



New Mexico Rapids Soccer Club 2025 College Commitment Recognition Social Sunday, April 27, 2025

New Mexico Rapids Soccer Club is thrilled and proud to recognize seventeen 2025 high school graduates who as of today have committed to play for college soccer programs this coming fall. These players have worked tirelessly to achieve excellence on the field and in the classroom.

Commitments by College/University

Adams State University (CO) (1): McKaylee Burt

Arizona Christian University (1): Marley Sandoval

Dominican University (IL) (1): Cody Guggino

Fort Lewis College (CO) (2): Addyson Carpentier, Uriel Garcia

Hope College (MI) (1): Morgan Arsenault

Mercer University (GA) (1): Caitlin Sanchez

University of New Mexico (2): Mia Barela, Ainsley Capps

Norwich University (VT) (1): Cameron Albrecht

Nicholls State University (LA) (1): Olivia Wills

Pomona College (CA) (1): Townes Richardson

St. Edward's University (TX) (1): Frank Barela


Southwestern University (TX) (1): Justus Mason


University of Texas at El Paso (1): Aleksandra Lucero


University of Texas Permian Basin (1): Mariela Ojeda

University of Wyoming (1): Haley Robinson




Cameron Albrecht			
Norwich University, Northfield, VT			
NCAA Division 3 – Great Northeast Athletic Conference			
Club Team:	07/06 ECNL		
Hometown:	Albuquerque, NM		
College Major:	Exercise Science		
Academic Honors/Awards:		Soccer Honors/Awards:	
		3x All-State 3x All-District	


Morgan Arsenault			
Hope College, Holland, MI			
NCAA Division 3 – Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association			
Club Team:	07/06 EA		
Hometown:	Gallup, NM		
College Major:	Accounting		
Academic Honors/Awards:		Soccer Honors/Awards:	
		3x All-State 4x All-District	


Frank Barela		
St. Edward's University, Austin, TX NCAA Division 2 – Lone Star Conference		
Club Team:	07/06 ECNL	
Hometown:	Albuquerque, NM	
College Major:	Business	
Academic Honors/Awards:		
Graduating with honors		Soccer Honors/Awards:
		3x 1 st Team All-State 3x 1 st Team All-District District Player of the Year & 1st team All-Metro 2023 4A Soccer Champion

Mia Barela		
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM NCAA Division 1 – Mountain West Conference		
Club Team:	07/06 GA	
Hometown:	Las Cruces, NM	
College Major:	Pre-Law	
Academic Honors/Awards:		Soccer Honors/Awards:
4 Years Student Government National Honor Society Inductee GPA: 4.0		United Soccer Coaches- 2024 Fall High School Girls All-State Player 2024 Fall High School Girls All-Region Team 2024 Fall High School Girls All-America Team 2024 High School Girls State Player of the Year NMHSCA- 2024 1 st Team All-State District Player of the Year: 2023 and 2024 1 st Team All-District: 2022, 2023 and 2024 LCHS Varsity Captain 2022, 2023 and 2024 2024 Sports Illustrated - Sports National High School Fall Girls Soccer Player of the Year Nominee



McKaylee Burt		
Adams State University, Alamosa, CO		
NCAA Division 2 – Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference		
Club Team:	07/06 GA	
Hometown:	Belen, NM	
College Major:	Kinesiology with Exercise Science emphasis	
Academic Honors/Awards:		Soccer Honors/Awards:
4 Year Academic Letter		2024 MaxPreps Player of the Year 2023 2 nd Team All-State 4x 1st Team All-District

Ainsley Capps		
University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, NM		
NCAA Division 1 – Mountain West Conference		
Club Team:	07/06 GA	
Hometown:	Corrales, NM	
College Major:	Architecture	
Academic Honors/Awards:		Soccer Honors/Awards:
AP- Physics & Latin Received a Cord for Latin Leader of Student Government Received a Cord Graduated with Cum Laude Award		1 st Team All-State- 10th, 11th, 12th 1 st Team All-District - 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th 2 nd Team All-Metro- 11th, 12th 11 th Grade - 28 Goals, 18 Assists 12 th Grade - 40 Goals, 10 Assist Career Total of 104 Goals and 44 assists Holds Team Record for Most Goals and Points 12 th Grade – 3 rd in State for Goals

Addyson Carpentier		
Fort Lewis College, Durango, CO		
NCAA Division 2 – Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference		
Club Team:	07/06 GA	
Hometown:	Albuquerque, NM	
College Major:	Criminal Justice	
Academic Honors/Awards:		Soccer Honors/Awards:
4-Year Honor Roll		1 st Team All-State
Graduate with a 4.0 cord		1 st Team All-District
		NM State All Star Team
		Won state title, district & Metro tourney in same season

Uriel Garcia		
Fort Lewis College, Durango, CO		
NCAA Division 2 – Rocky Mountain Athletic Conference		
Club Team:	07/06 EA	
Hometown:	Farmington, NM	
College Major:	Accounting	
Academic Honors/Awards:		Soccer Honors/Awards:
		2 nd Team All-State



Cody Guggino

Dominican University, River Forest, IL
NCAA Division 3 – Northern Athletics Collegiate Conference

Club Team: 07/06 ECNL

Hometown: Albuquerque, NM

College Major:

Academic Honors/Awards:

Soccer Honors/Awards:

Aleksandra Lucero

University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, TX
NCAA Division 1 – Conference USA

Club Team: 07/06 GA

Hometown: Albuquerque, NM

College Major: Biomedical Sciences

Academic Honors/Awards:

Math National Honors Society
DECA National Competitor

Soccer Honors/Awards:

1st Team All-State
1st Team All-District
1st Team All-Metro
NM State All Star Team
State Champion
State Champion - track and field



Justus Mason

Southwestern University, Georgetown, TX
NCAA Division 3 – Southern Collegiate Athletic Conference

Club Team: 07/06 ECNL

Hometown: Albuquerque, NM

College Major: Biology / Pre-Med


Academic Honors/Awards:


4-Year Honor Roll


Soccer Honors/Awards:


2024 NMHSCA Boys All Star Team (Red Team)
2024 USC All State 1st Team
2024 NMHSCA All State 1st Team, Striker
2024 All Metro 1st Team Forward (22G, 13A)
Finished High School Career with 68G (Most Career Goals for Hope HS), 40A, and 176 points (Most Career Points for Hope HS)
2023 USC All State 1st Team
2023 NMHSCA All State 1st Team, Striker
2023 All Metro 1st Team Forward (30G, 17A)
2023 District player of the year 4A 6
2023 Team achievement 4A 6 Champions
2022 2nd Team All District 4A 6
2022 All State 2nd Team, Midfielder




Mariela Ojeda		
University of Texas Permian Basin, Odessa, TX NCAA Division 2 – Lone Star Conference		
Club Team:	07/06 GA	
Hometown:	Albuquerque, NM	
College Major:	Nursing	
Academic Honors/Awards:	Soccer Honors/Awards:	
2 x Academic Letter Top 20% in class	2 nd Team All-State 2x 2 nd Team All-District 2 nd Team All-Metro 4x Varsity Letter	


Townes Richardson		
Pomona College, Claremont, CA / Pomona-Pitzer Athletics NCAA Division 3 – Southern California Intercollegiate Athletic Conference		
Club Team:	07/06 ECNL	
Hometown:	Albuquerque, NM	
College Major:	Neuroscience	
Academic Honors/Awards:		Soccer Honors/Awards:
National Merit Finalist Cum Laude		State: Captain, State Champions 4A Boys Soccer 2024; 1st team All-State 2024; 1st team All-State 2023; 2nd team All-State 2022 District: 2024 District Player of the Year; 2023 1st team All-district; 2022 2nd Team All-District Metro: 2024 All-Metro Boys Soccer 1st Team; 2023 All-Metro Boys Soccer 2nd Team

Haley Robinson			
University of Wyoming, Laramie, WY NCAA Division 1 – Mountain West Conference			
Club Team:	07/06 GA		
Hometown:	Albuquerque, NM		
College Major:	Business		
Academic Honors/Awards:		Soccer Honors/Awards:	
Academic Letter		1 st Team All-State 1 st Team All-District & 2 nd Team All-District State Champion	

Caitlin Sanchez			
Mercer University, Macon, GA NCAA Division I – Southern Conference			
Club Team:	07/06 GA		
Hometown:	Albuquerque, NM		
College Major:	Kinesiology		
Academic Honors/Awards:		Soccer Honors/Awards:	
Senior Class President		1x All-Region by United Soccer Coaches 4x All-State NMHSCA & 2x United Soccer Coaches 4x All-District & 2 x District Player of the Year 3x All-Metro 1 st Team NM State All Star Team 2x Team Captain & Defensive Player of the Year	



Marley Sandoval		
Arizona Christian University, Glendale, AZ NAIA – Great Southwest Athletic Conference		
Club Team:	07/06 DPL	
Hometown:	Las Cruces, NM	
College Major:	Biology	
Academic Honors/Awards:		
4 Years Honors Class / AP student		Soccer Honors/Awards:
		2024 5A Second Team All State Defender 4 Years Varsity Soccer 2023 ODP West Regional Camp 2022 & 2021 NM ODP Team

Olivia Wills		
Nicholls State University, Thibodaux, LA NCAA Division 1 – Southland Conference		
Club Team:	07/06 GA	
Hometown:	Albuquerque, NM	
College Major:	Sports Administration	
Academic Honors/Awards:		
3 Years Academic All-District National Honor Society Member 7 Consecutive Semesters Honor Roll 3.967 GPA		Soccer Honors/Awards:
		1 st Team All-State 1 st Team All-District 1 st Team All-Metro Team Defensive MVP

New Mexico Rapids SC has been serving the Albuquerque and surrounding communities since 2001. New Mexico's premier youth soccer club fielding boys and girls players 4 through 19 years old. NM Rapids Soccer Club is a Non-Profit Soccer Club whose teams participate in the Girls Academy & DPL, Boys ECNL & EA and locally in the Duke City Soccer League.

New Mexico Rapids Soccer Club Mission Statement

To create and maintain an environment for youth soccer players from diverse backgrounds that encourages and inspires them to reach their full potential both on and off the field.

The Club offers the most comprehensive and proven college search and player development program in New Mexico that has helped place 678 of our alumni in college soccer programs. Our 2025 graduates will join this group next fall.

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