSITY IN EDMONTON BEFORE MOVING TO CALGARY IN 2021. BEFORE HIS RETURN TO COACHING WITH CALGARY RANGERS, AUSTIN HELPED RESURRECT COMPETITIVE SOCCER WITH THE SOUTH PEACE SOCCER ASSOCIATION ASSISTANT COACHING THEIR U13 SIDE.

"I'M INCREDIBLY EXCITED TO COACH AGAIN. I LOVE SEEING PLAYERS' GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT THROUGHOUT THE YEAR WHILE ALSO FORMING RELATIONSHIPS WITH THOSE PLAYERS AS THE YEAR PROGRESSES. I HAD A GREAT COACH GROWING UP PLAYING COMPETITIVE SOCCER WHO TAUGHT ME SO MUCH ABOUT THE GAME, AND I'M EXCITED TO SHARE MY KNOWLEDGE WITH ALL OUR YOUNG RANGERS. THEY BRING SO MUCH PASSION AND ENJOYMENT EVERY TIME THEY'RE ON THE PITCH AND IT'S HARD NOT TO LOVE BEING AROUND THEIR ENERGY"