

## 2022 Season Recap

The 2022 Stratford Middle School Girls Soccer Team had a successful 7-2 season led by the eighth-grade captains Kelly Grace Perrin, Campbell McIntyre, and Stella McIntyre. The Eaglettes outscored their opponents 53-6 with the starting forwards, seventh graders Ava Jeshuran and London Ramsbottom and eighth grader Kelly Grace Perrin along with the attacking center midfielder Stella McIntyre accounting for 41 of the goals. The Eaglettes success stems from the team's ability to control the game with a possession style play that kept the ball away from the opponent and a feisty defense that was anchored by eighth grader Jamiliah Sillah and seventh grader Tinsley Loyd. The six shutouts this season would not have been possible without the fearless and steady play in the goal by a pair of seventh grade goalkeepers, Sofia Hendricks and Gracie Gonzalez. While eight eighth graders will be moving onto the Varsity team next year, the future of Stratford Middle School Soccer is very bright looking at all the young talent that will remain. This team showed significant improvement over last year by scoring 53 goals compared to 29. This was a result of the forwards being less stationary and developed dynamic runs that resulted in more shots on goal and more crosses for finishing.