

RICE OWL SOCCER CAMP COACHING STAFF



Chris Huston Rice Owls Head Coach

Now in her tenth year at the helm of the Rice soccer program and the only head coach in the Owls' Division I soccer history.

Guided the Owls to their second consecutive NCAA appearance in 2005 after receiving WAC Coach of the Year honors in 2004.

Under Huston's direction Rice was named *Soccer Buzz* magazine's second-best first-year program in 2001 and she was named the WAC coach of the year.

Named to the U-19 national team. Earned 1988-89 rookie of the year at the University of North Carolina and played a key role in the school's 1989 and 1990 NCAA championships..



Nicky Adams Rice Associate Head Coach

Former Texas A&M standout who joined Rice as an assistant coach in January 2003.

Member of the A&M teams that won the Big 12 championship in 1997 and Big 12 Tournament titles in '97 and 2001.

Finished college career ranked third in all-time points, second in goals, fifth in assists and is the school record holder for shots.

Earned NSCAA all-America honors in 2001 and was nominated for the Herman Trophy for the second year in a row. Named first-team NSCAA all-Central Region honors in 1998 and '99, along with being named to the first team all-conference. Big 12 Tournament's most valuable player in '98 and was named the Aggies' offensive MVP on three occasions.

Second selection of the Atlanta Beat of the Women's United Soccer Association in the league's 2002 draft.



Sebastian Vecchio Rice Assistant Coach

First year with Rice after spending the previous four seasons as goalkeeper coach at Memphis.

Works with the Owls' outstanding goalkeepers, one of the best groups of keepers in Conference USA and the region.

Allowed just 12 goals in over 1,500 minutes of play as the goalkeeper at Memphis during the 2004 season for a school record 0.69 goals-against average.

Earned 2004 C-USA Defensive Player of the Year and first team all-Conference USA selection.

USSF "C" license and served as head goalkeeping coach for Alabama ODP.

ABOUT THE CAMP • DEC. 19-21

Winter holidays may provide a needed break from school, but it's a critical time to be physically active and sharpen some soccer skills one last time before the spring semester. Rice Soccer Camp is a popular choice for many of the area's top players as an excellent way to get an edge on the competition. The camp is over a brief, three-day, period so the curriculum is structured with highly energized sessions that will foster learning through a fun and competitive environment. Players will be grouped by age and ability levels so as to maximize their learning and enjoyment. Our staff will be comprised of seasoned coaches and players, including current and former staff from ODP, college and club. The camp is open to boys and girls ages 4-14, who will receive an official Rice Owls Soccer Camp T-shirt.

• **Registration:** 8 am with camp starting promptly at 9 am. Camp begins daily at 9 am and ends promptly at noon.

• **Location:** Rice Track & Soccer Stadium located at Entrance #5 off Main Street, just north of University.

• Please visit us at www.HustonSoccer.com for additional information and online registration!

Signing up a young soccer enthusiast for the Rice Owls' Winter Holiday Camp is a unique and helpful gift idea!

MEDICAL PERSONNEL

Athletic trainers from the Rice University Sports Medicine Center will be present at all training sessions. For serious situations the Houston Medical Center is less than five minutes from campus. Plenty of water will be available during all training sessions.

WHAT SHOULD I BRING TO CAMP?

Campers should bring their own soccer ball. The camper should also bring appropriate soccer shoes (one pair for outdoors and one pair of gym shoes in case camp is moved indoors due to weather), water bottle, and as always, be ready for anything when it comes to Houston's winter weather.

**All players should bring
their own soccer ball.
A Rice Owls T-shirt is on us!**

RELEASE INDEMNITY & HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

I, _____ (print name of parent or legal guardian) authorize (print camper's name) _____, full participation in the Rice Owls Soccer Camp, including all related camp activities. It is my understanding that participation in the activities at the Rice Owls Soccer Camp is not without an inherent risk of injury. In consideration of participation in the Rice Owls Soccer Camp, I hereby release, waive, discharge, and agree not to sue the camp, the Athletic Department, Rice University, the State of Texas, their officers, servants, agents, or employees from any and all liability, claims, demands, action, and clauses of action whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be sustained by the participant, whether caused by the negligence of the release, or otherwise while engaging in such activity, or in, on, or upon the premises where the activity is taking place. I hereby give my permission for any emergency treatment or medical care by a physician, hospital or medical facility that may be required, including transport, during the specific camp week that he/she is in attendance. In addition, I verify that the camp participant is covered with a family health insurance policy. Furthermore, I will be solely responsible for any and all costs of medical attention and treatment, and understand that only minimum coverage will be provided by the Rice Owls Soccer Camp.

INSURANCE CARRIER: _____

MEMBERSHIP/ID # _____

POLICY HOLDER _____

Signature of parent/legal guardian agreeing to the above release and holding all the above to be true:

Please mail, along with a copy of your insurance card and completed camp application (on reverse side), to:

RICE OWLS SOCCER CAMP
Attn: Chris Huston
Department of Athletics, MS 548
P.O. Box 1892
Houston, Texas 77251-1892

**PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF
YOUR INSURANCE CARD**

2009 Rice Owls Soccer Camp Application

Name _____

Age _____ Male _____ Female _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

E-Mail _____

Date of Birth _____ Grade Completed _____

Parent / Guardian _____

Emergency Phone for Parent/Guardian _____

Winter Camp: \$160 Dec. 19-21; 9 am - Noon

Please remember our last Winter Holiday Camp SOLD OUT early!!

Mark Your Choice (Please choose only one):

Adult T-Shirt Size: S M L XL

Youth T-Shirt Size: S M L

A \$100 (**nonrefundable**) initial deposit per camper is required with the application and will be subtracted from the total fee.

Please include a copy of your Proof of Insurance card with your application. Please sign the waiver on the reverse side of this application.

Please make checks payable to **Chris Huston**

Return to: **Rice Owls Soccer Camp**
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Space is limited! Enrollment can only be secured by registering online or applying with payment ASAP.

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2009 RICE OWLS WINTER HOLIDAY SOCCER CAMP

December 19-21, 2009



Rice Owls Camp Hotline:

(713) 348-6959

**Visit us for more information and
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