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## Lamorinda SC helps spawn new SF Deltas high-level soccer club

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In fact, there are only two Bay Area natives who have made it onto the team: Midfielder Muhammad Saalih and Goal Keeper Alex Mangels.

Mangels is from Lamorinda and made his way into professional soccer through his time after playing as UC Berkeley's starting keeper and receiving an invitation to attend the Delta's training camp.

Both Mangels and Saalih knew each other well, having spent their youth training in Moraga at Lamorinda SC.



Alex Mangels and Muhammad Saalih Photo provided

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