Appositives

Directions: Read each sentence and underline the appositive phrase. Put commas in the sentences where they are needed.

1. My brother’s soccer team, the underdog, won the game.

2. The goalkeeper, the lead defender, wears padded gloves.

3. Uruguay, a South American country, hosted the first World Cup.

4. The World Cup, a global event, is held every four years.

5. Soccer, the world’s most popular game, is played by about half the people on Earth.