



DARE Futbol Academy

To Whom It May Concern,

Nadavi Hamel is not only an outstanding player but an outstanding role model who has changed my life, along with the lives of his teammates. My name is M-J Tate and I am a professional soccer executive and coach. I am the founder of DARE Futbol Academy and the owner of EPSC LLC, a consulting company.

I first met Nadavi two years ago. I was the coach of an All Star MLS Next U15B Team from Oregon. He always impressed me with his tenacity and grit. I was not the type of coach that recruited players but rather one that focused on developing players and transforming lives. Nadavi was someone I knew was talented and I felt I could assist in taking his skills to the next level.

I recognized early on that Nadavi had raw talent that, when properly directed, could reach a very high level. His grit and determination have been the driving forces behind his rapid development.

The way Nadavi plays for his teammates is the most motivating and inspiring thing I have ever witnessed. With Nadavi, I worked harder as a coach to make sure we could all keep our work ethic in line with his. He helped push his team to new limits where they had never been. As a former professional athlete, I feel coaching someone who has excelled in the game the way Nadavi has is pure inspiration. Within just two years, he has become one of the best wing backs in the region (I believe he has the potential to play at the highest level).

Nadavi has also excelled in the importance of leading by example. He has always been told by me to give his best and never accept mediocrity on or off the field. I truly believe that any coach who has the opportunity to work with Nadavi will be fortunate.

Nadavi is a great person with great character. Nadavi has my recommendation in any walk of life.

Sincerely,

M-J Tate

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