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MEMORIALIZING CABOTO FC'S ONTARIO CUP WIN

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An ending to a soccer season unlike any other prompted Caboto FC president, Egidio Mosca, to go the extra mile when recognizing his players' success. The coveted Ontario Cup championships made a roaring comeback this season, and when Mosca's U16 girls bested the rest, he wanted to make sure it was a moment that would live on forever in the club's history.

To commemorate winning the Ontario cup, Mosca did something that rarely any coaches do. He contacted Nothers the award store to order an exact replica of the Ontario cup, plated with the individual names of all the players and coaching staff on it.

"I'm passionate about these kinds of things," says Mosca. "The awards you give to players are a memento of what their season was all about, so I think it's important to send the right message with the recognition you provide."



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History is important at Caboto FC and celebrating every milestone along the way is something Mosca has taken very seriously.

"As players it's a memory they've worked hard for. A lot of the girls on the club have been with us since they were 7 or 8 years old! And they've been so close before. They made it to the quarter finals 3 years ago, and the semifinals 2 years ago. After winning we just wanted to memorialize it."

Under normal circumstances Caboto FC hosts an annual awards banquet to recognize the efforts of the season. Every year, a table located front and center is reserved for the 4 replica trophies commemorating the 4 Ontario Cup championship teams in the clubs' 70-year history. Now a 5th trophy will join the table and this one's a little different.



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"Caboto soccer has been around for 70 years, in that time we've won 4 Ontario Cup championships, two at the senior men's level in 1961 and 1990, and the other were at senior women's level in 2005 and 2011. We've never won a youth Ontario Cup championship, which is why this one is so special."

By honoring the history of their club, Mosca hopes to inspire the future cohort of champions.

"It doesn't matter what age group or gender; everyone goes up and looks at those 4 trophies and looks at the names of the players that were on those teams."

Mosca's vision is that hopefully years from now, players from this year's winning U16 squad will have kids of their own that play for Caboto FC. He imagines a banquet in the future where Caboto alumni can walk their kids to the center table and tell them "Look! Mommy was on that team; we won this event."

"I don't think there's a better way of keeping that memory alive than getting a replica recognizing the players."

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