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### **Verloo and Nimo represent Oregon on National Teams**

**Beaverton** – Two of Oregon’s finest young soccer players, Courtney Verloo (1991 Oregon ODP) and Alex Nimo (1990 Oregon ODP) are making some noise at the national level right now, representing the state of Oregon on the U16 and U17 National teams.

Verloo, who stars on both the 91’ Oregon ODP team and the Southside Strikerz club team, was just named to the U16 Girls National Team, a team consisting of the top 24 players in the United States at the U16 level.

Nimo, who starred on the 90’ Oregon ODP team and plays with the FC Portland soccer club, scored his first two international goals as the US U17 National Team shutout Trinidad & Tobago 3-0 at the National Stadium in Kingston, Jamaica April 30.

“We are very excited to have two talented players like Courtney and Alex represent the state of Oregon and the Oregon ODP program at the national level,” said ODP Coordinator Erik Lyslo. “Alex is on a tear right now with the U17 team and Courtney is just getting started with the U16 group.”

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**Organization:** OYSA is an incorporated non-profit 501 (c) (3) who promote, develop and administer the game of soccer among youth (boys and girls under 19 years of age) playing in Oregon while also promoting national and international amateur soccer competition for Oregon youth. The purpose of OYSA is to foster an environment that promotes the physical, mental and emotional development of Oregon’s youth through the sport of soccer.