



WEST HAM UNITED INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY 2011 NATIONAL CAMP

The National Camp is by invitation only. To be invited, you must attend a Player ID Camp. The progression is as follows:

This unique experience includes:

- 3 nights accommodation
- All meals
- International Academy ball and training kit
- Expert coaching and honest, unbiased verbal and written evaluation from West Ham Academy staff
- Technical and tactical instruction on the field and in classroom settings
- Advice on collegiate and professional career prospects
- Nutritional advice and information
- Athletic trainers present during every

Step 1: Player ID Camp

Hosted by a West Ham United International Academy Partner Club under the direction of the West Ham United International Academy. [Click here to register.](#)



Step 2: National Camp

Best players from Player ID camps invited to a 4-day residential camp staffed by West Ham United Academy coaches from London under the direction of Academy Director Tony Carr.



Step 3: West Ham United Academy Experience

Best players invited from National Camp to attend world famous West Ham United Academy in London for a 10-day experience.

SEBASTIAN LLETGET

Formerly of Partner Club Santa Clara Sporting, Sebastian Lletget was selected to travel to London and train with the West Ham Academy. Lletget impressed Tony Carr and was invited to train at the Academy in London. On his 18th birthday, Lletget signed a professional contract with West Ham United. Sebastian's story is what the International Academy is all about: giving YOU a chance to be THE ONE to succeed.



CAMP DIRECTORS

Tony Carr has been overseeing youth development at West Ham United for over 37 years. The 2010 England World Cup squad saw no less than seven players who had played for Carr at one time or another at the Academy – captain, Rio Ferdinand, Frank Lampard, Joe Cole, Michael Carrick, Jermain Defoe, Glen Johnson and John Terry. The current West Ham first team squad has seven graduates of the Academy, five of them representing England at Under 21 level and 1 representing Wales full national team. The success of player development at the West Ham United Academy is almost unrivaled throughout world football, with Carr's achievements being recognized by Her Majesty the Queen when she awarded him an MBE (Member of the British Empire) in 2010.



Paul Heffer has assisted Tony Carr at the Academy for over 15 years, his association with West Ham goes back even further, having played for the club at first team level, making his league debut alongside England World Cup winning captain Bobby Moore, in March 1967. Paul went onto make a further 16 appearances for the club before his career was cut short by injury.

This year, West Ham United International Academy is providing its National Camp in three installments to provide more personal instruction and evaluation:

Age Group:	Date:	Location:
CAMP #1 U10-U13 B U12-U17 G	July 10-13	Rome, GA
CAMP #2 U14-U18 B	July 14-17	Rome, GA
CAMP #3 U13-U17 B U14-U16 G	July 16-19	Santa Clara, CA

WORLD CLASS LOCATIONS

Rome, GA



Darlington School's beautiful campus and first class soccer facilities make it an ideal location for our National Camp.

Santa Clara, CA



The Santa Clara Youth Soccer Park boasts 3 lighted full size soccer fields. Two are high performance, sand-based hybrid Bermuda, and one is a synthetic turf field. Accommodations will be at the Hilton Hotel adjacent to the facility.



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