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Ryan Boyette commits to Emory and Henry College



FSCI proudly announces that Ryan Boyette will play for the Emory and Henry men's soccer program in 2019. Emory and Henry College is a NCAA Division 3 school located in Emory, VA.

Ryan has been a member of the FSCI travel soccer program for 4 years from 2015 to 2019. Ryan is a versatile player that can play anywhere in the midfield or as a striker. He plays in our boys 2000 age group. He attends Courtland High School. Ryan states the following:

I have grown as a player and as a person over my four years at FSCI. Two years ago I did not believe I had the ability to play in college but thanks to the help of many people I have to opportunity to do just that. It was an amazing feeling when Coach Richardson offered me a spot to play at Emory and Henry College. I'd like to thank Coach Marcello and Coach Donnie for helping me to develop my game on the field and pushing me to be the best I can be. Through the boring mundane drills I have learned many skills that have helped me to reach the next level of soccer. I'd also like to thank my mom and dad for constantly reminding me to stay on top of my school work and pushing me to excel in the classroom. Lastly, I'd like to thank my teammates who have supported me in every game and every tournament, and I'd like to thank them for the comradery we've had these past four years. It is thanks to everyone who's been a part of my life these four years that I will be continuing my soccer career at Emory and Henry College.

Ryan's high school GPA is 4.4. As a result of excelling in the classroom, Ryan received \$20,000 in academic scholarships. Ryan plans to major in exercise science with a minor in psychology and then go onto grad school for physical therapy.

- Coach Marcello Manzano states the following: *Ryan loves to compete and it shows thru his workrate and passion for the game. These are traits that are important at the college level. I know he will be a key contributor to Emory and Henry because he can play multiple positions on the field. I am happy for Ryan and look forward to watching him play for Emory and Henry.*
- Coach Donnie Wheeler states the following: *Ryan is an extremely versatile player who knows the game and play all over the field and play each position well. I have been his coach for over 4 years and have seen him grow as a very good player and an even better young man. Ryan will have a positive impact on and off the field at Emory and Henry. I have been blessed to be his coach and to know him.*
- Jason Boyette and Jennie Kingman, Ryan's parents, state the following: *Ryan has been passionate about soccer ever since he started playing rec soccer at a young age. His love of the game, incredible work ethic, and determination to succeed have helped Ryan to become the talented, well rounded player he is today. Being a member of FSCI Phoenix has provided Ryan with an outstanding environment that has prepared him to take the next step and play at the collegiate level. Many thanks to Coach Marcello for his support, leadership, and for providing Ryan and his teammates with unique opportunity to participate in the college showcase tour. We are very proud of everything that Ryan has accomplished both on and off the field and are excited to continue watching him play as an Emory and Henry Wasp!*

About FSCI

FSCI is a youth soccer club based in Fredericksburg VA. Founded in 2009, the club offers a travel program, recreation program, training programs, and a college recruitment program that assists interested players.

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