



**PALACE SUPER FALCONS
ACADEMY AND
WOMEN'S FOOTBALL CLUB**



BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- Palace Super Falcons Women's Academy was established in 2002. It was established by Palace Group as a CSI project.
- The aim of the Academy is to develop and promote professional women's soccer in South Africa
- We identify players with excellent skills and assist them in achieving their football ambitions while enriching them socially
- All of the players in the Academy are from disadvantaged communities in the surrounding townships of Midrand such as Rabie Ridge, Tembisa and Phomolong



BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- At present the Academy has a senior team that partakes in the now Sasol sponsored SAFA Gauteng Provincial League
- It also has a development team that is active in a ABSA Women's League
- The senior team, Palace Super Falcons, is comprised of 21 skillful young women whereas the Palace Super Falcons Development side has 12 girls between the ages of 11 and 15
- The Academy's homeground is in Rabie Ridge, Midrand



OUR VISION

Our vision is to be number one in women soccer development in South Africa
It is also to play competitively in a fully fledged PSL Women's Professional League



OUR MISSION

- To promote Women's soccer in South Africa
- To empower young women from disadvantaged communities to an international professional soccer level
- To play an active role in reducing the involvement of young women in crime, drug abuse and other social ills by engaging them in a sports that is both participative and commercially viable

ACADEMY PERFORMANCE

League	Season	Position	Comment
Sanlam League	2002/2003	8	First year
Sanlam League	2003/2004	5	Second year
Sanlam League	2004/2005	1	Promoted to Vodacom League
Vodacom League	2005/2006	6	First year
Vodacom League	2006/2007	1	Promoted to Provincial League
SAFA Provincial Women's League	2007/2008	1	GP Provincial Champions
SAFA Provincial Women's League	2009	1	GP Provincial Champions
Sasol National Women's Championships	2009	3	Knocked out at semifinal stages
SAFA Provincial Women's League	2010	1	GP Provincial Champions
Sasol National Women's Championships	2010	1	Winners of Sasol National Championships
SAFA/Sasol Provincial Women's League	2010/2011	1	GP Provincial Champions
Sasol National Women's Championships	2011	1	Successfully defended Championship



PSF SENIOR ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2003 – Won the FNB Cup in Midrand
- 2004 – Won the Palace Engineering Cup in Midrand
- 2005 – Won the regional play-offs to gain promotion to the Vodacom League
- 2005 – Won the Maimane Phiri Cup in Alexandra
- 2005 – Won the PAHA Women's Day Cup in Mamelodi
- 2006 – Won the Palace Engineering Cup in Midrand
- 2006 – Defended and won the PAHA Women's Day Cup in Mamelodi.
- 2007 – Crowned the 2006/2007 National Vodacom League Champions
- 2007– Defended and won the PAHA Women's Day Cup in Mamelodi.
- 2008 – Crowned the Gauteng Provincial League Champions



PSF SENIOR ACHIEVEMENTS

- 2008 – Won the Discovery Walter Sisulu Challenge
- 2009 – Crowned the Gauteng Provincial League Champions
- 2009- 3rd Runner up- Sasol National Playoffs
- 2010 – Crowned the Gauteng Provincial League Champions
- 2010- Crowned Sasol National Women's Champions
- 2010/11- Crowned the Gauteng Provincial League Champions for a 3rd time in a row
- 2011- Successfully defended the Sasol National Women's Championship



OTHER INTERESTING FACTS

- A number of Palace Super Falcons players have been regularly selected for the Banyana Banyana National Squad and the Basetsana Basetsana
- The top goal scorer at Palace Super Falcons scored 30 goals in the 2010 SAFA Women's Provincial League



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