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Who We Are



Established in 2013, Cali Roll is a high school level ultimate club team formed to provide our players the opportunity for competitive play in the girlx division. As more playing opportunities have emerged over time, Cali Roll continues to bring together players from across the Bay Area to play at a high level, primarily in open college tournaments.

Beginning in 2024-25, **we are excited to launch a second girlx club team!** This team (name TBD) will focus on player development and creating a team-oriented space for players looking for competitive play outside of their school environment.

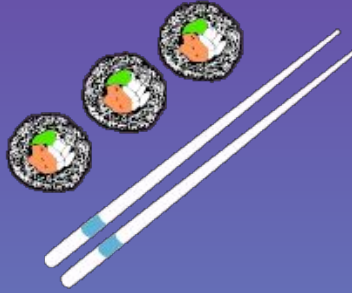
VALUES

Inclusiveness

Team building

Leadership

Individual skill development



ROSTER

We are looking for players aged 13-18 who embody our team values.

We expect to name full rosters of 20-25 players for both Cali Roll and our new team.

PRACTICES & TOURNAMENTS

Both teams will practice 1-2 times monthly from November through March, often in the East Bay with some rotation to the Peninsula or San Francisco.

Cali Roll typically plays in one tournament per month from January to March. The 2024-25 schedule is still being finalized, but the team will like participate in the following tournaments:

January - Santa Barbara Qualifiers

February - Stanford Open

March - Seven Hills Invite

We are still developing the tournament plan for our new team, but anticipate that it will attend Sky Leap and Seven Hills, with the potential for other tournaments to be added.

TRYOUTS

- **September 29** - Open tryout for all interested players, 12:30pm-4pm at [Tillman in Alameda](#)
- **October 5** - Closed tryout #1, 9am-12pm at [Washington Park Upper Field in Alameda](#)
- **October 13** - Closed tryout #2, 10am-1pm, [Emerald Glen Park in Dublin](#)

Please bring cleats, a disc, a dark and a light jersey, and your own snacks and water.

We encourage players to attend both days of tryouts. Please let us know if you have conflicts with any dates.

FUNDRAISING

Players are expected to participate in team fundraising activities. Funds raised from these events will be used to subsidize team expenses such as tournament fees and travel costs, as well as provide financial assistance.

TEAM EXPENSES

Players that are selected to join the team will be required to pay a registration fee that covers fields and insurance for the season. Players will be responsible for their travel expenses and additional tournament fees.

Scholarships are available to cover player expenses as needed.

COACHES



Lindi began coaching girls' high school ultimate in 2008 by helping found the Radnor High School Girls' team outside of Philadelphia. Upon arriving in the Bay Area, she was recruited to help found and coach California Roll, which at the time was the sole girls' team in the Bay Area (thankfully that's changed!). She has helped transform Cali Roll into a competitive traveling team while continuing to foster its inclusiveness. Her primary focus is building individual skills and sewing them into the fabric of a team.

Anne Marie, or "**Puma**", began playing ultimate frisbee while teaching middle and high school in the Dominican Republic. She got her first opportunity to coach by running an after-school ultimate frisbee team for her students. Currently, she's a player and captain on Nightlock, a Bay Area women's club team. She joined Lindi as a Cali Roll coach in 2017-18.



Vienna began playing ultimate frisbee here in the Bay Area and has been on many high school open, girls, and mixed teams, including Cali Roll. She is returning as coach after the shortened 2019-20 season and after graduating from UCSB where she played and captained for the Burning Skirts. She is a player on Sunshine, a Bay Area mixed team, and is excited to grow the team with her high school, college, and club experiences.

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Eliza began playing ultimate frisbee in high school in Pittsburgh, PA and has been playing on club teams for the past twelve years. When she lived in Washington D.C., she coached a high school girls' team for two seasons. Currently, she is a player on Nightlock, a Bay Area Women's club team, and the Falcons, the Bay Area women's professional team. Eliza is excited to be part of the growth and development of the BUYA new girls' team!



Thalia started playing ultimate frisbee here in the Bay Area. She played on Cali Roll (the first year!) and Happy Cows as a youth, Cal Poly SLO Motion in college, and various club Women's and Gender Expansive teams since then. She has also coached at the Bay Area Disc Camps and the National Ultimate Training Camp in Massachusetts. Now living back in Oakland and playing for Nightlock, Thalia is excited to start coaching the next generation of ultimate players from the Bay!



Sam or "Sloop" started playing ultimate on Georgia Tech Wreck. Her first five years of ultimate included captaining Wreck for two years, coaching an Atlanta HS fall league, and assisting with G.U.M clinics. She moved to the Bay Area in 2022 and her most recent club experience was with Fury in 2023. She is avoiding/barred from playing while rehabbing post-ACL surgery, but is looking forward to getting back to the grind and joy that is ultimate!



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