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Beds FA Headquarters

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*All Member Clubs must be represented at this meeting

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEETINGS 2020 / 2021**Thursday 8th October 2020****Thursday 5th November 2020****Thursday 3rd December 2020****Thursday 7th January 2021****Thursday 4th February 2021****Thursday 4th March 2021****Thursday 8th April 2021****Thursday 6th May 2021**

All meetings are held at Beds FA Headquarters,

Meetings commence at 7:00pm prompt

MANDATORY LEAGUE CLUB MEETINGS

Dates for Member club meetings are as follows:

Full Council Meeting*

Pre-season Full Council Meeting

Date, Venue & Format TBC

Full Council Meeting *

Monday 25th January 2021 (8:00 pm)

Flitwick Football Centre

Amphill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA

*All Member Clubs must be represented at these meetings

Please note that all meetings are liable to change based on Government Advice

LEAGUE CUP FINALS

(Under 15 to Under 11 League / Lower League / Plate)

Cup Final Super Sunday -**Sunday 9th May 2021****Barton Parish Council Playing Fields & Barton Rovers FC,****Barton-le-Clay****Times TBC**

(Under 18 and 17 League Cups)

Date and Times TBC

(Under 16 League Cup and Plate)

Date and Times TBC



THE FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION EQUALITY POLICY

The Association is responsible for setting the standards and values to apply throughout football at every level. Football is for everyone; it belongs to, and should be enjoyed by, anyone who wants to participate in it.

The aim of this Policy is to ensure that everyone is treated fairly and with respect and that The Association is equally accessible to all.

All Participants should abide and adhere to this Policy and to the requirements of the Equality Act 2010.

The Association's commitment is to promote inclusion and to confront and eliminate discrimination whether by reason of age, gender, gender reassignment, sexual orientation, marital status or civil partnership, race, nationality, ethnic origin, colour, religion or belief, ability or disability, pregnancy and maternity and to encourage equal opportunities.

This Policy is fully supported by the Board of The Association and the Director of Football Regulation and Administration is responsible for the implementation of this Policy.

The Association will ensure that it treats people fairly and with respect and that it will provide access and opportunities for all members of the community to take part in, and enjoy, its activities.

The Association will not tolerate harassment, including sexual harassment, bullying, abuse or victimisation of a Participant, which for the purposes of this Policy and the actions and sanction applicable is regarded as discrimination, whether physical or verbal. The Association will work to ensure that such behaviour is met with appropriate action in whatever context it occurs.

The Association commits itself to the immediate investigation of any allegation, when it is brought to their attention, of discrimination and where such is found to be the case, The Association will require that the practice stop and impose sanctions as appropriate.

The Association is committed to inclusion and anti-discrimination and raising awareness and educating, investigating concerns and applying relevant and proportionate sanctions, campaigning, achieving independently verified equality standards, widening diversity and representation and promoting diverse role models are all key actions to promote inclusion and eradicate discrimination within football.

July 2016



THE ASSOCIATION'S SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN POLICY

Every child or young person who plays or participates in football should be able to take part in an enjoyable and safe environment and be protected from abuse. This is the responsibility of every adult involved in football, thus every club is required to endorse and adhere to The Association's Safeguarding Children Policy.

The Association recognises its responsibility to safeguard the welfare of children and young people who play or participate in football by protecting them from abuse and harm. The Association is committed to working to provide a safe environment for all children and young people to participate in the sport to the best of their abilities for as long as they choose to do so.

The Association recognises that the terms 'child or young person', 'abuse' and 'harm' are open to interpretation and challenge but for the purpose of this Safeguarding Children policy they are defined as follows:

A child or young person shall be defined as:

'anyone who has not yet reached their 18th birthday.'

Abuse shall be defined as:

'a violation of an individual's human or civil rights by any other person or persons and, for the purposes of safeguarding children, shall include physical abuse, emotional abuse, sexual abuse, neglect, bullying and hazing.'

Harm shall be defined as:

'Ill treatment and forms of ill treatment (including sexual abuse and forms of ill-treatment which are not physical) and also the impairment of or an avoidable deterioration in physical or mental health and the impairment of physical, intellectual, emotional, social or behavioural development.'

'Harm' may be caused by acts of commission and acts of omission.

The Safeguarding Children Policy is supported by The Association's Respect programme to address verbal abuse and bullying of youngsters by parents and coaches on the sidelines. The Association's Safeguarding Children Policy principles are that:

- The child's welfare is, and must always be, the paramount consideration;
- All children and young people have a right to be protected from abuse regardless of their age, gender, disability, culture, language, race, faith, belief or sexual orientation;
- All suspicions and allegations of abuse will be taken seriously and responded to swiftly and appropriately; and
- Working in partnership with other organisations, children and young people and their parents and carers is essential.

The Association is committed to working in partnership with the Police, Children's Services Departments, Local Safeguarding Children's Boards (LSCB) and the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) in accordance with their procedures. This is essential to enable these organisations to carry out their statutory duties to investigate concerns and protect all children and young people.

The Association's Safeguarding Children Policy is in response to government legislation and guidance, developed to safeguard the welfare and development of children and young people.

Clubs and Leagues with youth teams must appoint a Welfare Officer in line with The Association affiliation requirements. A Club's Welfare Officer must sit on the management committee of that Club

All League and Club Welfare Officers are expected to abide by the Code of Conduct for volunteer Welfare Officers.



A. CODE OF CONDUCT FOR VOLUNTEER WELFARE OFFICERS

The role of the Welfare Officers is to:

1. Be clear about the Club's/League's responsibilities when running activities for children and young people
2. Help those actively involved with children and young people understand what their duty of care means on a day to day basis

As a Welfare Officer they will act as a role model to others in accordance with the roles and responsibilities of their position, in line with The Association's Rules and Regulations, the Respect codes of conduct for officials and the laws of the game.

In fulfilling the role they accept that within the role of Welfare Officer they will:

- Be child centered at all times and promote a fun safe environment for children and young people
- Follow all of the The Association's policies and in particular procedures for reporting safeguarding concerns including discrimination
- Act appropriately in all situations brought to their attention
- Champion Best Practice within their Club/League
- Communicate and positively engage with the CFA WO on all poor practice/safeguarding matters brought to the attention of CFA /The Association
- Attend meetings as reasonably required by the Club Committee, Youth League and CFA
- Manage and deal with poor practice issues in an appropriate and timely manner
- Ensure appropriate levels of confidentiality and data security are maintained at all times
- Implement and manage a responsible recruitment process in line with The Association's policy and procedures
- Attend continued personal development (CPD) opportunities as offered by their CFA and show a commitment to keeping their training up to date

If they do not follow the above code any/all of the following actions may be undertaken by their Club, League, County FA or The Association (This is not an exhaustive list):

- Required to meet with the Club/League Committee, YLWO or CFA WO
- Required to follow an action plan monitored by the YLWO/CFA WO
- Required to complete an FA education course
- Imposing a fine or suspension
- Required to leave the Club/League they represent
- Removed from role by the Club/League/County FA/The Association
- On appointment, all League and Club Welfare Officers agree to uphold the Code of Conduct for volunteer Welfare Officers and understand the actions that may be taken should they fail to act in accordance with the Code. In agreeing to fulfil the role they confirm that they meet the criteria outlined within The Association's Suitability Checklist for YLWO/CWOs.



B. WELFARE OFFICER PERSON SPECIFICATION AND SUITABILITY CHECKLIST

1. Person Specification -
 - Experience of dealing or working with young people
 - Knowledge and understanding of safeguarding children issues¹
 - A good communicator in a variety of situations with people from diverse backgrounds
 - Committed to and ability to abide by The Association Rules and Regulations and promote The Association's Respect programme and safeguarding children education
 - Empathy when dealing with individuals, sometimes in demanding situations
 - Ability to listen and assess situations fairly
 - Ability to handle confidential information sensitively and with integrity
 - Reasonable level of administration experience and how to deal with confidential documentation
 - Willingness to attend any in-service training facilitated by either The Association or the local County FA
2. Suitability Checklist -
 - Understanding of child protection issues and some knowledge of safeguarding legislation
 - Knowledge of and positive attitudes to equal opportunities
 - Willing and able to provide relevant current references
 - Previous experience of dealing or working with children
 - Commitment to treat all children as individuals and with equal concern
 - Physical health – appropriate to carry out tasks
 - Integrity and flexibility
 - At least 18 years of age
 - Completion of The Association's Criminal Records Checks (CRC) process and acceptance by The Association of the outcome
 - Understanding of the need for confidentiality when dealing with issues
 - Reasonable level of administration experience and how to deal with confidential documentation
 - Completion of The Association's Safeguarding Children Workshop and Welfare Officer Workshop
 - Willingness to update skills and knowledge and attend in-service training facilitated by The Association or the local County FA
 - Has agreed to and agree to abide by the Code of Conduct for volunteer Welfare Officers

NB - If anyone is known to be unsuitable to work with children his/her application should be refused by the Club/League. If in any doubt about an applicant contact your County FA Welfare Officer.



MORE INFORMATION AND FOOTNOTE REFERENCES

If you need any further advice or information please contact your County FA Welfare Officer who will be happy to help you. More information about the role of the Welfare Officer is available on www.thefa.com/football-rules-governance/safeguarding and clicking on Welfare Officer FAQs under the Welfare Officer section and also on the Respect pages under 'My Role' simply click on Welfare Officer.

1. This can be gained through The Association's Safeguarding Children Education Programme; see www.thefa.com/football-rules-governance/safeguarding for further information or speak to your County FA Welfare Officer.
2. The Association's Policy on CRCs has been amended in light of the Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 and the Protection of Freedoms Act 2012. For more information please visit www.thefa.com/football-rules-governance/safeguarding/criminal-records-checks or e-mail FAchecks@thefa.com or call 0845 210 8080.

Some people with a history of offending can still be considered for role in football that involve children. For more information please visit www.thefa.com/football-rules-governance/safeguarding/criminal-records-checks or e-mail FAchecks@thefa.com or call 0845 210 8080.

The Association reserves the right to prevent an individual from becoming a Welfare Officer or remaining as a Welfare Officer where it deems the individual does not meet the suitability criteria, or it reasonably believes there is another compelling reason why that individual is not suitable.



THE ASSOCIATION'S SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN REGULATIONS

PREAMBLE

This Preamble is provided for guidance. If there is any inconsistency between the Preamble and the operative parts of the Safeguarding Children Regulations below, the operative parts shall prevail.

As set out in The Association's Safeguarding Children Policy, The Association is committed to safeguarding children within football and has Case Management procedures in place to assess the suitability of individuals to be involved with children in football.

In assessing that suitability, children's welfare is the paramount consideration.

Towards this, The Association has the power under the Safeguarding Children Regulations to issue an order where any one or more of the following applies:

- (i) The individual fails to comply with any part of The Association's Criminal Records Check (CRC) process;
- (ii) The individual has been barred by the Independent Safeguarding Authority (ISA) or the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) from engaging in regulated activity relating to children;
- (iii) The individual has been disqualified from working with children under the Criminal Justice and Court Services Act 2000;
- (iv) The individual is subject to any other restriction on their involvement with children not within (ii) or (iii) made pursuant to statute;
- (v) The individual has been convicted of, or made the subject of a caution for, an "Offence" defined in Regulation 1.1; or
- (vi) Following a risk assessment, The Association is satisfied that the individual poses or may pose a risk of harm to children; or
- (vii) Following a risk assessment, The Association is satisfied that the individual is or was in a position of trust in relation to another person and has engaged in sexual activity and/or an inappropriate relationship with that person.

GENERAL

- 1.1 In these Regulations the expression "Offence" shall mean any one or more of the offences contained in the Schedules of the Criminal Justice and Court Services Act 2000 and any other criminal offence which reasonably causes The Association to believe that the person accused of the offence poses or may pose a risk of harm to a child or children.

The expression "position of trust" shall mean any position where an individual is in a relationship of trust with any person with responsibility and / or authority in relation to that person, and shall include without limitation those who care for, advise, supervise, train, coach, teach, manage, tutor, mentor, assess, develop, guide, treat or provide therapy to children and young people.
- 1.2 The Safeguarding Review Panel shall determine its own procedures save that in making findings of fact the test that the Safeguarding Review Panel shall apply shall be the civil standard of the balance of probability. Where a case is referred to the Safeguarding Review Panel pursuant to these Regulations it shall have the discretion to depart from the procedures set out in these Regulations where it considers it appropriate to do so.
- 1.3 The actions that may be taken under these Regulations by a Case Manager may also be taken by the Case Manager's nominee.
- 1.4 The Association may notify other parties of the terms of any order imposed under these Regulations where the Case Manager considers that such notification is appropriate in order to give effect to the terms of the order.



- 1.5 Where urgent cases arise under these Regulations the Chairman of the Safeguarding Review Panel may exercise the functions and powers of the Case Manager and/or the Safeguarding Review Panel, as provided for by these Regulations, on an interim basis. An interim decision taken by the Chairman of the Safeguarding Review Panel shall not be final until such time as it has been ratified by the Safeguarding Review Panel, which shall have the right to ratify, modify or make any other order as it considers appropriate in relation to the decision taken by the Chairman of the Safeguarding Review Panel.

THE ASSOCIATION'S SAFEGUARDING PROCESS

2. Any person, regardless of their age, applying for or currently in such a position that The Association in its discretion considers relevant must comply with the requirements of The Association's Safeguarding process.

Such persons will include but not be limited to:

- (i) Those in "Regulated Activity" as defined in Part V of the Protection of Freedoms Act 2012. An individual will fall within the definition where:

- (a) his/her duties include teaching, training, instructing, caring for, supervising or providing guidance or advice on wellbeing to Children or driving a vehicle (on behalf of an organisation) only for Children; and
- (b) such duties happen frequently (e.g. once a week or more often) or intensively (e.g. on 4 or more days in a 30 day period, or overnight); and
- (c) The individual carrying out any of the duties described in (a) and (b) above is unsupervised.

Any person falling within this Regulation 2(i) shall be referred to as a "Regulated Activity Person"; and

- (ii) Those who would otherwise fall within the definition of a Regulated Activity Person but for the fact that their duties are supervised (a "Supervised Person").

The requirements of The Association's Safeguarding process are:

- 2.1 (a) In respect of a Regulated Activity Person, to obtain and provide to The Association a DBS Enhanced Criminal Records Check with Children's Barred List
- (b) In respect of a Supervised Person, to obtain and provide to The Association a DBS Enhanced Criminal Records Check
- 2.2 To provide any such further detail, explanation or clarification of any part of the matters disclosed pursuant to Regulation 2.1 (a) or (b) above, as may be required by The Association;
- 2.3 To comply with any other request or requirement which may assist The Association in progressing or completing any investigation, risk assessment or other enquiry as part of the Safeguarding process;
- 2.4 Where required, to provide at least two references that attest to their suitability to be involved in youth football. The spouse or partner of the person subject to this requirement cannot act as a referee for this purpose. Any reference provided by a spouse or partner will not be accepted; and
- 2.5 To comply with each of the requirements set out in Regulations 2.1 – 2.4 within any such time limit as The Association may stipulate.
- 2.6 To comply with any order imposed by the Safeguarding Review Panel.

Any person who fails to comply with any of the requirements set out in Regulation 2 shall be subject to an immediate suspension from football activity, on such terms and/or for such period as The Association may stipulate.



Where an individual is subject to a suspension under Regulation 2.6, that suspension will remain effective (and not subject to any review by The Association) until such time as:

- (i) The individual successfully appeals against their suspension pursuant to Regulation 5; or
- (ii) The individual complies with the requirements set out in Regulation 2 that resulted in his or her suspension.

Any requirement under this Regulation 2, or any suspension arising from any failure to comply with any of the requirements of this Regulation, shall apply whether or not a person withdraws their application or ceases to hold the relevant position at any time before, during or after the investigation, risk assessment or final order of the Safeguarding Review Panel.

INTERIM ORDERS

3. Upon receipt by The Association of:
 - 3.1 Notification that an individual has been charged with an Offence;
 - 3.2 Notification that an individual is the subject of an investigation by the Police, Children's Services or any other authority relating to an Offence; or
 - 3.3 Any other information which causes The Association reasonably to believe that a person poses or may pose a risk of harm to a child or children,

The Association shall have the power to make any interim order including, but not limited to, issuing an interim suspension order suspending the individual from all or any specific football activity for such a period and on such terms and conditions as it considers appropriate. Interim orders shall be issued by the Case Manager, who shall provide the individual with written notification of the interim order, the reason(s) for its imposition and of the right of appeal pursuant to Regulation 6.

- 4.1 In determining whether an order under Regulation 3 should be made, the Case Manager shall give consideration, inter alia, to the following factors:
 - 4.1.1 Whether a child is or children are or may be at risk of harm;
 - 4.1.2 Whether the matters are of a serious nature; and/or
 - 4.1.3 Whether an order is necessary or desirable to allow the conduct of any investigation by The Association or any other authority or body to proceed unimpeded having regard to the need for any suspension order to be proportionate.

If the Association believes it requires further information from an individual in order to assess whether an order under Regulation 3 should be made and/or to properly assess the factors in Regulation 4.1, the Case Manager may request further information from that individual. Such information must be provided in accordance with the deadline set by the Case Manager.

- 4.2 The Case Manager will notify the individual in writing of the terms of any interim suspension order or other interim order, such notification to be sent by registered post to the individual's usual or last known address.
5. An individual who is subject to an interim order under Regulation 3 or under Regulation 2.6 shall have the immediate right to appeal the interim order.
6. Appeals under Regulation 5 shall be considered by the Safeguarding Review Panel.
7. To bring an appeal under Regulation 5, the individual as the appellant, must give notice in writing to The FA Judicial Services Department with a copy sent to the Case Manager. The notice must request an appeal and state the grounds for that appeal. The appellant may submit any written material in support of the appeal. Such material must be submitted to



- The Association, as the respondent, and the Safeguarding Review Panel within 14 days of giving such notice or it may not be considered by the Safeguarding Review Panel.
8. The Safeguarding Review Panel shall determine all procedural matters for the conduct of the appeal, including requiring more information from either the appellant or the respondent. Unless the Safeguarding Review Panel in its discretion exceptionally allows the appellant and the respondent to address it in person, the Safeguarding Review Panel shall only consider the written material submitted by the appellant in support of the appeal, together with any written material submitted by the respondent. In exercising its discretion as to whether exceptionally to allow the individual and the Case Manager to address it in person (whether through a representative or otherwise), whether that be as a result of the application made by the appellant or otherwise, the Safeguarding Review Panel shall give consideration to the following reasons (which is not an exhaustive list):
 - 8.1 Whether the terms of any order under consideration would affect the individual's paid employment within football, in which case, the appellant shall be entitled to address the Safeguarding Review Panel in person; and/or
 - 8.2 Whether exceptional material is put before the Safeguarding Review Panel.
 9. In determining an appeal, the Safeguarding Review Panel shall have the power to make any order in relation to the interim order as it considers appropriate, including ratifying, modifying or removing it.
 10. Any appeal under Regulation 5 shall be determined by the Safeguarding Review Panel at the earliest opportunity, following the receipt of notice in writing and any written material in support of the appeal from the appellant and written material submitted by the respondent (and, in cases where the individual and Case Manager were permitted to address it in person, following any oral hearing).
 11. All interim orders will be reviewed at the first opportunity following the expiry of 6 months from the date of the order being imposed or, if that order has been appealed under Regulation 5, the date upon which that appeal is determined (whether on the written papers or following an oral hearing), and at the same interval thereafter. The Safeguarding Review Panel will not review an interim order before the expiry of the relevant 6 month period except in exceptional circumstances and/or where there is a material change in the circumstances in which the order was made. Any review under Regulation 11 shall be considered by the Safeguarding Review Panel which conducted an appeal in the same case under Regulation 5. The Safeguarding Review Panel may maintain, modify, or remove any interim order, or make any other order it considers appropriate.
 12. The total period of an interim order under Regulation 3 shall not last beyond the final determination of any related case under the Rules of the Association. Where an interim order is imposed on an individual under Regulation 3 above, The Association shall bring and conclude any proceedings under the Rules of The Association against the person relating to the matters as soon as reasonably practicable.

DETERMINATION FOLLOWING ANY ORDER MADE PURSUANT TO STATUTE BARRING OR RESTRICTING INVOLVEMENT WITH CHILDREN

- 13.1 Where any individual is:
 - 13.1.1 Barred from regulated activity relating to children in accordance with section 3 of the Safeguarding Vulnerable Groups Act 2006 (as may be amended);
 - 13.1.2 Disqualified from working with children in accordance with section 35 of the Criminal Justice and Court Services Act 2000; and/or
 - 13.1.3 Subject to any other order, not within Regulations 13.1.1 or 13.1.2, issued pursuant to statute restricting their involvement with children,



The Association shall have the power to make any order, including but not limited to an order that any individual be suspended from all or any specific football activity for such period and on such terms and conditions as it considers appropriate. Any such order shall be issued by the Case Manager.

- 13.2 The Case Manager shall notify the individual in writing of the order and shall invite the individual to make any written representations within 14 days as to why the order should not be ratified by the Safeguarding Review Panel.
- 13.3 All such orders shall be reviewed at the next meeting of the Safeguarding Review Panel. In reviewing the order the Safeguarding Review Panel shall consider any written material submitted by the individual in accordance with Regulation 13.2, together with all written material submitted by the Case Manager. The Safeguarding Review Panel may ratify, modify or remove any such order, or make any other order as it considers appropriate.

ORDER FOLLOWING CONVICTION OR CAUTION

- 14.1 The Association's Safeguarding Review Panel shall have the power to make any order in respect of any individual convicted of, or made the subject of a caution in respect of, an Offence, including but not limited to a suspension from all or any specific football activity for such period and on such terms and conditions as it considers appropriate.
- 14.2 Where a case is to be considered by the Safeguarding Review Panel under Regulation 14.1, the Case Manager shall notify the individual in writing and shall invite the individual to make any written representations within 14 days.
- 14.3 Before making any order under Regulation 14.1, the Panel shall consider all information gathered in respect of an individual including, where applicable, information gathered pursuant to The Association's CRC process under Regulation 2, any written representations made by the individual under Regulation 14.2, together with all written material submitted by the Case Manager.

ORDER FOLLOWING RISK ASSESSMENT

15. In addition to The Association's powers under Regulations 2.6, 3, 13 and 14 the Safeguarding Review Panel shall have the power to make any order that it considers appropriate, including but not limited to an order that any individual be suspended from all or any specific football activity for such period and on such terms and conditions as it considers appropriate, if it is satisfied that the individual poses or may pose a risk of harm to a child or children and/or that the individual is or was in a position of trust in relation to any person and has engaged in sexual activity and/or an inappropriate relationship with that person.
16. Cases may be referred to the Safeguarding Review Panel in order to seek an order under Regulation 15 by the Case Manager where the Case Manager has reasonable cause to suspect that there are grounds for concern about an individual's continued participation in football activity involving a child or children.
17. The Case Manager shall reach this decision on the basis of a risk assessment of that individual's suitability for such participation. This risk assessment may be in such form and prepared by any person, as the Case Manager, at his/her discretion, considers appropriate.
18. Before a referral is made under Regulation 16, the Case Manager must use reasonable endeavours to notify the individual in writing. Such written notification must explain the order sought and the reason for it, and include a copy of the risk assessment and all other written material that the Case Manager intends to rely upon in seeking the order, save for any exceptional material dealt with under Regulation 24.



19. The individual shall have 14 days to reply to this notification and to provide any written material that he/she wishes the Safeguarding Review Panel to take into account in considering whether or not to impose any order under Regulation 15.
20. Following the receipt of the reply and/or other written material from the individual, or the expiry of the 14 day period if no reply is received, the Case Manager may:
 - 20.1 Decide that no further action is currently required as there are no longer grounds for a referral under Regulation 16;
 - 20.2 Make any such further inquiries as he or she considers appropriate in light of any matters raised by the individual in response to the written notification; or
 - 20.3 Refer the case to the Safeguarding Review Panel under Regulation 16.
21. Where further inquiries are made by the Case Manager, any written material arising from those inquiries may only be relied on by the Case Manager in applying for any order under Regulation 15 if that written material has been sent to the individual and he or she has had 14 days to reply to it, save for any exceptional material dealt with under Regulation 24. If the written material is relied upon, any response by the individual must also be considered by the Safeguarding Review Panel.
22. The Safeguarding Review Panel shall determine all procedural matters for the conduct of a case referred to it under Regulation 16. Unless the Safeguarding Review Panel in its discretion exceptionally allows the individual and the Case Manager to address it in person, the case shall be considered on the basis of the following written material only:
 - 22.1 The written notification and all written material provided with it by the Case Manager to the individual;
 - 22.2 The reply, if any, and all other written material submitted by the individual in response to the written notification;
 - 22.3 Any further written material provided by the Case Manager to the individual subsequently to the written notification; and
 - 22.4 Any response from the individual to such further written material and all other written material submitted with that response.
23. In exercising its discretion as to whether exceptionally to allow the individual and the Case Manager to address it in person, whether that be as a result of an application made by either party or otherwise, the Safeguarding Review Panel shall give consideration, inter alia, to the following factors:
 - 23.1 Whether the terms of any order under consideration would affect the individual's paid employment within football in which case the individual shall be entitled to address the Safeguarding Review Panel in person;
 - 23.2 Whether exceptional material is to be put before the Safeguarding Review Panel; and/or
 - 23.3 Whether an oral hearing has previously been conducted pursuant to Regulation 9 in relation to the same matter.

EXCEPTIONAL MATERIAL

- 24.1 In considering an interim order under Regulation 5, a review of any interim order under Regulation 11, or whether or not to make any order under Regulation 15, as a general rule the Safeguarding Review Panel may not consider any material provided by either the Case Manager or the individual which the other party has not seen and had a reasonable opportunity to reply to.
- 24.2 Exceptionally, in respect of any of the matters set out at Regulation 24.1, the Case Manager may make an application to an Exceptional Material Panel for permission to submit material to the Safeguarding Review Panel that has not been sent to the individual ("exceptional material"), where the Case Manager considers that the exceptional material



- concerned should not be sent to the individual for any one or more of the following reasons:–
- 24.2.1 Revealing it to the individual may create a risk of harm to any person or persons, and/or
 - 24.2.2 Revealing it to the individual may amount to a criminal offence or otherwise be unlawful.
- 24.3 Where the Case Manager makes an application to an Exceptional Material Panel for permission to submit exceptional material to the Safeguarding Review Panel under Regulation 24.2 above, the Case Manager shall give notice of the application to the individual in writing at least fourteen days before the Exceptional Material Panel considers the application, unless the Case Manager considers that such written notice should not be given, as to give such notice may in itself:
- 24.3.1 Create a risk of harm to any person or persons; and/or
 - 24.3.2 Amount to a criminal offence or otherwise be unlawful.
- 24.4 Any reply by an individual to a notice referred to in Regulation 24.3 must be passed to the Exceptional Material Panel for consideration.
- 24.5 The Exceptional Material Panel may, at its discretion, allow or reject the application in whole or in part.
- 24.6 In the event that the Exceptional Material Panel grants an order allowing the exceptional material to be submitted to the Safeguarding Review Panel, the Exceptional Material Panel shall give consideration as to whether either or both of the following may be provided to the individual:
- 24.6.1 A redacted version of the exceptional material; and/or
 - 24.6.2 A summary of the exceptional material.
- 24.7 An Exceptional Material Panel shall be made up of one or more of the members of the Safeguarding Review Panel. A person that sits on an Exceptional Material Panel determining an application under Regulation 24.2 in relation to a particular individual may not be a member of the Safeguarding Review Panel that will have conduct of the case referred under Regulation 16 in relation to that individual.

OTHER ORDERS AVAILABLE FOLLOWING RISK ASSESSMENT

25. Following a referral under Regulation 16, in addition to its ability to make an order under Regulation 15, the Safeguarding Review Panel may make any other order consistent with the aims of the Safeguarding Children Policy that it considers appropriate in the circumstances.

SUPERVISION ORDERS

26. Unless otherwise discharged, a Supervision Order will last for the length of time ordered by the Panel. Before its expiry, The Association may apply for an extension, or further extensions, for a period not exceeding 3 years from the date of the first order.

DISCRETION TO REFER TO THE SAFEGUARDING REVIEW PANEL

27. Any of the powers and/or case management functions exercised by a Case Manager under these Regulations may instead be exercised by the Safeguarding Review Panel if the Case Manager, in his or her sole discretion, determines that the matter should be referred to the Safeguarding Review Panel (“a general referral”). The Case Manager shall make a general referral to the Safeguarding Review Panel where the facts and circumstances of a case are exceptional and/or of significant public interest, though the Case Manager’s discretion to make a general referral will not be limited to such cases.



28. Where the Case Manager makes a general referral to the Safeguarding Review Panel, the same rights of review and appeal arise as if the decision of the Safeguarding Review Panel had been made by the Case Manager. Any review or appeal of the decisions of the latter will be heard by a Safeguarding Review Panel, none of the members of which shall have been a member of the Safeguarding Review Panel which was involved in any earlier decision on that case.

RIGHT OF APPEAL

- 29.1 A Participant or The Association may appeal to an Appeal Board any decision of the Safeguarding Review Panel made under Regulations 13.1.3, 14 or 15. Subject to Regulation 29.3 and 29.4, such appeals shall be conducted in accordance with Part C: Appeals Non-Fast-Track of the Disciplinary Regulations ("Appeal Regulations"). Subject to this right of appeal, decisions of the Safeguarding Review Panel shall be final and binding.
- 29.2 Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary in the Appeal Regulations, an Appeal Board convened to hear an appeal pursuant to Regulation 29.1 shall take place as a full rehearing of the case.
- 29.3 Paragraph 10 of the Appeal Regulations shall be replaced with the following: "The Appeal Board shall hear new evidence only where it has given leave that it may be presented. An application for leave to present new evidence must be made in the Notice of Appeal or the Response. Such application must set out the nature and the relevance of the new evidence, and why it was not presented at the original hearing. The Appeal Board shall not grant leave to present new evidence unless satisfied with the reason given as to why it was not, or could not have been, presented at the original hearing and that such evidence is relevant. The Appeal Board's decision shall be final. Where leave to present new evidence has been granted, in all cases the other party will be given an opportunity to respond"
- 29.4 Any decision of the Appeal Board shall be final and binding with no further right of appeal.

WRITTEN MATERIAL

30. For the purposes of these Regulations, "written material" may include photographic, video, electronic and/or audio evidence.



ATTENTION!

You are entering a



LEAGUE

By entering this player's zone you agree to the following:



- Players are number one
- Fun – not winning – is everything
- Fans only cheer, and coaches only coach
- No yelling in anger
- Respect the officials and referees
- No Swearing
- Refrain from smoking
- Leave no rubbish behind
- Set a proper example for our children

If you can agree to the above, we welcome you.

**IF NOT, WE ASK THAT YOU PLEASE LEAVE NOW.
YOUTH FOOTBALL – It's for the players!**



TOPIC GROUP	AGE	Under 11	Under 12	Under 13	Under 14	Under 15	Under 16	Under 17	Under 18
FORMAT		9v9	9v9	11v11	11v11	11v11	11v11	11v11	11v11
Player and team details									
Oldest DOB to qualify for age group		01/09/09	01/09/08	01/09/07	01/09/06	01/09/05	01/09/04	01/09/03	01/09/02
Youngest DOB to qualify for age group		31/08/11	31/08/10	31/08/09	31/08/08	31/08/07	31/08/06	31/08/05	31/08/05
Number of Substitutes that can be used		5 from 5 Named Substitutes							
Rolling Substitutes Allowed?		Yes							
Match details									
Normal League & League Cup Kick Off Times (Not Applicable to County Cups)		AM Matches 10:30am PM Matches 2:00pm Under 11, 12, 13 and 14 Age Groups Designated as AM Section; Under 15, 16, 17 and 18 Age Groups Designated as PM Section PM Cup Matches may kick off at different times (earlier through winter months) (Except where specified by Home Club prior to the start of the season & agreed by Management Committee) Matches in the Under 11,12, 13 & 14 sections may have flexible kick off times depending on pitch allocations							
Playing time (Played in 2 equal halves)		60 minutes		70 minutes		80 minutes		90 minutes	
If cup match is drawn - after regular time		Kicks from the penalty mark are taken							
If penalties for cup match		Best of 5, then sudden death							
Size of match ball to be used for all matches		4				5			
Bedfordshire County Cup		NO	NO	YES*	YES	YES*	YES	YES*	YES
Administrative details									
Minimum number of players needed to fulfil fixture		6 players (for 9v9 fixtures)				7 players (for 11v11 fixtures)			
Home team confirms fixture with opposition and referee		No later than 4 days before match (i.e. before Tuesday 9pm before Sunday game)							
Referee match fee (includes expenses)		£22	£22	£24	£24	£27	£27	£33	£33
Assistant Referee match fee (includes expenses)		£15		£15		£17		£20	
Reporting of Match Result on Match Day		Report in prescribed manner to fixture secretary							
Completion of Match Report		To be completed via online match report by 9pm on Tuesday following fixture							
Fixture Scheduling / Match Report Administration System		www.full-time.thefa.com							



Queries over General League Matters / Complaints / Appeals	Jonathan Brown – General Secretary – all correspondence to be made via club secretary				
Queries over Player Registrations to	Emma Vase – Player Registrations Secretary – please allow up to 7 days for registrations to be completed				
Queries over Player Transfers	Jonathan Brown – General Secretary – all correspondence to be made via club secretary				
Queries over AM Referee Allocations to	Steve Chamberlain (AM Referee Appointments Officer)				
Queries over PM Referee Allocations to	Brian Cooper (PM Referee Appointments Officer)				
Queries over Fixtures to	Tony Gee – Fixture Secretary				
Requests for Free Sundays	To be made in writing to Fixture Secretary, giving a Calendar Months' Notice				
Queries over Fines / levies to	Jane Brown – Treasurer				
Pitch sizes					
Pitch Dimensions (FA Guidelines) - Max (L x W) yards - Min (L x W) yards FA Suggested Pitch Size in Yards (L x W)	86 x 56 74 x 50 80 x 50	90 x 55 75 x 45 80 x 50	100 x 60 80 x 50 90 x 55	110 x 70 90 x 50 100 x 60	130 x 100 100 x 50 110 x 70
Goal Size (FA Guidelines) - Height ft - Width ft	7 16		7 21	8 24	



ADVICE TO SECRETARIES

- Familiarise yourself with the League Rules and ensure that all Directory changes etc. are noted and forwarded to your managers
- Ensure that your Club abides by the Rules to avoid your Club being fined for non-compliance
- When at home – (a) notify your opponents and referee giving full match details and whereabouts of your ground by 9pm on the Tuesday prior to the game – (b) telephone your result to the League
- When playing the County Cup or other Competition please ensure you telephone your result to the League – whether you are playing at Home or Away (Rule 11(B))
- Save your Club a fine by completing your result form in the prescribed manner following your match (Rule 11(a))
- Changes of Secretary, Address or Club Colours must be notified in writing to the League Secretary and County Secretary immediately
- Please do not telephone League Officers after 9:00 p.m.
- Pay all Fines and Dues promptly direct to the 'League Treasurer' and make cheques / postal orders payable to 'Chiltern Youth Football League' or pay via BACS
- Ensure your managers carry out all the responsibilities that you assign them
- Notify any changes to your Clubs details in the handbook to the General Secretary immediately
- Always give at least a Full Calendar Months notice if you require a "Free Sunday" – direct to the relevant Match Secretary (Rule 10(L))
- Obtain permission from your County F.A. Secretary to play "friendly matches"
- If in doubt – please ask the Hon. General Secretary – who will always be pleased to assist and advise if at all possible
- 16 trophies are awarded to league winners and runners-up (11v11 format). 14 trophies are awarded to league winners and runners-up (9v9 format). Additional trophies may be purchased from the League trophy supplier
- Address all other correspondence to the League General Secretary
- Your efficiency improves the League's efficiency - together we can run a successful League



ADVICE TO TEAM MANAGERS

- Confirm to your opponents and referee the match details by 9pm on the Tuesday prior to the match
- Ensure that when playing at home, your pitch is correctly prepared and marked in good time for the start of the match
- Home team must provide goal nets, corner flags, match balls & assistant referees' flags
- Footballs must be size 4 for U11 to U14, size 5 thereafter - have a spare ball available
- Inform your opponents where to change and supply liquid refreshments to match officials at half time
- Name your substitutes to the Referee before the start of the match
- Ensure that for every player in your squad you have available for inspection at all matches; their Certificate of Registration, endorsed by the League Registration Secretary or League General Secretary. Your opponents Manager (or their Representative) will have to inspect these at every match.
- Control your players at all times and respect your opponent's facilities, leaving changing rooms in a clean condition
- Control the behaviour of your spectators at all times
- If assigned duties by your Club Secretary, e.g. completing the Match Result Sheets, be sure to carry them out within the time laid out
- Don't forget when playing in outside Competitions (e.g. County Cup) you must submit a match report form to the League as well as the Competitions own form direct to them.
- Contact the Fixtures Secretary, by phone / e-mail as per rule(s)
- Make yourself fully conversant with League Rule 8 - Qualification of Players
- NOTE: It is your responsibility to ensure boys are playing within their correct age-group. Girls may play up to the Under 18 Section
- Transfers are obtained from League General Secretary (Refer - League Rule 8(1)). All Transfer business to be conducted by mail
- Youth football is for the enjoyment of the players and not for the glorification of adults – please remember that and set an example for all to follow



Services we provide:

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- Custom Engraving

Products we supply:

- School Uniforms
- Sportswear
- Workwear
- PPE
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⇒ **Competitive Pricing**



⇒ **Fast Delivery**



⇒ **Company Logo *Optional***



⇒ **Proof of Design *If Required***



Contact Information:

Telephone: 01582 883222

Email: sales@prestigedesignww.co.uk

Website: www.prestigedesignww.co.uk

Address: Unit 12, Barton Industrial Estate, Barton-Le-Clay, MK45 4RP



The Fixture & Referee Secretary Charter & Club Commitments

The team shall inform the Referee in the complete match details within the agreed time.

Do notify the fixtures and referees secretary immediately if your ground is unavailable

Do obtain a First Aid Kit – it is a League Rule that you have a First Aid Kit at every game.

Do ensure that visitors to your ground are given first consideration with regard to changing facilities and when using Council property please ensure it is respected

Do make someone responsible for Dressing Room security and wherever possible it is recommended that **NO VALUABLES** are left in Dressing Rooms

Teams shall welcome Referees before kick-off, and accompany them to dressing rooms.

Team shall present a Referee with correctly inflated match balls well before kick-off.

Teams shall ensure their Assistant Referee reports to the Referee well before kick-off.

Teams shall inform a Referee of substitute names in advance of kick-off (Rule 20(F))

Do make sure your matches kick-off on time

The Team shall provide the Referee with refreshment at both half-time and full-time.

The Team shall ensure their players refrain from using foul and abusive language and act in a proper manner.

The Team shall demand their officials and spectators act appropriately at all times, and refrain from any form of dissent.

The Team shall thank the Referee and his Assistants immediately after the match.

The Team shall pay the Referee after the game, and wish them a safe journey home.

When you are the “Home” Team or when you play home or away in any competition outside this League, please report your result to the competition involved and the League in the prescribed and timely manner

Please mark your referee fairly and base your mark on the criteria as shown below:

General Control: including confidence, satisfactorily dealing with major incidents

Application of Laws: including correctness of decisions, clear signals, good positioning, fitness and advantage

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Directory Of Clubs

2 Touch Football Academy



Secretary	Graham Cowley	T:01582 M:07970 E:2touchfutsal@gmail.com	658638 225512	County Affiliation No: W-BED1994
Under 14 Tigers	Graham Cowley Ground: Downside Recreation Ground, Suffolk Road, Dunstable, Beds, LU5 4ES Coaching Level: 2	T: 07970 225512 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: 2touchfutsal@gmail.com	M: 07970 225512	Colours: Home - Red/Red Away - Blue/Blue

AFC Dunstable



Secretary	David Airey	T:07736 M:07736352348 E:airey david@hotmail.com	352348	County Affiliation No: W-BED2100
Under 12	Gavin Newman Ground: Creasey Park Football Centre Creasey Park Dunstable Beds LU6 1BB Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: gav.newman78@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07878 667000	Colours: Blue / Blue / Blue
Under 12 Blues	Craig Green Ground: Creasey Park Football Centre Creasey Park Dunstable Beds LU6 1BB Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: green-c8@sky.com	M: 07864 050011	Colours: Blue / Blue / Blue
Under 12 Whites	Andrew Broughton Ground: Creasey Park Football Centre Creasey Park Dunstable Beds LU6 1BB Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: andrewbroughton@rocketmail.com	M: 07723 761162	Colours: Blue / Blue / Blue
Under 13	Roger Fox Ground: Creasey Park Football Centre Creasey Park Dunstable Beds LU6 1BB Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: r.fox@mdx.ac.uk	M: 07775 951767	Colours: Blue / Blue / Blue
Under 17	Carl Terry Ground: Creasey Park Football Centre Creasey Park Dunstable Beds LU6 1BB Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: carterry447@googlemail.com	M: 07534 457907	Colours: Blue / Blue / Blue

AFC Oakley



Secretary	Emma Vase	T: M:07876 405714 E:emma@afcoakley.co.uk	County Affiliation No: W-BED2018
Under 15 Blues	John Shears Ground: Lincroft New Field, New Field, Station Road, MK43 7RE Coaching Level: 1	T: 01234 364253 Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: johnshears@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07525 276316 Colours: Red / Blue

Amphill Town



Secretary	Eric Turner	T:01525 403128 M:07450 018848 E:789ericturmer@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2058
Under 11 Santos	Andrew Walsh Ground: Abbey Lane, Amphill, Bedfordshire MK45 2FX Coaching Level: 0	T: 07752 470820 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: WALSH_AJ@HOTMAIL.COM	M: 07752 470820 Colours: Yellow Shirts, Blue Shorts, Blue Socks

Aspley Guise

Secretary	Lindsay Webb	T:07834 966002 M:07834 966002 E:secretaries@aspleyguiseafc.co.uk	County Affiliation No: W-B&B3466
Under 15	Keith Holland Ground: Fulbrook Middle School, Weathercock Lane, Woburn Sands, Milton Keynes, MK17 8NP Coaching Level: 0	T: 07810 520792 Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: holland.12home@gmail.com	M: 07810 520792 Colours: White Shirts, Black Shorts, Black Socks

Astral Park Ballers

Secretary	Matt Weirich	T:07525 478211 M:07525 478211 E:weirich11@live.co.uk	County Affiliation No: W-BED2156
Under 12	Matt Weirich Ground: Astral Park Sports and Community Centre, Johnson Drive, Leighton Buzzard, LU7 4AY Coaching Level: 2	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: weirich11@live.co.uk	M: 07525 478211 Colours: Red and White Stripes, Red Shorts, Red Socks

Baldock Town Youth



Secretary	Jackie Marra	T: M:07985 691244 E:Secretary@baldocktyfc.co.uk	County Affiliation No: W-HER3563
Under 17 Templars	Ash Catlin Ground: Knights Templars Sports Centre, Weston Way, Baldock, SG7 6EY Coaching Level: 1	T: 01462 629433 Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: catlin_cricket@yahoo.com	M: 07760 490359 Colours: All Red

Barton Rovers Youth



Secretary	Will Allen	T: M:07843 913599 E:willallen230@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2039
Under 12	Simon Ridpath Ground: Barton Playing Fields, Luton Road, Barton-le-Clay. MK45 4LQ Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: simon.ridpath@hotmail.com	M: 07896 558532 Colours: Blue/Blue/Blue
Under 13	Graeme Beales Ground: Barton Playing Fields, Luton Road, Barton-le-Clay. MK45 4LQ Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: graemepasov@hotmail.com	M: 07968 741499 Colours: Blue/Blue/Blue
Under 15 Blues	Sean Annetts Ground: Barton Playing Fields, Luton Road, Barton-le-Clay. MK45 4LQ Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: sean.waterloo@gmail.com	M: 07803 035561 Colours: Blue/Blue/Blue
Under 15 Whites	Mark Webb Ground: Barton Playing Fields, Luton Road, Barton-le-Clay. MK45 4LQ. Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: 114webb@gmail.com	M: 07738 280714 Colours: Blue/Blue/Blue
Under 16	Will Allen Ground: Barton Playing Fields, Luton Road, Barton-le-Clay. MK45 4LQ. Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: willallen230@gmail.com	M: 07843 913599 Colours: Blue/Blue/Blue

Bedford FC Youth

Secretary	Nick Alexander	T:07368 655729 M:07368 655729 E:nickjwalexander@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2093
Under 14 Spitfires	Nick Alexander Ground: Great Denham Pavilion, Queen Eleanor Drive, Great Denham, MK40 4SQ Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: nickjwalexander@gmail.com	M: 07368 655729 Colours: Black & White stripes
Under 14 Hurricanes	Karl Johnson Ground: Great Denham Pavilion, Queen Eleanor Drive, Great Denham, MK40 4SQ Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Karl@number8homes.co.uk	M: 07841 204774 Colours: Black & White stripes

Bedford Football Academy

Secretary	Emma Mawer	T: M:07527 957278 E:bedfordfootballacademy@hotmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED1996
Under 11	Ground: Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E:	M: Colours:
Under 11	Cameron Mawer Ground: Mowsbury Park, Bedford Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Cameron2mawer@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07944 684782 Colours: Red Shirts / Navy Blue Shorts

Bedford Park Rangers



Secretary	Steve Southgate	T:01234 403966 M:07831 898574 E:srsouthgate@outlook.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2146
Under 12	Jonny Harris Ground: Bedford Borough Council Allocated Pitch Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Jonnyharris99@msn.com	M: 07543 033472 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 14	Ian Sussams Ground: Bedford Borough Council Allocated Pitch Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: iansussams@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07711 815291 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Blue Shorts

Bedford Park Rangers continued...



Under 17	Antonio Girardi Ground: Bedford Borough Council Allocated Pitch Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: girardiantonio18@gmail.com	M: 07511 782647 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 18	Steve Southgate Ground: Bedford Borough Council Allocated Pitch Coaching Level: 0	T: 01234 403966 Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: srsouthgate@outlook.com	M: 07831 898574 Colours: Blue & Yellow Shirts / Blue Shorts

Bedford Santos

Secretary	Matt Brinsden	T:01525 716267 M:07751 276648 E:mattieboybrinsden@hotmail.com	355022 888119 County Affiliation No: W-BED2003
Under 13	Connor Buckland Ground: Bedford Park, Bedford Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: connorbuckland8@gmail.com	M: 07983 503452 Colours: Yellow / Blue

Bedford Town FC (Youth Development)



Secretary	David Garner	T:01234 355022 M:07759 888119 E:d.garner336@btinternet.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2015
Under 18 Blues	Sean Canavan Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: sean_canavan@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07492 370624 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 18 Whites	Colin Merritt Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: info@marstoncar.co.uk	M: 07813 047026 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 16 Blues	Steven Goodman Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: steven.goodman@gmx.com	M: 07976 383823 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 14 Blacks	Roger Dickson Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: roger.dickson@btinternet.com	M: 07970 634366 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 13 Greys	Matthew Clifford-Simmons Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: matt@0606.co.uk	M: 07966 686726 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts

Bedford Town FC (Youth Development) continued...



Under 13 Whites	Giovanni Carofano Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: giannic30@gmail.com	M: 07879 773007 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 12 Blues	Sam Manners Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: samaldo1974@yahoo.co.uk	M: 07739 552977 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 11 Blues	Colin Souter Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: souter.whitbread@ntlworld.com	M: 07973 810056 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 11 Whites	Gary Pettengell Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: gaz800@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07940 245787 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts

Biggleswade United



Secretary	Tracey James	T: M: E: Tracey.james58@btinternet.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2033
Under 16	Pearse Hamilton Ground: Stratton Way Recreation Ground, Stratton Way, Biggleswade, SG18 0NS Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: Phamilton1906@gmail.com	M: 07956 687958 Colours: Red Shirts / Navy Blue Shorts

Blunham Youth



Secretary	Sandra Smith	T: M: 07885 867260 E: sandra.hoxey1@btinternet.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2049
Under 16	Mick Hodson Ground: Blunham Playing Fields, 36A Barford Road, Blunham, Bedfordshire MK44 3ND Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: mickhodsonbyfc@yahoo.co.uk	M: 07919 352227 Colours: Navy Blue & Yellow Shirts / Navy Blue Shorts
Under 11	Wayne Miller Ground: Blunham Playing Fields, 36A Barford Road, Blunham, Bedfordshire MK44 3ND Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: wayne351@yahoo.com	M: 07383 563488 Colours: Navy Blue & Yellow Shirts / Navy Blue Shorts

Brickhill Wanderers



Secretary	Mark Henson	T:01234 M:07799 E:markthedart@hotmail.com	302282 223370	County Affiliation No: W-BED2055
Under 11 Reds	Martin Henson Ground: Mowsbury Park, Bedford, MK41 8DQ. (Please note the pitches are located at the Kimbolton road end of the park).	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: martin-henson@sky.com	M: 07778 747774	Colours: Black & white Shirts / Black Shorts
Under 11 Tigers	Steve Phillips Ground: Mowsbury Park, Bedford, MK41 8DQ. (Please note the pitches are located at the Kimbolton road end of the park).	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Btfleet.sec@cwu-cctv.org	M: 07543 060287	Colours: Black & white Shirts / Black Shorts
Under 12	Kevin Henson Ground: Mowsbury Park, Bedford, MK41 8DQ. (Please note the pitches are located at the Kimbolton road end of the park).	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: khenson4@sky.com	M: 07707 788146	Colours: White & Black shirts / Black Shorts
Under 15	Mark Henson Ground: Mowsbury Park, Bedford, MK41 8DQ. (Please note the pitches are located at the Kimbolton road end of the park).	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: MARKTHEDART@HOTMAIL.COM	M: 07799 223370	Colours: White & Black shirts / Black Shorts

Bromham Youth AFC



Secretary	Nichola Martin	T:01234 M:07801 E:n.martin24@btinternet.com	822926 966041	County Affiliation No: W-BED2144
Under 13 Lions	Rebecca Stacey Ground: Bromham Village Hall Playing Fields, Village Road, Bromham, MK43 8JP	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: beckystacey13@hotmail.com	M: 07983 167719	Colours: Royal Blue/White Vertical Stripes Shirts / Royal Blue Shorts / Royal Blue Socks

Co-op Sports



Secretary	Richard Smith	T:01582 M:07828 E:coopgreenman@gmail.com	585845 784049	County Affiliation No: W-BED2065
Under 15	Gavin Smith Ground: Lothair Road Pavillion (behind Inspire Sports Village), Luton, LU2 8DD	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: gavin297@me.com	M: 07713 011741	Colours: Yellow Shirts / Royal Blue Shorts (home); Blue Shirts / Navy Blue Shorts (away)

Crawley Green Youth



Secretary	Ron Bates	T:01582 570118 M:07813 987663 E:ronbates65@yahoo.com	County Affiliation No:
Under 12 Hatters	Jack Graham Ground: CGSSC Crawley Green Road, Luton LU2 9AG Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: jack.elliott.graham@gmail.com	M: 07769 549705 Colours: Maroon Shirts / Maroon Shorts
Under 13 Cubs	Gary Davis Ground: CGSSC Crawley Green Road, Luton LU2 9AG Coaching Level: 2	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: crawleygreencubs@gmail.com	M: 07751 099288 Colours: Maroon Shirts / Maroon Shorts
Under 13 Panthers	Richard Jones Ground: CGSSC Crawley Green Road, Luton LU2 9AG Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: rich_mjones@hotmail.com	M: 07710 558294 Colours: Maroon Shirts / Maroon Shorts
Under 15 Pumas	James Sherlock Ground: CGSSC Crawley Green Road, Luton LU2 9AG Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: jtsherlock@gmail.com	M: 07917 773047 Colours: Maroon Shirts / Maroon Shorts
Under 16 Saints	Nick Rands Ground: CGSSC Crawley Green Road, Luton LU2 9AG Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: nickrands@live.co.uk	M: 07545 066170 Colours: Maroon Shirts / Maroon Shorts

Dunstable Town



Secretary	Kristy Lewington	T: M:07928 895557 E:kristy.dunstabletownfc@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2097
Under 11 Phoenix	Wayne Upton Ground: Creasey Park Football Centre Creasey Park Dunstable Beds LU6 1BB Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: wayne_upton@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07591 700352 Colours: Blue Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 11 Whites	Richard Hardy Ground: Creasey Park Football Centre Creasey Park Dunstable Beds LU6 1BB Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: richardhardy69@hotmail.com	M: 079201 708837 Colours: Blue Shirts / Blue Shorts

Dunstable Town continued...



Under 13 Lions	Gary Rogers Ground: Creasey Park Football Centre Creasey Park Dunstable Beds LU6 1BB Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: garyrogers11@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07535 126238 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 13 Tigers	Karl Clarke Ground: Creasey Park Football Centre Creasey Park Dunstable Beds LU6 1BB Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: graphiclements@yahoo.co.uk	M: 07921 720652 Colours: Blue Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 16 Whites	Kerry Iles Ground: Creasey Park Football Centre Creasey Park Dunstable Beds LU6 1BB Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: kerryileswork@hotmail.com	M: 07545 999160 Colours: Blue Shirts / Blue Shorts

Dunstable Town Youth



Secretary	Alan Barker Coaching Level: 1	T:01582 895488 M:07799 884715 E:alan.barker2@ntlworld.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2186
Under 11 Blues	Christopher Tompkins Ground: Millvale School, Wilbury Drive, Dunstable LU5 4QP Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: christopher_tompkins@sky.com	M: 07539 079765 Colours: Blue and White Hoops / Blue Shorts
Under 11 Lions	Jack Jones Ground: Millvale School, Wilbury Drive, Dunstable LU5 4QP Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: jack_jm21@hotmail.com	M: 07903 882245 Colours: Blue and White Hoops / Blue Shorts
Under 11 Panthers	Matt Goode Ground: Beecroft Lower School, Westfield Road, Dunstable, Bedfordshire LU6 1DW Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: mattgoode@Mail.com	M: 07974 711916 Colours: Blue and White Hoops / Blue Shorts
Under 11 Tigers	Robert Coote Ground: Beecroft Lower School, Westfield Road, Dunstable, Bedfordshire LU6 1DW Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: robbiecoote@aol.com	M: 07899 881686 Colours: Blue and White Hoops / Blue Shorts
Under 12 Blues	Alan Barker Ground: Beecroft Lower School, Westfield Road, Dunstable, Bedfordshire LU6 1DW Coaching Level: 2	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: alan.barker2@ntlworld.com	M: 07799 884715 Colours: Blue and White Hoops / Blue Shorts

Dunstable Town Youth continued...



Under 12 Whites	<p>Becky Burman Ground: Millvale School, Wilbury Drive, Dunstable LU5 4QP</p> <p>Coaching Level: 0</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: harrypotta@msn.com</p>	<p>M: 07853 172515 Colours: Blue and White Hoops / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 13	<p>Steve Lomas Ground: Millvale School, Wilbury Drive, Dunstable LU5 4QP</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: lomas2006@hotmail.co.uk</p>	<p>M: 07505 974301 Colours: Blue and White Hoops / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 14 Blues	<p>Steve Chappell Ground: Millvale School, Wilbury Drive, Dunstable LU5 4QP</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: stec212212@yahoo.co.uk</p>	<p>M: 07784 904257 Colours: Blue and Red Stripes / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 15	<p>Michael Nutkins Ground: Millvale School, Wilbury Drive, Dunstable LU5 4QP</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: mnutkins@hotmail.co.uk</p>	<p>M: 07908 467358 Colours: Blue and White Hoops / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 16	<p>Trevor Saunders Ground: Millvale School, Wilbury Drive, Dunstable LU5 4QP</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: trevorsilky1@aol.com</p>	<p>M: 07881 273156 Colours: Blue & White Hoops / Blue</p>
Under 17 Oranges	<p>Eddie Sheehy Ground: Ashton St Peter Lower School, West Parade, Dunstable</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: mr_sheehy@yahoo.co.uk</p>	<p>M: 07884 321120 Colours: Blue and White Hoops / Blue</p>
Under 17 Whites	<p>Rob Slater Ground: Ashton St Peter Lower School, West Parade, Dunstable</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: rob.slater@gmail.com</p>	<p>M: 07901 881535 Colours: Blue & white hoops / Blue</p>

Dunstable United

Secretary	Donna Furnell	T:07926 128916 M:07926 128916 E:donnafulnell.dufc@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2154
Under 12 Dragons	Bradley Abrahams Ground: Peter Newton Pavilion, Skimpot Road, Dunstable LU5 4JU	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: bradley.abrahams@gmail.com	M: 07922 341397 Colours: Red Shirts / Black Shorts
Under 12 Reds	Jamie Furnell Ground: Peter Newton Pavilion, Skimpot Road, Dunstable LU5 4JU	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: jamiefurnell.dufc@gmail.com	M: 07926 128917 Colours: Red Shirts / Black Shorts
Under 13 Reds	Lee Flecknell Ground: Peter Newton Pavilion, Skimpot Road, Dunstable LU5 4JU	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E:	M: 07921 560276 Colours: Red Shirts / Black Shorts

Flitwick Eagles



Secretary	Melvyn Gazeley	T:01525 714948 M:07787 503371 E:mrgazeley@btinternet.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2147
Under 11 Blue	Wesley Randle Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Amphill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: wbrandle@gmail.com	M: 07736 283796 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 11 Gold	James Dolling / Warren Darvall Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Amphill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA	T: 07772 884454 (James) Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: jrdolling@hotmail.co.uk / warren_darvall@hotmail.com	M: 07706 296100 (Warren) Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 11 Red	John McNeil Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Amphill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: mcneil2020@btinternet.com	M: 07455 961067 Colours: Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 11 Stripes	Dene Walsh Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Amphill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: dene@denepaulwalsh.co.uk	M: 07870 700049 Colours: Blue and White Stripes

Flitwick Eagles continued...



Under 12 Blue	<p>James Robinson Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Ampthill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA</p> <p>Coaching Level: 0</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: james.robinson1978@hotmail.com</p>	<p>M: 07410 988978 Colours: Blue & White Stripes</p>
Under 12 Gold	<p>James Prestwich Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Ampthill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA</p> <p>Coaching Level: 0</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: jprestwich1@gmail.com</p>	<p>M: 07368 435436 Colours: Blue & White Stripes</p>
Under 12 Red	<p>Steven Headland Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Ampthill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA</p> <p>Coaching Level: 0</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: steven.headland27@gmail.com</p>	<p>M: 07708 045841 Colours: Blue & White Stripes</p>
Under 13 Blue	<p>Aaron Fehr Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Ampthill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire, MK45 1BA</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: aaronfehr@hotmail.co.uk</p>	<p>M: 07871 667350 Colours: Blue and White Stripes</p>
Under 13 Gold	<p>Ben Newell Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Ampthill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire, MK45 1BA</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: bennewell@hotmail.co.uk</p>	<p>M: 07766 360755 Colours: Blue and White Stripes</p>
Under 13 Red	<p>Gavin Hayhurst Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Ampthill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: gav_in_bali@hotmail.com</p>	<p>M: 07762 057619 Colours: Blue and White Stripes</p>
Under 13 Stripes	<p>Ben Coulter Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Ampthill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: b.coulter1@yahoo.com</p>	<p>M: 07732 527634 Colours: Blue and White Stripes</p>
Under 14 Stripes	<p>Steve Cleaver Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Ampthill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire, MK45 1BA</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: 01234 959467 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: steve.cleaver@hotmail.co.uk</p>	<p>M: 07940 069206 Colours: Blue and White Stripes</p>
Under 14 White	<p>Steve Farr Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Ampthill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire, MK45 1BA</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: s-farr@sky.com</p>	<p>M: 07470 657162 Colours: Blue and White Stripes</p>

Flitwick Eagles continued...



Under 15 White	Dave Bunker Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Amphill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: bunksdavid1980@gmail.com	M: 07717 606812 Colours: Blue & White / Blue
Under 16 Blue	Dene Walsh Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Amphill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: dene@denepaulwalsh.co.uk	M: 07870 700049 Colours: Blue & White / Blue
Under 16 White	Geoff Springall Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Amphill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: geoff4355@sky.com	M: 07503 881077 Colours: Blue & White / Blue
Under 18 Gold	Steve Tatlow Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Amphill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: steve.tatlow@yahoo.com	M: 07595 279705 Colours: Blue & White / Blue
Under 18 White	Ben Canning Ground: Flitwick Football Centre, 100 Amphill Road, Flitwick, Bedfordshire MK45 1BA Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: bencanning10@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07549 653896 Colours: Blue & White / Blue

Heeland Rangers



Secretary	Lucy Evans	T: M:07506 791995 E:lucyheelandsrangers@outlook.com	County Affiliation No: W-B&B3316
Under 16 Blue	Royston West Ground: Heelands Pavilion, Ravensgill Court, Langcliffe Drive, Heelands, Milton Keynes MK13 7EX Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: royston_west@hotmail.com	M: 07598 438779 Colours: Blue Shirts / Blue Shorts

Houghton Athletic



Secretary	Nicky Fearn	T:01582 538279 M:07533 161574 E:nicky.fearn17@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2091
Under 11	Neil Fearn Ground: Parkside Drive, Houghton Regis LU55RA Coaching Level: 0	T: 01582 538279 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: neilfearn@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07846 768230 Colours: Blue Shirts / Black Shorts

Houghton Hatters

Secretary	Viki Kavanagh	T:07709 790648 M:07709 790648 E:houghtonhattersfc@hotmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2083
Under 13	Luke Sheppard Ground: Parkside Drive, Houghton Regis LU5 5RA Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: luke_boo2@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07974 584761 Colours: Maroon Shirts / Maroon Shorts

Inspire Athletic

Secretary	Howard McCalla	T:07973 403968 M:07973 403968 E:secretary@inspireathleticfc.co.uk	County Affiliation No: W-BED2175
Under 13 Dragons	Tia Fleming Ground: Inspire Sports Village, Butterfield Green Road, Luton, LU2 8DD Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Tiafleming96@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07951 753238 Colours: White with Black & Yellow Shirts / Black Shorts

Internationale Real

Secretary	Nico Paolini	T: M:07926 831587 E:nicopaolini@hotmail.com	County Affiliation No:
Under 18	Nico Paolini Ground: Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: nicopaolini@hotmail.com	M: 07926 831587 Colours: Purple Shirts / Purple Shorts

Kempston Rovers Colts



Secretary	Alison McLaren	T: M:07776 117643 E:Alison.mclaren@kempston-rovers.co.uk	County Affiliation No: W-BED2101
Under 11 Jaguars	David Cupit Ground: Addison Howard Park, Bedford, MK42 8PN Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: david.cupit@kempston-rovers.co.uk	M: 07572 080385 Colours: Red/White stripe / Black Shorts
Under 11 Panthers	Stuart Anese Ground: Addison Howard Park, Kempston, Bedford, MK42 8PN Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: s.anese@yahoo.co.uk	M: 07469 204592 Colours: Red/White stripe / Black Shorts
Under 12 Lions	Matt Barratt Ground: Addison Howard Park, Kempston, Bedford, MK42 8PN Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: matt@bedfordtimbersupplies.co.uk	M: 07515 098569 Colours: Red/White stripe / Black Shorts
Under 12 Panthers	Jason Angol Ground: Addison Howard Park, Kempston, Bedford, MK42 8PN Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Mailjase78@gmail.com	M: 07956 398887 Colours: Red/White stripe / Black Shorts
Under 12 Tigers	Lee Bevan Ground: Addison Howard Park, Kempston, MK42 8PN Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Leebevan1982@gmail.com	M: 07510 821165 Colours: Red/White stripe / Black Shorts
Under 13 Pumas	Lee Meekins Ground: Hillgrounds, Kempston MK42 8SZ Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Leemeekins@googlemail.com	M: 07738 069097 Colours: Red/White stripe / Black Shorts
Under 13 Tigers	Steven Hubble Ground: Hillgrounds, Kempston MK42 8SZ Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Hubbleuk@gmail.com	M: 07846 471018 Colours: Red/White stripe / Black Shorts
Under 15 Panthers	David Ashton Ground: Hillgrounds, Kempston MK42 8SZ Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: Davidashtnone@gmail.com	M: 07468 522253 Colours: Red/White stripe / Black Shorts
Under 15 Pumas	Chris Donovan Ground: Hillgrounds, Kempston MK42 8SZ Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: chris.donovan@bt.com	M: 07740 939109 Colours: Red/White stripe / Black Shorts

Kempston Rovers Colts continued...



Under 16 Tigers

Kevin Sutton
Ground: Hillgrounds, Kempston
MK42 8SZ

T:
Kick off: 2.00pm
CRB Approved
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M: 07423 177611
Colours: Red/White stripe / Black
Shorts

Coaching Level: 1

Leighton Town Youth



Secretary

Nick Freeman

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County Affiliation No:

Under 11

Gareth Griffiths
Ground: Astral Park, Johnson Drive,
Leighton Buzzard, LU7 4QR

T:
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
E: gareth.griffiths@ltyfc.org.uk

M:
Colours: Red & White / Red / Red

Coaching Level: 1

Under 12

Nick Shearman
Ground: Astral Park, Johnson Drive,
Leighton Buzzard, LU7 4QR

T:
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
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M: 07710 476964
Colours: Red & White / Red / Red

Coaching Level: 1

Under 14 Reds

Matthew Robinson
Ground: Astral Park, Johnson Drive,
Leighton Buzzard, LU7 4QR

T:
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
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M: 07793 798196
Colours: Red & White / Red / Red

Coaching Level: 1

Under 14 Stripes

Paul Scott
Ground: Astral Park, Johnson Drive,
Leighton Buzzard, LU7 4QR

T:
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
E: paul.scott@ltyfc.org.uk

M: 07909 251848
Colours: Red & White / Red / Red

Coaching Level: 1

Under 16

Gary Sayell
Ground: Vandyke Upper School,
Leighton Buzzard

T:
Kick off: 2.00pm
CRB Approved
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M: 07957 710439
Colours: Red & White / Red / Red

Coaching Level: 1

Leighton United



Secretary

Chris Haybittle

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County Affiliation No: W-BED2076

Under 11 Blues

Paul Redsull
Ground: Leighton United FC,
Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth,
Bedfordshire LU7 9PL

T: 01525 211792
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
E: paulredsull@hotmail.com

M: 07712 531863
Colours: Navy blue and yellow / Blue
Shorts

Coaching Level: 1

Leighton United continued...



Under 11 Reds	<p>Paul Flynn Ground: Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, Bedfordshire LU7 9PL</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: 01525 211792 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: paul.flynn@tedgroup.com</p>	<p>M: 07587 034599 Colours: Navy blue and yellow / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 12	<p>Daniel Francis Ground: Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, Bedfordshire LU7 9PL</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: 01525 211792 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: danielfrancis385@outlook.com</p>	<p>M: 07854 018186 Colours: Navy blue and yellow / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 13 Blues	<p>Joe Levien Ground: Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, Bedfordshire LU7 9PL</p> <p>Coaching Level: 2</p>	<p>T: 01525 211792 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: jlvfootball74@gmail.com</p>	<p>M: 07956 329901 Colours: Navy blue and yellow / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 13 Greens	<p>Daniel Feakes Ground: Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, Bedfordshire LU7 9PL</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: 01525 211792 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: feakesy15@gmail.com</p>	<p>M: 07368 657300 Colours: Navy blue and yellow / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 13 Reds	<p>Steve Baggaley Ground: Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, Bedfordshire LU7 9PL</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: 01525 211792 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: baggaley656@btinternet.com</p>	<p>M: 07528 681611 Colours: Navy blue and yellow / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 14 Reds	<p>Charlie Cooper Ground: Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, Bedfordshire LU7 9PL</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: 01525 211792 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: charlie.l.cooper@outlook.com</p>	<p>M: 07538 332336 Colours: Navy blue and yellow / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 15 Blues	<p>Andrew Parker Ground: Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, Bedfordshire LU7 9PL</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: 01525 211792 Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: andrewsparker2010@gmail.com</p>	<p>M: 07506 828536 Colours: Navy blue and yellow / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 15 Reds	<p>Adam Raspas Ground: Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, Bedfordshire LU7 9PL</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: 01525 211792 Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: adamraspass8@gmail.com</p>	<p>M: 07720 374254 Colours: Navy blue and yellow / Blue Shorts</p>
Under 17 Blues	<p>Roy Huntley Ground: Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, Bedfordshire LU7 9PL</p> <p>Coaching Level: 1</p>	<p>T: 01525 211792 Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: roy@thehuntleys.com</p>	<p>M: 07973 657479 Colours: Navy blue and yellow / Blue Shorts</p>

Leighton United continued...



Under 18 Blues

Matt Collins
Ground: Care of Dunstable Cricket
Club Lancot Park, Totternhoe,
Dunstable LU6 1QP Venue Tel: 01582
6637335

T: 01525 211792
Kick off: 2.00pm
CRB Approved
E: mattacollins@sky.com

M: 07540 739733
Colours: Navy blue and yellow / Blue
Shorts

Coaching Level: 2

Linslade Galaxy



Secretary

David Oatley

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County Affiliation No:

Under 14 Racing

Dan Goldsmith
Ground: Astral Park, Johnson Drive,
Leighton Buzzard, Bedfordshire LU7 4QR

T:
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
E: dangoldsmith.lgfc@gmail.com

M: 07734 245645
Colours: Green & Blue Stripes / Blue
Shorts

Coaching Level: 0

Luton Allstars



Secretary

Praviz Khan

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County Affiliation No: W-BED2028

Under 11
Thundercats

Zeb Ahmed
Ground: Bishopsote Road
Recreation Ground, Luton,
Bedfordshire LU3 1PE

T:
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
E: zeb.ahmed@hotmail.com

M: 07958 146619
Colours: Red & Navy Stripes / Navy
Shorts

Coaching Level: 0

Under 12 Hawks

Sirfraz Khan
Ground: Bishopsote Road
Recreation Ground, Luton,
Bedfordshire LU3 1PE

T:
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
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M: 07946 845505
Colours: Red & Navy Stripes / Navy
Shorts

Coaching Level: 0

Luton Bulls

Secretary

Andy Johnstone

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County Affiliation No: W-BED1965

Under 13

Andy Johnstone
Ground: Icknield Park Recreation
Ground, Luton, Bedfordshire LU3 2JT

T: 07748 582294
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
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M: 07748 582294
Colours: White Shirts / White Shorts

Coaching Level: 1

Luton Celtic Youth



Secretary	Jamie MacDonald	T: M:07711 087703 E:jay4macuk@yahoo.co.uk	County Affiliation No: W-BED2031
Under 14	Richard Insley Ground: Queensbury Academy, Langdale Road, Dunstable, Bedfordshire LU6 3BU Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: insleyr@googlemail.com	M: 07803 167895 Colours: Green & White Hoops / Green

Luton Nations Community

Secretary	Leon Divney	T:07484 826054 M:07484 826054 E:leondivney@hotmail.co.uk	County Affiliation No:
Under 13	Leon Divney Ground: Leagrave Park, Luton Coaching Level: 2	T: 07484 826054 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: leondivney@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07484 826054 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Blue Shorts
Under 15	Leon Divney Ground: Lea Manor Recreation Centre, Northwell Drive, Luton, LU3 3TX Coaching Level: 2	T: 07484 826054 Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: leondivney@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07484 826054 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Blue Shorts

Luton Sporting Club



Secretary	Giuseppe Fierro	T: M:07917 633361 E:lutonsportingclub@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2192
Under 14	Darren Johnson Ground: Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Darrenjohnson59@gmail.com	M: 07747 863997 Colours: Red Shirts / Red Shorts

Luton Turk Rangers

Secretary	Kerem Caglar	T: M:07837 423889 E:kcaglar29@googlemail.com	County Affiliation No:
Under 14	Hasan Yagiz Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Hasanyagiz_1983@hotmail.com	M: 07576 301100 Colours: Red Shirts / Black Shorts

M&DH Clapham Sports



Secretary	Payal Khandelwal T: 07989 557376 E: claphamsportsfc@hotmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2080
Under 11	Michael Sunley Ground: King George V Playing Field Clapham MK41 6BS Coaching Level: 1	T: 07534 860293 M: 07534 860293 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Green Shorts CRB Approved E: MIKESUNLEY76@GMAIL.COM
Under 12	Barrington Morgan Ground: King George V Playing Field Clapham MK41 6BS Coaching Level: 1	T: 07477 366001 M: 07477 366001 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Green Shorts CRB Approved E: BARRINGTONMORGAN@HOTMAIL.CO.UK
Under 13	Tom Copeland Ground: King George V Playing Field Clapham MK41 6BS Coaching Level: 1	T: 07919 464729 M: 07919 464729 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Green Shorts CRB Approved E: italventus@hotmail.co.uk
Under 14	Wayne Tyrrell Ground: King George V Playing Field Clapham MK41 6BS Coaching Level: 1	T: 07751 237773 M: 07751 237773 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Green Shorts CRB Approved E: Waynedtyrrell@hotmail.com
Under 15	Mark Gamble Ground: King George V Playing Field Clapham MK41 6BS Coaching Level: 1	T: 07588 716315 M: 07588 716315 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Green Shorts CRB Approved E: E.gamble@sky.com
Under 18	Phil Hedley Ground: King George V Playing Field Clapham MK41 6BS Coaching Level: 1	T: 07715 385675 M: 07715 385675 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Green Shorts CRB Approved E: Hedders11@hotmail.co.uk

Markyate Youth

Secretary	Sandra Prior T: 01582 842019 M: 07450 148466 E: pssc6chevcl@aol.com	County Affiliation No: W-HER3515
Under 12	Adam Jones / Ben Wilson Ground: Markyate Cricket & Football Club, Cavendish Road, Markyate, Herts. AL3 8PT Coaching Level: 0	T: 07874 065445 / 07975 712642 M: 07874 065445 / 07975 712642 Colours: Red & Black / Black / Black CRB Approved E: adamjones6464@gmail.com

Markyate Youth continued...

Under 14	Bernie Harrison Ground: Markyate Cricket & Football Club, Cavendish Road, Markyate, Herts. AL3 8PT Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: bernieharrison@hotmail.com	M: 07887 641435 Colours: Red Shirts / Black Shorts
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Maulden Magpies



Secretary	Andy Carr Coaching Level: 0	T: M:07852 970289 E:andy.carr@fascel.co.uk	County Affiliation No: W-BED2182
Under 12 Blacks	Andy Carr Ground: The Brache, Maulden, Bedfordshire MK45 2DR Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: andy.carr@fascel.co.uk	M: 07852 970289 Colours: Black and White Checks / Black Shorts
Under 12 Whites	Guljar Lehr / Wayne Cooper Ground: The Brache, Maulden, Bedfordshire MK45 2DR Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: gslshri@hotmail.com / Koptecoops@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07887 788665 / 07834 446 904 Colours: Black and White Checks /Black Shorts
Under 16	Neil Richards Ground: Wrest Park , Silsoe, Bedfordshire MK45 4HR Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: neil.richards@enson.co.uk	M: 07917 897778 Colours: Black and White Checks / Black Shorts

Meltis Rangers

Secretary	Hardeep Singh Chana Coaching Level: 1	T:01234 M:07943 E:hardeep.chana11@gmail.com	345485 233595	County Affiliation No: W-BED2029
Under 11	Amrit Singh Bains Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Amritsinghbains123@hotmail.com	M: 07763 873406 Colours: Orange & Black Stripes / Black Shorts	

Mid Beds Tigers



Secretary	Karen Hemmings Coaching Level: 0	T:01767 M:07403 E:midbedstigers@gmail.com	681796 479069	County Affiliation No: W-BED2172
Under 14	Tony Norman Ground: Sandy Secondary School, Engayne Avenue, Sandy, Bedfordshire SG19 1BL Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: stormin1978@icloud.com	M: 07889 796209 Colours: Orange / Black Shorts	

MK Athletic

Secretary	Nick Reeve	T:07958691561 M:07958691561 E:miltonkeynesathleticfc@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-B&B3261
Under 15 Cobras	Lee Ahern Ground: Kents Hill Park Secondary School, Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire MK7 6BZ Coaching Level: 0	T: 07474204903 Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: lee.ahern9@gmail.com	M: 07474204903 Colours: Red / White Shirts / Red Shorts

New Bradwell St Peter



Secretary	Tasmin Ferguson	T: M:07936 466060 E:t.ferguson1989@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-B&B3449
Under 17	Craig Pirie Ground: New Bradwell Sports Club, Bradwell Road, Bradville, Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire MK13 7JH Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: craig.pirie1608@btinternet.com	M: 07595 434562 Colours: Maroon Shirts / Sky Blue Shorts

Newport Pagnell Town



Secretary	Julie Ford	T: M:07736 469943 E:registrations@nptfc.co.uk	County Affiliation No: W-B&B3478
Under 14 Lions	James McNeaney Ground: Willen Road, Newport Pagnell, MK16 0DF Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: JMCNEANEY@HOTMAIL.CO.UK	M: 07808 030643 Colours: Green & White / White / Green
Under 15 Lions	Helen Nixon Ground: Willen Road, Newport Pagnell, MK16 0DF Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: Helennixon75@yahoo.co.uk	M: 07771 653537 Colours: Green Shirts / White Shorts
Under 16 Lions	Zed Mountford-Hill Ground: Willen Road, Newport Pagnell, MK16 0DF Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: Hill_zed@yahoo.co.uk	M: 07841 431780 Colours: Green & White / White / Green
Under 16 Pumas	Pete Cook Ground: Willen Road, Newport Pagnell, MK16 0DF Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: peterpjc@sky.com	M: 07733 268438 Colours: Green Shirts / White Shorts

Newport Pagnell Youth



Secretary	Jo Chapman	T: M:07786 737309 E:jpchapman@hotmail.co.uk	County Affiliation No:
Under 16 Trojans	David Baines-Holding Ground: Newport Pagnell Youth Club, Wolverton Road, Newport Pagnell MK16 8HX Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: dbainesholding@googlemail.com	M: 07951 934531 Colours: Home - Blue & White Shirts / Blue Shorts, Away - Yellow & Blue Shirts / Blue Shorts

Phoenix Luton Youth

Secretary	Samantha McKay	T: M:07727 918803 E:positiveroots@hotmail.co.uk	County Affiliation No: W-BED2120
Under 16	Dean McKay Ground: Kingsbury Recreation Ground, Kingsbury Avenue, Dunstable, LU5 4LW Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: positiveroots@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07727 918803 Colours: Grey & Black Stripes / Black Stripes

Real Luton

Secretary	Mohammed Junaid Hussain	T:07487 792055 M:07487 792055 E:Realluton@outlook.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2027
Under 14	Adil Rahman Ground: Lewsey Park, Pastures Way, Luton, Bedfordshire LU4 0PF Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Adil_rahman62@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07931 96963 Colours: Navy Blue Shorts / Yellow Shirts

Sacred Heart Youth



Secretary	Daniel McGeorge	T: M:07728 597789 E:secretaryshyfc@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2007
Under 11	Niall Gallagher Ground: Offley Recreation Centre, Kings Walden Road, SG5 3DX Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Niallgallagher34@yahoo.co.uk	M: 07976 631955 Colours: Maroon Shirts / Maroon Shorts
Under 12	Shane Macdonald Ground: Offley Recreation Centre, Kings Walden Road, SG5 3DX Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: shane.macdonald@talk21.com	M: 07791 600016 Colours: Maroon Shirts / Maroon Shorts

Sacred Heart Youth continued...



Under 13	Shane O'Donnell Ground: Offley Recreation Centre, Kings Walden Road, SG5 3DX Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10:30am CRB Approved E: precisewoodflooring@live.co.uk	M: 07852 653298 Colours: Maroon Shirts / Maroon Shorts
Under 16 Saints	Ryan O'Neill Ground: Offley Recreation Centre, Kings Walden Road, SG5 3DX Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: rjoneill@btinternet.com	M: 07903 948080 Colours: Maroon Shirts / Maroon Shorts

Shefford Saints



Secretary	Paul Humphryes	T: M:07812 579671 E:Secretarysheffordsaintsfc@outlook.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2082
Under 11 Reds	Lasse Hammer Ground: Shefford Sports Club, Hitchin Road, Shefford, SG17 5JD Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: lassesheffordsaints@gamil.com	M: 07739 990657 Colours: Blue and white stripes / Blue shorts
Under 11 Whites	Paul Bookbinder Ground: Robert Bloomfield School, SG17 5AY Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Paul_bookbinder@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07896 037974 Colours: Blue and white stripes / Blue shorts
Under 12 Reds	Sean Moore Ground: Shefford Sports Club, Hitchin Road, Shefford, SG17 5JD Coaching Level: 1	T: 07961 732111 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: sean@dghconstruction.com	M: 07961 732111 Colours: Blue and white stripes / Blue Shorts
Under 15 Reds	Stuart Baddeley Ground: Shefford Sports Club, Hitchin Road, Shefford, SG17 5JD Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: Stubadsssf@gmail.com	M: 07398 670244 Colours: Blue and white stripes / Blue shorts

Smart

Secretary	Angelika Kopec Knurek	T: M:07875 705691 E:aangelikakopecknurek@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2021
Under 11	Marcin Mielnik Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E:	M: 07593 701181 Colours: Red Shirts / Red Shorts

Smart continued...

Under 13	Bartłomiej Pedrycz Ground: Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E:	M: 07593 701181 Colours: Red Shirts / Red Shorts
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St Josephs Youth



Secretary	Declan Marks Coaching Level: 0	T:01582 M:07890 E:declan.marks@santander.co.uk	883298 674569	County Affiliation No: W-BED2173
Under 11 Spitfires	Mark Brown Ground: Luton Sixth Form College, Bradgers Hill Road, Luton LU2 7EW Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: mrbush2008@live.com		M: 07743 521800 Colours: Green Shirts / Green Shorts
Under 14	Owen Carragher Ground: St Josephs Primary School, Gardenia Avenue, Luton, Bedfordshire LU3 2NS Coaching Level: 1	T: 07858 570321 Kick off: 10:30am CRB Approved E: shanecarragher12@gmail.com		M: 07858 570321 Colours: Green Shirts / Green Shorts
Under 17	Darren Valentine Ground: Icknield Recreation Ground, Icknield Way, Luton LU3 2JS Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: Valentine.28@ntlworld.com		M: 07956 532393 Colours: Green Shirts / Green Shorts
Under 18	Declan Marks Ground: Lea Manor Recreation Centre, Northwell Drive Luton LU3 3TL Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: declan.marks@santander.co.uk		M: 07890 674569 Colours: Green Shirts / Green Shorts

Stopsley United



Secretary	Karen Sinclair Coaching Level: 1	T:07888 M:07888 E:info@stopsleyunited.co.uk	833869 833869	County Affiliation No: W-BED2123
Under 11 Flyers	Simon Jackson Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: sim_jak@yahoo.co.uk		M: 07762 415075 Colours: Navy Blue Shirts / Navy Blue Shorts
Under 12 Vipers	Nick Davies Ground: Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: nickedavies@hotmail.com		M: 07791 585133 Colours: Navy Blue Shirts / Navy Blue Shorts

Stopsley United continued...



Under 13
Scorpions

Matthew Cuthbertson
Ground:

Coaching Level: 1

T:
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
E:
matthewcuthbertson@stopsleyunited.co.uk

M: 07392 852575
Colours: Navy Blue Shirts / Navy
Blue Shorts

Under 13 Titans

Paul Wheeler
Ground:

Coaching Level: 1

T:
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
E: Paulwheeler@stopsleyunited.co.uk

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Colours: Navy Blue Shirts / Navy
Blue Shorts

Under 14 Saxons

Adam Moss
Ground:

Coaching Level: 1

T:
Kick off: 10.30am
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E: adamlfcross08@icloud.com

M: 07933 687315
Colours: Navy Blue Shirts / Navy
Blue Shorts

Stotfold Junior



Secretary

Andy Bainbridge

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County Affiliation No: W-BED2056

Under 16 Amber

Keith Betts
Ground: Haynes Park , Haynes
Bedfordshire MK45 3QB

T: 01462 834831
Kick off: 2.00pm
CRB Approved
E: keith_betts@hotmail.com

M: 07263 727979
Colours: Amber Shirts / Black Shorts

Coaching Level: 0

Under 16 Black

Matthew Heneghan
Ground: Hitchin Rd Recreation Field,
Stotfold, Hitchin SG5 4JT

T:
Kick off: 2.00pm
CRB Approved
E: matty.stotfoldjuniors@gmail.com

M: 07528 859032
Colours: Amber Shirts / Black Shorts

Coaching Level: 0

Sundon Park Rangers



Secretary

Darren George

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County Affiliation No: W-BED2054

Under 12

Darren George
Ground: Peter Newton Pavilion,
Skimpot Road, Dunstable LU5 4JU

T:
Kick off: 10.30am
CRB Approved
E:

M: 07742 152931
Colours: Red & Black Stripes / Black /
Black

Coaching Level: 1

secretary@sundonparkrangers.co.uk

Tattenhoe Youth



Secretary	Karly Hennessy	T: M:07979 127243 E:karly.hennessy@sky.com	County Affiliation No: W-B&B3213
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Under 13 Lions	James Gray Ground: Hazeley Academy, Emperor Drive, Hazeley MK8 0PT	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Jamesgray83@hotmail.com	M: 07841 505682 Colours: White Shirts / Black Shorts
	Coaching Level: 1		

Toddington Rovers



Secretary	Gary McEvoy	T: M:07968 533 950 E:secretarytrfc@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2084
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Under 13	Luke Mitchell Ground: Parkfields Middle School, Park Road, Toddington, Bedfordshire LU5 6AB	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: mitclu4@aol.com	M: 07854 576702 Colours: Black & White Shirts / Black shorts
	Coaching Level: 1		

Under 17 Cobras	Chris Walsh Ground: Flitton Vale Park, Greenfield Rd, Flitton, Bedford MK45 5DR	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: chris.walsh@btopenworld.com	M: 07966 561331 Colours: Black & White Shirts / Black Shorts
	Coaching Level: 1		

Walton MK



Secretary	Rian Haddow	T: M:07855 270374 E:rian1haddow@live.com	County Affiliation No: W-B&B3533
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Under 14 Allstars	Gavin Pandya Ground:	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: emmaandgav@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07769 700351 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Black Shorts
	Coaching Level: 0		

Warden AFC

Secretary	Ben Jones	T: M:07493 128548 E:wardenaafc@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED1998
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Under 14 Scorpions	Dionne Manning Ground: Lifestyle (Silsoe), Chestnut Avenue, Silsoe MK45 4GP	T: 07828 733908 Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: dionne.manning@icloud.com	M: 07828 733908 Colours: Green and Black Shirts / Green Shorts
	Coaching Level: 1		

Wilstead Harriers



Secretary	James Struthers	T: M:07971 492151 E:jamesstruthers@btinternet.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2012
Under 13	Gary Nash Ground: Jubilee Playing Fields, Wilstead MK45 3HE Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: nashgary6@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07890 585437 Colours: Blue & Black Stripes / Black
Under 14	Nick Kane Ground: Jubilee Playing Fields, Wilstead MK45 3HE Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: nickkane1@outlook.com	M: 07776 005979 Colours: Blue & Black Stripes / Black

Wixams Hatters

Secretary	Kerri Hill	T: M:07805 019166 E:wixamshatters@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2110
Under 12	Michael Hill Ground: Wixams 3G, Green Lane, Wixams. MK42 6DA Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: mikeydhill@sky.com	M: 07866 553043 Colours: Orange Shirts / Royal Blue Shorts

Wixams Wanderers



Secretary	Andy Fridkin	T: M:07818 014083 E:andyfridkin@hotmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2107
Under 12 Hurricanes	James Stewart Ground: Wixams Academy, Wixams, Bedford MK42 6BA Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: james@dawkinsgroup.co.uk	M: 07808 241680 Colours: Yellow Shirts / Yellow Shorts

Woburn & Wavendon



Secretary	Sarah Hall	T: M:07941 118733 E:sarah.wwfclubsecretary@gmail.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2184
Under 16 Cyclones	Darren Rolfe Ground: Bryants Lane Sports Ground, Heath & Reach, LU7 0AR Coaching Level: 0	T: Kick off: 2.00pm CRB Approved E: darrenrolfe@btinternet.com	M: 07472 673112 Colours: Claret & Sky Blue Shirts / Claret & Sky Blue Shorts

Wootton Rangers



Secretary	Simon Netherton	T: M:07990 582404 E:simon@snetherton.plus.com	County Affiliation No: W-BED2095
Under 11 Sharknadoes	Richard Brazier Ground: Wootton Recreation Ground, Church Road, Wootton, Bedfordshire ,MK43 9HE Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Richard_Brazier@Scheidt- Bachmannuk.com	M: 07825 686928 Colours: Turquoise & Purple Shirts / Turquoise & Purple Shorts
Under 11 Sharks	Simon Netherton Ground: Wootton Recreation Ground, Church Road, Wootton, Bedfordshire ,MK43 9HE Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: simon@snetherton.plus.com	M: 07990 582404 Colours: Turquoise & Purple Shirts / Turquoise & Purple Shorts
Under 11 Spitfires	Ireson Ground: Wootton Recreation Ground, Church Road, Wootton, Bedfordshire ,MK43 9HE Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: robireson07@hotmail.co.uk	M: 07969 287816 Colours: Turquoise & Purple Shirts / Turquoise & Purple Shorts
Under 12	Ted Lynch Ground: Wootton Recreation Ground, Church Road, Wootton, Bedfordshire ,MK43 9HE Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: tedlynch40@hotmail.com	M: 07957 330295 Colours: Turquoise & Purple Shirts / Turquoise & Purple Shorts
Under 13	Andrew Watt Ground: Wootton Upper School, MK43 9HT Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: Andy.Watt@goldratt.co.uk	M: 07980 637073 Colours: Turquoise & Purple Shirts / Turquoise & Purple Shorts
Under 13 Panthers	Colin Goulding Ground: Wootton Upper School, MK43 9HT Coaching Level: 1	T: Kick off: 10.30am CRB Approved E: colinjgoulding@gmail.com	M: 07857 421537 Colours: Turquoise & Purple Shirts / Turquoise & Purple Shorts



GUIDE TO MARKING

The mark awarded by a club must be based on the Referee's overall performance. It is most important that the mark is awarded fairly and not based upon isolated incidents or previous games. The Referee's performance should be determined by the table below which should act as a guide for the overall mark which should fall within the mark range for each standard of performance.

Mark Range	Comment
100-86	The Referee demonstrated very accurate decision-making and controlled the game very well using management and communication skills effectively to add value to the game.
85-76	The Referee demonstrated accurate decision-making and controlled the game well using management and communication skills to contribute positively to the game.
75-61	The Referee demonstrated reasonably accurate decision-making and despite some shortcomings generally controlled the game well.
60 and below	The Referee demonstrated shortcomings in the accuracy of decision-making and control which affected the game.

Notes

- Club officials should use the full range of marks within each category to help distinguish between different performance levels, e.g. within the 85-76 category a mark of 84 indicates a better performance than a mark of 77.
- While some Referees may have below average performances, there will usually have been some positive aspects of their performance, so extremely low marks should be very rare.
- When club officials are marking a Referee, they should always look at the game as a whole and not isolated decisions. The result of the match should not influence the mark and disciplinary action should be judged objectively.
- When a mark of 60 or lower is awarded, an explanation must be provided to the Competition using the box provided on the marking form. The purpose of this is to assist Referees to improve their performance levels, so the comments should be as helpful as possible.



HOW TO DECIDE ON THE REFEREE'S MARK

The following questions focus on the key areas of a Referee's performance. They are intended as an "aide memoire", are not necessarily comprehensive and need not be answered individually. It is, however, worth considering them before committing yourself to a mark for the Referee.

CONTROL AND DECISION MAKING

- How well did the Referee control the game?
- Were the players' actions recognized correctly?
- Were the Laws applied correctly?
- Were all incidents dealt with efficiently/effectively?
- Were all the appropriate sanctions applied correctly?
- Was the Referee always within reasonable distance of incidents?
- Was the Referee well positioned to make critical decisions, especially in and around the penalty area?
- Did the Referee understand the players' positional intentions and keep out of the way accordingly?
- Did the Referee demonstrate alertness and concentration throughout the game?
- Did the Referee apply the use of the advantage to suit the mood and temperature of the game?
- Was the Referee aware of the players' attitude to advantage?
- Did the Referee use the assistants effectively?
- Did the officials work as a team, and did the Referee lead and manage them to the benefit of the game?

COMMUNICATION AND PLAYER MANAGEMENT

- How well did the Referee communicate with the players during the game?
- Did the Referee's Level of involvement/profile suit this particular game?
- Did the Referee understand the players' problems on the day – e.g. difficult ground/weather conditions?
- Did the Referee respond to the changing pattern of play/mood of players?
- Did the Referee demonstrate empathy for the game, allowing it to develop in accordance with the tempo of the game?
- Was the Referee pro-active in controlling of the game?
- Was the Referee's authority asserted firmly without being officious?
- Was the Referee confident and quick thinking?
- Did the Referee appear unflustered and unhurried when making critical decisions?
- Did the Referee permit undue questioning of decisions?
- Did the Referee deal effectively with players crowding around after decisions/incidents?
- Was effective player management in evidence?
- Was the Referee's body language confident and open at all times?
- Did the pace of the game, the crowd or player pressure affect the Referee negatively?

FINAL THOUGHTS

- Always try to be objective when marking. You may not obtain the most objective view by marking immediately after the game.
- Judge the performance over the whole game. Don't be too influenced by one particular incident.
- Don't mark the Referee down unfairly because your team was unlucky and lost the game or some disciplinary action was taken against your players.



APPENDIX B

CLUB MARKING OF REFEREES

Both teams are required to award the Referee a mark in all matches on a scale 1-100 based on the following guide:

Date: Competition:

Home Club

Away Club

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Referee:

Overall control and decision making:

The mark must reflect the Referee's overall Level of control, accuracy of decision making and management of and communication with players. When deciding on a mark consideration should be given to such aspects of the Referee's performance as: impartiality, confidence, fitness, positioning, signalling, use of advantage, handling of major incidents.

A mark between 91-100 would be regarded as 'excellent'

A mark between 71 and 80 would represent the standard expected

Our club awards an overall mark of out of 100

When awarding a mark of 60 or less, an explanation must be provided in the box below to the League/Competition with comments which could help the Referee improve future performances.

(Signed):

(Secretary):

Club:



STANDARD CODE OF RULES FOR MINI SOCCER AND YOUTH FOOTBALL COMPETITIONS

This document contains the Standard Code of Rules developed by The Football Association for Mini Soccer and Youth Football Competitions (the “Standard Code”).

The Standard Code is mandatory for all Mini Soccer and Youth Football Competitions.

Competitions seeking sanction must draft their Rules in conformity with the Standard Code, using the same numbering and standard headings.

The mandatory rules are printed in normal text and the optional rules in italics.

It should be noted that in many cases rules are so printed because they are alternatives and the procedure to apply should be retained and the others omitted.

In all cases where a [] is shown the necessary name, address, number or wording to complete that rule must be inserted.

Competitions may add to the core of the Standard Code, which is mandatory, providing the additions are approved by the Sanctioning Authority and do not conflict with the mandatory rules or any relevant principles and policies established by The FA. Guidance from the Sanctioning Authority should be sought in advance if there is any doubt as to the acceptability of additional rules.

DEFINITIONS

1. (A) In these Rules:

“Affiliated Association” means an Association accorded the status of an Affiliated Association under the rules of The FA.

“AGM” shall mean the annual general meeting held in accordance with the constitution of the Competition.

“Club” means a club for the time being in membership of the Competition.

“Competition” means the M&S Water Services Chiltern Youth Football League.

“Competition Match” means any match played or to be played under the jurisdiction of the Competition.

“Contract Player” means any Player (other than a Player on a Scholarship) who is eligible to play under a written contract of employment with a Club.

“Deposit” means a sum of money deposited with the Competition as part of the requirements of membership of the Competition.

“Fees Tariff” means a list of fees approved by the Clubs at a general meeting to be levied by the Management Committee for any matters for which fees are payable under the Rules, as set out at Schedule A.

“Fines Tariff” means a list of fines approved by the Clubs at a general meeting to be levied by the Management Committee for any breach of the Rules, as set out at Schedule A.

“Ground” means the ground on which the Club’s Team(s) plays its Competition Matches.

“Management Committee” means in the case of a Competition which is an unincorporated association, the management committee elected to manage the running of the Competition and where the Competition is incorporated it means the Board of Directors appointed in accordance with the articles of association of that company.

“Match Officials” means the referee, the assistant referees and any fourth official appointed to a Competition Match.

“Mini Soccer” means those participating at ages under 7s to under 10s.

“Non Contract Player” means any Player (other than a Player on a Scholarship) who is eligible to play for a Club but has not entered into a written contract of employment.



“Officer” means an individual who is appointed or elected to a position in a Club or Competition which requires that individual to make day to day decisions.

“Participant” shall have the same meaning as set out in the rules of The FA from time to time.

“Player” means any Contract Player, Non Contract Player or other player who plays or who is eligible to play for a Club.

“Playing Season” means the period between the date on which the first competitive fixture in the Competition is played each year until the date on which the last competitive fixture in the Competition is played.

“Rules” means these rules under which the Competition is administered.

“Sanctioning Authority” means The Bedfordshire County Football Association Limited.

“Scholarship” means a Scholarship as set out in Rule C 3 (a) (i) of the rules of The FA.

“Season” means the period of time between an AGM and the subsequent AGM.

“Secretary” means such person or persons appointed or elected to carry out the administration of the Competition.

“SGM” means a special general meeting held in accordance with the constitution of the Competition.

“Team” means a team affiliated to a Club, including where a Club provides more than one team in the Competition in accordance with the Rules.

“The FA” means The Football Association Limited.

“WGS” means the Whole Game System and the procedures for the operation thereof as determined by The FA from time to time.

“written” or “in writing” means the representation or reproduction of words or symbols or other information in a visible form by any method or combination of methods, whether sent or supplied in electronic form or otherwise.

“Youth Football” means those participating at ages under 11s to under 18s.

- (B) Unless stated otherwise, terms referring to natural persons are applicable to both genders. Any term in the singular applies to the plural and vice-versa.

GOVERNANCE RULES

COMPETITION NAME AND CONSTITUTION

2. (A) The Competition will be known as M&S Water Services Chiltern Youth Football League. The Clubs participating in the Competition must be members of the Competition. A Club which ceases to exist or which ceases to be entitled to play in the Competition for any reason whatsoever shall thereupon automatically cease to be a member of the Competition.
- (B) This Competition shall consist of not more than 100 Clubs approved by the Sanctioning Authority.
- (C) The geographical area covered by the Competition membership shall be within a 25 mile radius of Luton.
- (D) The administration of the Competition under these Rules will be carried out by the Competition acting (save where otherwise specifically mentioned herein) through the Management Committee in accordance with the rules, regulations and policies of The FA.
- (E) All Clubs shall adhere to the Rules. Every Club shall be deemed, as a member of the Competition to have accepted the Rules and to have agreed to abide by the decisions of the Management Committee in relation thereto, subject to the provisions of Rule 7.



- (F) The Rules are taken from the Standard Code of Rules for Youth Competitions (the "Standard Code") determined by The FA from time to time. In the event of any omissions from the Standard Code then the requirements of the Standard Code shall be deemed to apply to the Competition.
- (G) All Clubs must be affiliated to an Affiliated Association and their names and particulars shall be returned annually by the appointed date in a manner prescribed by the Sanctioning Authority and must have a constitution approved by the Sanctioning Authority. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.
- This Competition shall apply annually for sanction to the Sanctioning Authority and the constituent Teams of Clubs may be grouped in divisions, each not exceeding 14 in number.
- (H) Inclusivity and Non-discrimination
- (i) The Competition and each Club must be committed to promoting inclusivity and to eliminating all forms of discrimination and should abide and adhere to The FA Equality Policy and any legislative requirements (to include those contained in the Equality Act 2010).
- (ii) This Competition and each Club must make every effort to promote equality by treating people fairly and with respect, by recognising that inequalities may exist, by taking steps to address them and by providing access and opportunities for all members of the community, irrespective of age, gender, gender reassignment, sexual orientation, marital status, race, nationality, ethnic origin, colour, religion or belief, ability or disability or otherwise.
- (iii) Any alleged breach of the Equality Act 2010 legislation must be referred to the appropriate Sanctioning Authority for investigation.
- (I) Clubs must comply with the provisions of any initiatives of The FA which are adopted by the Competition including, but not limited to, Charter Standard and RESPECT programmes. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.
- (J) All Participants shall abide by The Football Association Regulations for Safeguarding Children as determined by The FA from time to time.
- (K) Clubs shall not enter any of their Teams playing at a particular age group in the Competition in any other competition (with the exception of FA and County FA Competitions) except with the written consent of the Management Committee. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.
- (L) At the AGM or a SGM called for the purpose, a majority of the delegates present shall have power to decide or adjust the constitution of the divisions at their discretion. When necessary this Rule shall take precedence over Rule 22.

CLUB NAME

3. Any Club wishing to change its name must obtain permission from the Sanctioning Authority and from the Management Committee. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

ENTRY FEE, SUBSCRIPTION, DEPOSIT

4. (A) Applications by Clubs for admission to the Competition or the entry of an additional Team(s) from the same Club must be made in writing to the Secretary by 31st May each year. New Club applications must be made in writing to the Secretary by 31st May each year and must be accompanied by an entry fee per as set out in the Fees Tariff, which shall be returned in the event of non-election.

At the discretion of the voting members present applications, of which due notice has been given, may be received at the AGM or a SGM or on a date agreed by the Management Committee.



- (B) The annual subscription shall be payable in accordance with the Fees Tariff per Team and shall be payable on or before 31st May in each year.

Clubs paying their Annual Subscription after 31st May shall be required to pay a levy of £10.00 per Team to a maximum of £50.00 per Club.

Each Team shall pay a £1.00 registration fee per player for the first sixteen (16) players registered as per Fees Tariff Each Team may register a maximum of 20 players.

Clubs with Teams at Under 17 and Under 18 age groups are permitted to register 24 players at any one time.

The annual subscription shall include the cost of providing an on-line electronic League Handbook (League Directory and Rule Book). Clubs may order hard copies of the League Handbook at a charge as per Fees Tariff. League Handbook orders must be placed and paid for by the Annual General Meeting

The annual subscription shall include the League Cup entry fee.

- (C) Each Club shall pay a Deposit as per Fees Tariff which shall be returnable to Clubs on leaving the Competition provided they have fulfilled their fixtures and complied with all orders of the Management Committee.
- (D) A Club shall not participate in this Competition until the entry fee, annual subscription and Deposit (if required) have been paid.
- (E) If requested by the Competition, Clubs must advise annually to the Secretary in writing by 1st July of its Sanctioning Authority affiliation number for the forthcoming Playing Season. Clubs must advise the Secretary in writing, or on the prescribed form, of details of its headquarters, its Officers and any other information required by the Competition. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

MANAGEMENT, NOMINATION, ELECTION

5. (A) The Management Committee shall comprise the Officers of the Competition and ten members who shall all be elected at the AGM.

- (B) Retiring Officers shall be eligible to become candidates for re-election without nomination provided that the Officer notifies the Secretary in writing not later than 15th May in each year.

All other candidates for election as Officers of the Competition or members of the Management Committee shall be nominated to the Secretary in writing, signed by the secretaries of two Clubs, not later than 15th May in each year. Names of the candidates for election shall be circulated with the notice of the AGM. In the event of there being no nomination in accordance with the foregoing for any office, nominations may be received at the AGM.

- (C) The Management Committee shall meet as and when required, save that no more than three calendar months shall pass between each meeting.

On receiving a requisition signed by two-thirds (2/3) of the members of the Management Committee the Secretary shall convene a meeting of the Management Committee.

- (D) Except where otherwise mentioned all communications shall be addressed to the Secretary who shall conduct the correspondence of the Competition and keep a record of its proceedings.

- (E) All communications received from Clubs must be conducted through their Officers and sent to the Secretary.

Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

All correspondence sent to the League shall be signed by the Club Secretary and shall be answered in/by League Minutes unless the Management Committee consider an individual reply appropriate.



POWERS OF MANAGEMENT

6. (A) The Management Committee may appoint sub-committees and delegate such of their powers as they deem necessary. The decisions of all sub-committees shall be reported to the Management Committee for ratification. The Management Committee shall have power to deal only with matters within the Competition and not for any matters of misconduct that are under the jurisdiction of The FA or Affiliated Association.
- (B) Subject to the permission of the Sanctioning Authority having been obtained the Management Committee may order a match or matches to be played each Season, the proceeds to be devoted to the funds of the Competition and, if necessary, may call upon each Club (including any club which may have withdrawn during the Season) to contribute equally such sums as may be necessary to meet any deficiency at the end of the Season.
- (C) Each member of the Management Committee shall have the right to attend and vote at all Management Committee meetings and have one vote thereat, but no member shall be allowed to vote on any matters directly appertaining to such member or to the Club so represented or where there may be a conflict of interest. (This shall also apply to the procedure of any sub-committee). In the event of the voting being equal on any matter, the Chairman of the Management Committee shall have a second or casting vote.
- (D) The Management Committee shall have powers to apply, act upon and enforce these Rules and shall also have jurisdiction over all matters affecting the Competition. Any action by the Competition must be taken within 28 days of the Competition being notified.

With the exception of Rules 6(I), 8(H) and 9, for all alleged breaches of a Rule the Management Committee shall issue a formal written charge to the Club concerned. The Club charged shall be given 7 days from the date of notification of the charge to reply. In such reply a Club may:-

- (i) Accept the charge and submit in writing a case of mitigation for consideration by the Management Committee on the papers; or
- (ii) Accept the charge and notify that it wishes to put its case of mitigation at a hearing before the Management Committee; or
- (iii) Deny the charge and submit in writing supporting evidence for consideration by the Management Committee on the papers; or
- (iv) Deny the charge and notify that it wishes to put its case of mitigation at a hearing before the Management Committee.

Where the Club charged fails to respond within 7 days, the Management Committee shall determine the charge in such manner and upon such evidence as it considers appropriate.

Where required, hearings shall take place as soon as reasonably practicable following receipt of the reply of the Club as more fully set out above.

Having considered the reply of the Club (whether in writing or at a hearing), the Management Committee shall make its decision and, in the event that the charge is accepted or proven, decide on the appropriate penalty (with reference to the Fines Tariff where applicable).

The maximum fine permitted for any breach of a Rule is £100 and, when setting any fine, the Management Committee must ensure that the penalty is proportional to the offence, taking into account any mitigating circumstances.

No Participant under the age of 18 can be fined.

All breaches of the Laws of the Game or the Rules and Regulations of The FA shall be dealt with in accordance with FA Rules by the appropriate Association.

- (E) All decisions of the Management Committee shall be binding subject to the right of appeal in accordance with Rule 7.



Decisions of the Management Committee must be notified in writing to those concerned within 7 days.

- (F) 25% of its members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business by the Management Committee or any sub-committee thereof.
- (G) The Management Committee, as it may deem necessary, shall have power to fill, in an acting capacity, any vacancies that may occur amongst their number.
- (H) A Club must comply with an order or instruction of the Management Committee, and must attend to the business and/or the correspondence of the Competition to the satisfaction of the Management Committee. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.
- (I) Subject to a Club's right of appeal in accordance with Rule 7 below, all fines and charges must be paid within 14 days of the date of notification of the decision.

Any Club failing to do so will be fined in accordance with the Fines Tariff. Further failure to pay the fine including the additional fine within a further 14 days will result in fixtures being withdrawn until such time as the outstanding fines are paid.

Points shall be awarded to opponents in all matches cancelled under this Rule. A levy shall not be imposed where a written Appeal has been made to the League General Secretary with regards to the original fine.

Any Club incurring unpaid fines, charges and/or pitch fees of £100.00 or more in total shall be disqualified until the fine is paid in full.

Clubs, Officials or individuals committing a breach of this rule will incur such penalties as the Management Committee shall impose

- (J) A member of the Management Committee appointed by the Competition to attend a meeting or Competition Match may have any reasonable expenses incurred refunded by the Competition.
- (K) The Management Committee shall have the power to fill any vacancy that may occur in the membership of the Competition between the AGM or SGM called to decide the constitution and the commencement of the Playing Season.
- (L) The business of the Competition as determined by the Management Committee may be transacted by electronic mail.
- (M) The Management Committee shall have the power to deal with any infringement of the League Rules and shall have the right to disqualify or expel any Club, Team, Club Official or player whose conduct is considered by the Management Committee to warrant such action.
- (N) A Club failing to be represented by a bona-fide member of their Club at a Council or General Meeting shall be fined in accordance with the Fines Tariff and failure to be represented at any further meetings in that Season, the fine shall be doubled on each subsequent occasion. The representative must be present for the duration of the meeting.

Not less than 7 days notice of any meeting shall be given. No individual shall represent more than one Club.

PROTESTS, CLAIMS, COMPLAINTS, APPEALS

- 7. (A) (i) All questions of eligibility, qualification of Players or interpretations of the Rules shall be referred to the Management Committee or a sub-committee duly appointed by the Management Committee.
- (ii) Objections relevant to the dimensions of the pitch, goals, flag posts or other facilities of the venue will not be entertained by the Management Committee unless a protest is lodged with the referee before the commencement of the Competition Match.



- (B) Except in cases where the Management Committee decide that there are special circumstances, protests and complaints (which must contain full particulars of the grounds upon which they are founded) must be lodged with the Secretary within 3 days (excluding Sundays) of the Competition Match or occurrence to which they refer. A protest or complaint shall not be withdrawn except by permission of the Management Committee. A member of the Management Committee who is a member of any Club involved shall not be present (except as a witness or representative of his Club) when such protest or complaint is being determined.
- (C) No protest of whatever kind shall be considered by the Management Committee unless the complaining Club shall have deposited with the Secretary a sum of £10.00 in accordance with the Fees Tariff. This may be forfeited in whole or in part in the event of the complaining or protesting Club losing its case. The Competition shall have power to order the defaulting Club or the Club making a losing or frivolous protest or complaint to pay the expenses of the inquiry or to order that the costs to be shared by the parties.
- (D) All parties to a protest or complaint must receive a copy of the submission and must be afforded an opportunity to make a statement at least 7 days prior to the protest or complaint being heard.
- (i) All parties must have received 7 days' notice of the hearing should they be instructed to attend.
 - (ii) Should a Club elect to state its case in person then it should forward a deposit of £25.00 and indicate such when forwarding the written response.
- (E) The Management Committee shall also have power to compel any party to the protest to pay such expenses as the Management Committee shall direct.
- (F) Any appeal against a decision of the Management Committee must be lodged with the Sanctioning Authority within 14 days of the posting of the written notification of the decision causing the appeal, accompanied by a fee (as set out in the Fees Tariff), which may be forfeited in the event of the appeal not being upheld. A copy of the appeal must also be sent to the Secretary. The procedure for the appeal shall be determined by the Sanctioning Authority, in such respect the Sanctioning Authority may (but is not obliged to):
- (i) invite submissions by the parties involved; or
 - (ii) convene a hearing to hear the appeal; or
 - (iii) permit new evidence; or
 - (iv) impose deadlines as are appropriate.
- Any appeal shall not involve a rehearing of the evidence considered by the Management Committee.
- (G) No appeal can be lodged against a decision taken at an AGM or SGM unless this is on the ground of unconstitutional conduct.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

8. (A) The AGM shall be held not later than 30th June in each year. At this meeting the following business shall be transacted provided that at least 75% of members are present and entitled to vote:-
- (i) To receive and confirm the minutes of the preceding AGM.
 - (ii) To receive and adopt the annual report, balance sheet and statement of accounts.
 - (iii) Election of Clubs to fill vacancies (as recommended by the Management Committee).
 - (iv) Constitution of the Competition for the ensuing Season.
 - (v) Election of Officers of the Competition and the Management Committee members.



- (vi) Appointment of auditors.
 - (vii) Alteration of Rules, if any (of which notice has been given)(see Rule 14).
 - (viii) Fix the date for the commencement of the Playing Season and kick off times applicable to the Competition.
 - (ix) Fix the date for the end of the Playing Season.
 - (x) Other business of which due notice shall have been given and accepted as being relevant to an AGM.
- (B) A copy of the duly audited balance sheet, statement of accounts and agenda shall be forwarded to each Club at least 14 days prior to the meeting together with any proposed Rule changes.
- (C) A signed copy of the duly audited balance sheet and statement of accounts shall be sent to the Sanctioning Authority within 14 days of its adoption by the AGM.
- (D) Each Club shall be empowered to send two delegates to an AGM. Each Club shall be entitled to one vote only. 14 days' notice shall be given of any AGM.
- (E) Clubs who have withdrawn their membership of the Competition during the Playing Season being concluded or who are not continuing membership shall be entitled to attend but shall vote only on matters relating to the Season being concluded. This provision will not apply to Clubs expelled in accordance with Rule 12.
- (F) All voting shall be conducted by a show of voting cards unless a ballot be demanded by at least 50% of the delegates qualified to vote or the Chairman so decides.
- (G) No individual shall be entitled to vote on behalf of more than one Club.
- (H) Any continuing Club must be represented at the AGM. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff. The Representative must be present for the duration of the meeting.
- (I) Officers of the Competition and Management Committee members shall be entitled to attend and vote at an AGM.
- (J) Where a Competition is an incorporated entity, the Officers of the Competition shall ensure that the Articles of Association of the Competition are consistent with the requirements of these Rules.

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETINGS

9. Upon receiving a requisition signed by two-thirds (2/3) of the Clubs in membership the Secretary shall call a SGM.

The Management Committee may call a SGM at any time.

At least seven (7) days' notice shall be given of a meeting under this Rule, together with an agenda of the business to be transacted at such meeting.

Each Member Club shall be empowered to send two delegates to all SGMs. Each Club shall be entitled to one vote only.

Any continuing member Club failing to be represented at a SGM shall be fined in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

Officers of the Competition and Management Committee members shall be entitled to attend and vote at all SGMs.

AGREEMENT TO BE SIGNED

10. Each Club shall complete and sign the following agreement which shall be deposited with the Competition together with the application for membership for the coming Season, or upon indicating that the Club intends to compete.



"We, (A), (name) [] of (address) [] (Chairman)/Director and (B) (name) [] of (address) [] (Secretary/Director) of [] Football Club (Limited) have been provided with a copy of the Rules and Regulations of the M&S Water Chiltern Youth Football League Competition and do hereby agree for and on behalf of the said Club, if elected or accepted into membership, to conform to those Rules and Regulations and to accept, abide by and implement the decisions of the Management Committee of the Competition, subject to the right of appeal in accordance with Rule 7."

The agreement shall be signed by:

- (i) Where a Club is an unincorporated association, the Club chairman and secretary; or
- (ii) Where a Club is an incorporated entity, two directors of the Club.

Any alteration of the chairman and /or secretary of the Club on the above agreement must be notified to the Bedfordshire County Football Association(s) to which the Club is affiliated and to the Secretary.

Agreements must be returned fully completed on or before the date as given on the form.

Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff and the Club will not participate in the League fixtures until this is paid and the Agreement signed.

RULES BINDING ON CLUBS – Each Member Club shall be deemed to have given its assent to the foregoing Rules and agreed to abide by the decisions of the Management Committee subject to Rule 7. Each Member Club must abide by any issued Football Association Code of Conduct.

CONTINUATION OF MEMBERSHIP, WITHDRAWAL OF A CLUB

11. After 31st December in the current season a Club intending, or having a provisional intention, to withdraw a Team from the Competition on completion of its fixtures and fulfillment of all other obligations to the Competition must notify the League General Secretary in writing by 15th May each season or be liable to a fine (in accordance with the Fines Tariff).

All Clubs wishing to remain in membership of the Competition for the following season must confirm their intention to do so in writing to the League General Secretary by 31st May.

- (A) The Management Committee shall have the discretion to deal with a Team being unable to start or complete its fixtures for a Playing Season, including but not limited to, issuing a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.
- (B) Notwithstanding the powers of the Management Committee pursuant to Rule 6(I), in the event of a Club failing to discharge all its financial obligations to the Competition in excess of £50, the Management Committee shall be empowered to refer the debt under The FA Football Debt Recovery provisions.
- (C) The Membership for the coming season having been decided at a Special General Meeting held for that purpose or at the AGM of the Competition shall have the right, irrespective of other provisions in this rule, to refuse to permit a Club to withdraw its Team(s) in order to join another Competition and may hold the Club to its engagements.
- (D) In the event of a Team withdrawing from the League during the season, the Management Committee shall award points to opponents for the outstanding fixtures except where the Team withdrawing has completed 50% or less of its scheduled fixtures where the Management Committee shall expunge the Team's record. On withdrawing a Team from League, the Club must return the Team Registration Cards to the Registration Secretary within 7 days of withdrawing. The Club must also confirm that the Team's players are not liable for any outstanding monies and have returned any kit/equipment. If communication is not received within 7 days of withdrawing, the players shall be deemed as "free agent" and can register with another Team of their choosing.



EXCLUSION OF CLUBS OR TEAM. MISCONDUCT OF CLUBS, OFFICERS, PLAYERS, MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

12. (A) At the AGM or SGM called for the purpose in accordance with the provisions of Rule 9, notice of motion having been duly circulated on the agenda, by direction of the Management Committee, the accredited delegates present shall have the power to: (i) remove a member of the Management Committee from office, (ii) exclude any Club or Team from further membership, both of which must be supported by more than two-thirds (2/3) of those present and voting. Voting on this point shall be conducted by ballot. A member of the Management Committee or Club which is the subject of the vote being taken shall be excluded from voting.
- (B) At the AGM, or at a SGM called for the purpose in accordance with the provisions of Rule 9, the accredited delegates present shall have the power to exclude from further participation in the Competition any Club or Team whose conduct has, in their opinion, been undesirable, which must be supported by more than two-thirds (2/3) of those present and voting. Voting on this point shall be conducted by ballot. A Club whose conduct is the subject of the vote being taken shall be excluded from voting.
- (C) Any Officer or member of a Club proved guilty of either a breach of Rule, other than field offences, or of inducing or attempting to induce a Player or Players of another Club in the Competition to join them shall be liable to expulsion or such penalty as a General Meeting or Management Committee may decide, and their Club shall also be liable to expulsion in accordance with the provisions of clauses (A) and (B) of this Rule.
- (D) Any Club or Team failing to complete 75% of its fixtures in any season shall (unless the conditions are beyond their control, or the accredited delegates present at the Annual General Meeting or a SGM decide otherwise by a majority of two thirds (2/3) of the votes cast) be debarred from membership the following season.

TROPHY

13. (A) The following agreement shall be signed on behalf of the winners of the cup or trophy:-
- “We A [name]and B [name], the Chairman and Secretary of [] FC (Limited), members of and representing the Club, having been declared winners of [] cup or trophy, and it having been delivered to us by the Competition, do hereby on behalf of the Club jointly and severally agree to return the cup or trophy to the Competition Secretary on or before 1st March suitably engraved in accordance with the Rules of the Competition. If the cup or trophy is lost or damaged whilst under our care we agree to refund to the Competition the amount of its current value or the cost of its thorough repair.”
- Failure to comply will result in a fine as determined by the Management Committee. Clubs failing to return Trophy Agreements, Cup or Trophy by the due date shall be fined in accordance with the Fines Tariff and any associated expenses incurred.
- (B) At the close of each Competition awards may/shall be made to the winners and runners-up if the funds of the Competition permit.

ALTERATION TO RULES

14. Alterations, for which consent has been given by the Sanctioning Authority, shall be made to these Rules only at the AGM or at a SGM specially convened for the purpose called in accordance with Rule 9. Any alteration made during the Playing Season to these Rules relating to the qualification of Players shall not take effect until the following Playing Season.
- Notice of proposed alterations to be considered at the AGM shall be submitted to the Secretary by 31st January in each year. The proposals, together with any proposals by the Management Committee, shall be circulated to the Clubs by 28th February and any amendments thereto shall be submitted to the Secretary by 14th March. The proposals and proposed amendments thereto



shall be circulated to Clubs with the notice of the AGM. A proposal to change a Rule shall be carried if 70% of those present, entitled to vote and voting are in favour.

A copy of the proposed alterations to Rules to be considered at the AGM or SGM shall be submitted to the Sanctioning Authority or The FA (as applicable) at least 28 days prior to the date of the meeting.

FINANCE

15. (A) The Management Committee shall determine with which bank or other financial institution the funds of the Competition will be lodged.
- (B) All expenditure in excess of £200.00 shall be approved by the Management Committee. Cheques shall be signed by at least two Officers nominated by the Management Committee.
- (C) The financial year of the Competition will end on 31st March.
- (D) The books, or a certified balance sheet, of a Competition shall be prepared and shall be audited annually by a suitably qualified person(s) who shall be appointed at the AGM.

INSURANCE

16. (A) All Clubs must have valid public liability insurance cover of at least ten million pounds (£10,000,000) at all times.
- (B) All Clubs must have valid personal accident cover for all Players registered with them from time to time. The Players' personal accident insurance cover must be in place prior to the Club taking part in any Competition Match and shall be at least equal to the minimum recommended cover determined from time to time by the Sanctioning Authority. In instances where The FA is the Sanctioning Authority, the minimum recommended cover will be the cover required by the Affiliated Association to which a Club affiliates.
Failure to comply with Rule 16(A) or 16(B) will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

DISSOLUTION

17. (A) Dissolution of the Competition shall be by resolution approved at a SGM by a majority of three quarters(3/4) of the members present and shall take effect from the date of the relevant SGM.
- (B) In the event of the dissolution of the Competition, the members of the Management Committee are responsible for the winding up of the assets and liabilities of the Competition.
- (C) The Management Committee shall deal with any surplus assets as follows:
 - (i) Any surplus assets, save for a trophy or any other presentation, remaining after the discharge of the debts and liabilities of the Competition shall be transferred only to another Competition or Affiliated Association or The Football Association Benevolent Fund or to such other charitable or benevolent object in the locality of the Competition as determined by resolution at or before the time of winding up, and approved in writing by the Sanctioning Authority.
 - (ii) If a Competition is discontinued for any reason a trophy or any other presentation shall be returned to the donor if the conditions attached to it so provide or, if not, dealt with as the Sanctioning Authority may decide.



MATCH RELATED RULES

QUALIFICATION OF PLAYERS

18. (A) A Player is one who, being in all other respects eligible, has:
registered through WGS.

Any registration form which is submitted through the WGS that is not fully and correctly completed will be returned to the Club unprocessed. If a Club attempts to register a player via WGS but does not fully and correctly complete the necessary information via WGS, the registration will not be processed.

For Clubs registering Players via WGS (under Rule 18 (A) (i) (c)) Clubs must access WGS in order to complete the registration process.

Registrations made by the WGS shall include a passport-size photograph of the player seeking registration and the player's proof of date of birth must have been checked by the Club and confirmed as accurate.

No player may participate in a match until the registration of the player has been acknowledged and confirmed by the League through the WGS.

Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

To participate in fixtures on the 1st weekend of the season, players must have their registration submitted by the WGS by 31st August.

No Player Shall Take Part in a Match for a Club until that Club is in Possession of the Player's Official Certificate of Registration.

At each match prior to the kick-off, the Team Manager shall exchange certificate of registration cards for all the players (including named substitutes) and these shall be returned on completion of the match.

In the event of a player's certificate of registration card not being available for inspection by the end of the match, the player shall be deemed to be an ineligible player – see Rule 18(N)(i).

Should a Team Manager be unable to produce the documentation for inspection by the end of the match, the Club shall be fined (in accordance with the Fines Tariff) and further dealt with by the Management Committee. In exceptional circumstances at least 2 Officers of the Management Committee may give special permission for a player or players to represent their Club at one match only with the ID Registration Card being unavailable at the match.

Correctly completed Team sheets shall be exchanged between each Team and given to the Referee at least 10 minutes prior to kick-off. Failure to do so will result in a fine (in accordance with Fines Tariff). The Team Sheet must be signed by the opposition Team Manager/Coach to confirm the Certificate of Registration of the players listed has been checked.

The Team Manager is required to keep copies of the completed and exchanged team sheets for a period of 4 weeks following a fixture. The Management Committee may request that team sheets are submitted to review and inspection. In the event of a Team Manager being unable to produce the documentation for inspection by the specified date, the Club shall be fined (in accordance with the Fines Tariff) and further dealt with by the Management Committee.

Clubs must submit at least 12 fully completed player registration forms via the WGS for each 11v11 team to the League by 15th August of the current season. Failure to comply with this may lead to a Club having its matches cancelled until such time as 12 fully completed sets of documents are presented to the WGS.

Clubs must submit at least 10 fully completed player registration forms via the WGS for each 9v9 team to the League by 15th August of the current season. Failure to comply with



this may lead to a Club having its matches cancelled until such time as 10 fully completed sets of documents are presented to the WGS.

A Club in default of this shall be fined in accordance with the Fines Tariff (per Team if applicable) and be otherwise dealt with at the discretion of the Management Committee.

- (B) (i) Contract Players are not permitted in this Competition with the exception of those Players who are registered under contract with the same Club who have a Team operating at Steps 1 to 6 of the National League System.

It is the responsibility of each Club to ensure that any Player registered to the Club has, where necessary, the required International Transfer Certificate. Clearance is required for any Player aged 10 and over crossing borders including Wales, Scotland and Ireland.

- (ii) A Player registered with a Premier League or English Football League Academy under the Elite Player Performance Plan contained within Youth Development Rules will not be permitted to play in this Competition. Details of the Youth Development Rules are published on The FA website. A Player registered with a FA Girls' Regional Talent Club may play in this Competition subject to the FA Programme for Excellence (Female) Regulations.

- (iii) Each Team must have the following number of Players registered 7 days before the start of each Playing Season:

FORMAT	MINIMUM NUMBER
5v5	5
7v7	7
9v9	9
11v11	11

Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

- (C) A child who has not attained the age of 6 shall not play, and shall not be permitted or encouraged to play, in a match of any kind.

The relevant age for each Player is determined by his or her age as at midnight on 31 August of the relevant Playing Season i.e. children who are aged 6 as at midnight on 31 August in a Playing Season (together with those who attain the age of 6 during the Playing Season) will be classed as Under 7 Players for that Playing Season. Children who are aged 7 as at midnight on 31 August in a Playing Season will be classed as Under 8 Players for that Playing Season, and so on.

Notwithstanding the above, a child is permitted to play up in the age group above his or her chronological age group, irrespective of any changes of format or competition structure, save that a child who attains the age of 6 after 31 August is permitted to play only in the Under 7 age group, and may not play in the Under 8 age group, for that Playing Season.

The age groups that children are eligible to play in are set out in the table below, along with the permitted football formats for each of those age groups. Children shall not play, and shall not be permitted or encouraged to play, in a match between sides of more than the stated number of players, according to their age group:



Age on 31 August of the relevant Playing Season	Eligible Age Groups	Maximum Permitted Format	Minimum Pitch Sizes		Maximum Pitch Sizes		Recommended Goal Sizes in feet	Ball Size
			Yards	Metres	Yards	Metres		
6	Under 7	5v5	30 x 20	27.45 x 18.3	40 x 30	36.3 x 27.45	12 x 6	3
	Under 8		30 x 20	27.45 x 18.3	40 x 30	36.3 x 27.45	12 x 6	
7	Under 8	5v5	30 x 20	27.45 x 18.3	40 x 30	36.3 x 27.45	12 x 6	3
	Under 9		7v7	50 x 30	45.75 x 27.45	60 x 40	54.9 x 36.6	
8	Under 9	7v7	50 x 30	45.75 x 27.45	60 x 40	54.9 x 36.6	12 x 6	3
	Under 10		50 x 30	45.75 x 27.45	60 x 40	54.9 x 36.6	12 x 6	
9	Under 10	7v7	50 x 30	45.75 x 27.45	60 x 40	54.9 x 36.6	12 x 6	4
	Under 11		9v9	70 x 40	64 x 36.6	80 x 50	73.15 x 45.75	
10	Under 11	9v9	70 x 40	64 x 36.6	80 x 50	73.15 x 45.75	16 x 7	4
	Under 12		70 x 40	64 x 36.6	80 x 50	73.15 x 45.75	16 x 7	
11	Under 12	9v9	70 x 40	64 x 36.6	80 x 50	73.15 x 45.75	16 x 7	4
	Under 13		11v11	90 x 50	82.3 x 45.75	100 x 60	91.44 x 54.9	
12	Under 13	11v11	90 x 50	82.3 x 45.75	100 x 60	91.44 x 54.9	21 x 7	4
	Under 14		90 x 50	82.3 x 45.75	100 x 60	91.44 x 54.9	21 x 7	
13	Under 14	11v11	90 x 50	82.3 x 45.75	100 x 60	91.44 x 54.9	21 x 7	4
	Under 15		90 x 50	82.3 x 45.75	110 x 70	100.58 x 64	24 x 8	
14	Under 15	11v11	90 x 50	82.3 x 45.75	110 x 70	100.58 x 64	24 x 8	5
	Under 16		90 x 50	82.3 x 45.75	110 x 70	100.58 x 64	24 x 8	
15	Under 16	11v11	90 x 50	82.3 x 45.75	110 x 70	100.58 x 64	24 x 8	5
	Under 17		100 x 50	91.44 x 45.75	130 x 100	118.87 x 91.44	24 x 8	
	Under 18		100 x 50	91.44 x 45.75	130 x 100	118.87 x 91.44	24 x 8	
16	Under 17	11v11	100 x 50	91.44 x 45.75	130 x 100	118.87 x 91.44	24 x 8	5
	Under 18		100 x 50	91.44 x 45.75	130 x 100	118.87 x 91.44	24 x 8	
	Open Age		100 x 50	91.44 x 45.75	130 x 100	118.87 x 91.44	24 x 8	

(D) A fee as set out in the Fees Tariff shall be paid by each Club/Team for each Player registered, if applicable.

This fee shall only apply to the first 16 players registered by each Team.

Each Team may register a maximum of 20 players. Clubs with Teams at Under 17 and Under 18 age levels may register 24 players at any one at any one time.

(E) The Management Committee shall decide all registration disputes taking into account the following.

- (i) A Player shall not be permitted to register for more than one Club subject to the exceptions set out in Rule 18 (E)(iii) below.
- (ii) In the event of a Player signing a registration form or having a registration submitted for more than one Club priority of registration shall decide for which Club the Player shall be registered. The Secretary shall notify the Club last applying to register the Player of the fact of the previous registration subject to the exceptions set out in Rule 18 (E)(iii) below.
- (iii) A Player is only permitted to register for more than one Club provided that:
 - a) The Team(s) in which the Player plays in are not in the same age group; or



b) Except for the purpose of a transfer.

And the Player meets the requirements in Rule 18(C).

(F) It shall be a breach of these Rules for a Player to:-

- (i) Play for more than one Team in the same age group in the Competition in the same Playing Season without first being transferred.
- (ii) Having registered for one Club in the Competition, register for another Club in the Competition in that Playing Season, except if the provisions set out in Rule 18 (E)(iii) apply.
- (iii) Submit a signed registration form or submit a registration through WGS for registration that the Player had willfully neglected to accurately or fully complete.

Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

(G) (i) The Management Committee shall have the power to accept the registration of any Player subject to the provisions of Rule 18(G)(ii) and (iii) below.

(ii) The Management Committee shall have power to refuse, cancel or suspend the registration of any Player, the exercise of such power being without prejudice to the Management Committee's ability to fine a Club at its discretion (in accordance with the Fines Tariff) that has been charged and found guilty of registration irregularities (subject to Rule 7).

(iii) The Management Committee shall have the power to refuse or cancel the registration of any Player charged and found guilty of undesirable conduct (subject to Rule 7) subject to the right of appeal to the Sanctioning Authority or The FA. Where the Management Committee does not have enough information to enable it to make a decision pursuant to the above power, it may apply, in its absolute discretion, to the Sanctioning Authority or The FA for further information.

Undesirable conduct shall mean an incident of repeated proven misconduct, which may deter a Participant from being involved in this Competition.

(iv) For a Player who has previously had a registration removed in accordance with Rule 18(G)(iii) but has a registration accepted at the expiry of exclusion will be considered to be under a probationary period of 12 months. Whilst under a probationary period, should the Player commit a further act of proven misconduct under the jurisdiction of the Competition, (excluding standard dismissals), the Competition would be empowered to consider a further charge of bringing the Competition into disrepute.

(Note: Action under Rule 18(G)(iii) shall only be taken against a Player in cases of the Player bringing the Competition into disrepute and will in any event be subject to an appeal to the Sanctioning Authority or The FA. All decisions must include the period of restriction. For the purpose of this Rule, bringing the Competition into disrepute can only be considered where the Player has received in excess of 112 days' suspension, or 10 matches in match based discipline, in any competition (and is not restricted to the Competition) in a period of two years or less from the date of the first offence.)

(H) Subject to compliance with FA Rule C2(a) when a Club wishes to register a player who is already registered with another club it shall submit a transfer form (in a format as determined by the Competition) to the Competition accompanied by a fee as set out in the Fees Tariff. Such transfer shall be referred by the Competition to the club for which the player is registered. Should this club object to the transfer it should state its objections in writing to the Competition and to the player concerned within 7 days of receipt of the notification. Upon receipt of the Club's consent, or upon its failure to give written objection within 7 days, the Secretary may, on behalf of the Management Committee, transfer the



player who shall be deemed eligible to play for the new Club from such date or 7 days after receipt of such transfer.

The business of all Transfers shall be conducted by mail, including stamped addressed envelopes as necessary. A Club having given notice of applying for the transfer of another player from the same Club within 28 days of the first notice except with the agreement of the other Club ((FA Rule C2(a) and Bedfordshire FA Rule 17.

In the event of an objection to a transfer the matter shall be referred to the Management Committee for a decision.

- (I) A Player may not be registered for a Club nor transferred to another Club in the Competition after 1st March except by special permission of the Management Committee.

It should be noted that a player having registered for a team shall not be allowed to deregister or transfer to another Club before 1st October in that season.

- (J) A Club shall keep a list of the Players it registers and a record of all matches in which those Players have played for the Club, and shall produce such record upon demand by the Management Committee.

In the event a Club has more than one Team in an age group, each Team must be clearly identifiable but not designated 'A' or 'B' or 1st or 2nd. In such cases, Players will be registered for one Team only. A Player so registered will be allowed to play for his Club in a younger or older age group within the provisions of Rule 18(C).

- (K) A register containing the names of all Players registered for each Club, with the date of registration, shall be kept by the Registrations Secretary and shall be open to the inspection of an Officer of the Club at all Management Committee meetings or at other times mutually arranged. Registrations are valid for one Playing Season only.

In the event of a Non Contract Player changing his status to that of a Contract Player with the same Club, another Club in the Competition or with a club in another competition his registration as a Non Contract Player will automatically be cancelled and declared void unless the Club conforms to the exception detailed in Rule 18(B)(i).

- (L) A Player shall not be eligible to play for a Team in any special championship, promotion or relegation deciding Competition Match (as specified in Rule 22(A)) unless the Player has played 3 Competition Matches for that Team in the current Playing Season.

A player who has played more than 5 games for a Team in a senior division and/or cup of one section of the League in the current season is not eligible to play in a lower division unless they have special permission of the Management Committee.

In the event of a player transferring from one Club, his previous playing record shall be carried forward to his new Club. In the event of a Club having 2 teams within the same age group playing in the same division, players cannot move between the two teams without having prior written permission of the Management Committee

- (M) A Team shall not include more than 5 Players who have taken part in 5 or more senior Competition Matches during the current Playing Season unless a period of 21 days has elapsed since they last played.

For the purpose of this Rule a senior competition is at a higher age group or division.

Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

- (N) (i) Subject to Rule 18(N)(ii), any Club found to have played an ineligible Player in a Competition Match or Matches where points are awarded shall have the points gained from that Competition Match deducted from its record, up to a maximum of 12 points, and have levied upon it a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.
- (ii) The Management Committee may vary the sanction as relates to the deduction of points set out at Rule 18(N)(i) only in circumstances where the ineligibility is due to



the failure to obtain an International Transfer Certificate or where the ineligibility is related to the Player's status.

- (iii) Where a Club is found to have played an ineligible Player in accordance with Rule 18(N)(i) above, the Management Committee may also, at its discretion:
- a) Award the points available in the Competition Match in question to the opponents, subject to the Competition Match not being ordered to be replayed; or
 - b) Levy penalty points against the Club in default; or
 - c) Order that such Competition Match or Matches be replayed (on such terms as are decided by the Management Committee).

(The following clause applies to Competitions involving Players in full-time secondary education):-

- (O) (i) Priority must be given at all times to school and school organisations activities. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.
- (ii) The availability of children must be cleared with their head teacher (except for Sunday league competitions).
- (iii) A child under the age of 15 as at midnight on 31 August in the relevant Playing Season, shall not be permitted to play in a Competition Match during that Playing Season where any other Player is older or younger than that child by two years or more.

CLUB COLOURS

19. Every Club must register the colour of its shirts and shorts with the Secretary by 31st May who shall decide as to their suitability.

Any Club wishing to change its colours during the Playing Season must obtain permission from the Management Committee.

Goalkeepers must wear colours which distinguish them from all other Players and the Match Officials.

No Player, including the goalkeeper, shall be permitted to wear black or very dark shirts.

Any Team not being able to play in its normal colours as registered with the Competition shall notify its opponents the colours in which they will play (including the colours of the goalkeeper jersey) at least 4 days before the Competition Match.

If, in the opinion of the referee, two Teams have the same or similar colours, the Home Team shall make the change. Should a Team delay the scheduled time of kick-off for a Competition Match by not having a change of colours they will be fined in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

All Shirts must be numbered, failing which a fine will be levied in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

PLAYING SEASON. CONDITIONS OF PLAY, TIMES OF KICK-OFF, POSTPONEMENTS, SUBSTITUTES

20. (A) All Competition Matches shall be played in accordance with the Laws of the Game as determined by the International Football Association Board or, for Mini-Soccer, and 9v9 football, the Rules as set down by The FA.

Clubs must take all reasonable precautions to keep their Grounds in a playable condition. All Competition Matches shall be played on pitches deemed suitable by the Management Committee. If through any fault of the home Team a Competition Match has to be replayed, the Management Committee shall have power to order the venue to be changed.



The Management Committee shall have power to decide whether a pitch and/or facilities are suitable for Competition Matches and to order the Club concerned to play its Competition Matches on another ground.

Football Turf Pitches (3G) are allowed in this Competition provided they meet the required performance standards and are listed on the FA's Register of Football Turf Pitches. All Football Turf Pitches used must be tested (by a FIFA accredited test institute) every three years and the results passed to The FA. The FA will give a decision on the suitability for use and add the pitch to the Register.

The home Club is also responsible for advising Participants of footwear requirements when confirming match arrangements in accordance with Rule 20(C).

All Competition Matches shall have a duration as set out below unless a shorter time is mutually arranged by the two Clubs in consultation with the referee prior to the commencement of the Competition Match, and in any event shall be of equal halves.

Competition Matches should be played in accordance with the Laws appropriate to the relevant age group, as laid down by The FA, as detailed below.



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Age Group	Minimum duration of play per half (minutes)	Maximum duration of play per half (minutes)	Maximum playing time in one day in all organised development fixtures (minutes)	Maximum playing time in one day in all tournaments and trophy events/festivals (minutes)	Competition structure
Under 7 and Under 8	10	20	40	60	Development focussed with a maximum of 3 trophy events per season over 2 week periods (6 weeks)
Under 9 and Under 10	20	25	60	90	Development focussed with a maximum of 3 trophy events per season over 4 week periods (12 weeks)
Under 11	20	30	80	120	Development focussed with a maximum of 3 trophy events per season over 6 week periods (18 weeks)
Under 12	20	30	80 (if applicable)	120	Any varieties including one season long league table
Under 13 and Under 14	25	35	100	150	Any varieties including one season long league table
Under 15 and Under 16	25	40	100	150	Any varieties including one season long league table
Under 17 and Under 18	25	45	120	180	Any varieties including one season long league table

For round robin/trophy events, the maximum duration of play per half cannot be exceeded, but the minimum duration of play per half may be adjusted.

For trophy events, the Competition may award mementos.

The times of kick-off shall be fixed at the AGM and can only be altered by the mutual consent of the two competing Clubs prior to the scheduled date of the Competition Match with written notification given to the Competition at least 3 days prior.

Referees must order Competition Matches to commence at the appointed time and must report all late starts to the Competition.



The home Team must provide goal nets, corner flags and at least two footballs fit for play and the referee shall make a report to the Competition if the footballs are unsuitable. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

- (B) Except by permission of the Management Committee all Competition Matches must be played on the dates originally fixed but priority shall be given to The FA and parent County Association Cup Competitions. All other matches must be considered secondary. Clubs may mutually agree to bring forward a Competition Match with the consent of the Match Secretary. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

In the case of a revised fixture date, the Clubs must be given by the Competition 5 clear days' notice of the Competition Match (unless otherwise mutually agreed).

- (C) An Officer of the home Club must give notice of full particulars of the location of, and access to, the Ground and time of kick-off to the Match Officials and an Officer of the opposing Club at least 5 clear days prior to the playing of the Competition Match. If not so provided, the away Club shall seek such details and report the circumstances to the Competition. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff. For clarification by 9.00 p.m. on the Tuesday prior to the match.

- (D) The minimum number of Players that will constitute a Team for a Competition Match is as follows:

FORMAT	MINIMUM NUMBER
5v5	4
7v7	5
9v9	6
11v11	7

Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

- (E) (i) In competitions where points are awarded, home and away matches shall be played. In the event of a Club failing to keep its engagement the Management Committee shall have the power to impose a fine (in accordance with the Fines Tariff), deduct points from the defaulting Club, award the points from the Competition Match in question to the opponents, order the defaulting Club to pay any reasonable expenses incurred by the opponents or otherwise deal with them except the award of goals. Notwithstanding the foregoing home and away provision, the Management Committee shall have power to order a Competition Match to be played on a neutral ground or on the opponent's Ground if they are satisfied that such action is warranted by the circumstances.
- (ii) Any Club unable to fulfil a fixture or where a Competition Match has been postponed for any reason must, without delay, give notice to the Match Secretary, the Competition Referees Appointments Secretary, the secretary of the opposing Club and the Match Officials.
- (iv) In the event of a Competition Match not being played or abandoned owing to causes over which neither Club has control, it should be played in its entirety on a date to be mutually agreed by the two Clubs and approved by the Management Committee. Failing such agreement and notification to the Match Secretary within 7 days the Management Committee shall have the power to order the Competition Match to be played on a named date or on or before a given date. Where it is to the advantage of the Competition and the Clubs involved agree, the Management Committee shall also be empowered to order the score at the time of an abandonment to stand.



Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

- (v) The Management Committee shall review all Competition Matches abandoned in cases where it is consequent upon the conduct of either or both Teams. Where it is to the advantage of the Competition and does no injustice to either Club, the Management Committee shall be empowered to order the score at the time of the abandonment to stand. In all cases where the Management Committee are satisfied that a Competition Match was abandoned owing to the conduct of one Team or its Club member(s) they shall be empowered to award the points for the Competition Match to the opponent. In cases where a Competition Match has been abandoned owing to the conduct of both Teams or their Club member(s), the Management Committee shall rule that neither Team will be awarded any points for that Competition Match and it shall not be replayed. No fine(s) can be applied by the Management Committee for an abandoned Competition Match.
- (vi) The Management Committee shall review any Competition Match that has taken place where either or both Teams were under a suspension imposed upon them by The FA or Affiliated Association. In each case the Team that was under suspension would be dealt with in the same manner as if they had participated with ineligible players in accordance with Rule 18(N)(i) above. Where both Teams were under suspension the Competition Match must be declared null and void and shall not be replayed.
- (F) A Club may at its discretion and in accordance with the Laws of the Game use substitute Players in any Competition Match.
- Where a Competition does allow return substitutes:
- For Under 11s - Under 18s – a Club may use up to 5 from 5 substitute Players. A Player who has been substituted becomes a substitute and may replace any Player at any time subject to the substitution being carried out in accordance with Law 3 of the Laws of Association Football.
- Entry onto the field of play will only be allowed during a stoppage in play. A Player who has been replaced may return to play as a substitute for another Player. A Team must not have a match day squad greater than double the size of its team in an age group.
- In Youth Football only, the referee shall be informed of the names of the substitute Players not later than 5 minutes before the start of the Competition Match and a Player not so named may not take part in that Competition Match.
- A Player who has named as a substitute before the start of that Competition Match but does not actually play in the game shall not be considered to have been a Player in that Competition Match within the meaning of Rule 18 of this Competition.
- (G) The half time interval shall be of 10 minutes' duration, but it shall not exceed 15 minutes. The half time interval may only be altered with the consent of the referee.
- (H) The Teams taking part in Under 7s to Under 11 or Youth Football shall identify a Team captain who may wear an armband and shall have a responsibility to offer support in the management of the on-field discipline of his/her teammates. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.
- (I) Each Team must be accompanied by at least 2 adults at all of its games, who shall not be registered as players with this League. Teams not complying with this Rule may be dealt with as the Management Committee may determine.
- (J) Free Weeks – All teams to be allowed 3 (Three) Free Sundays of their choice during the playing season.
- Teams must request a Free Sunday in writing to the Fixture Secretary, giving a Calendar Months' notice of the date required.



Free weeks are not permitted to be requested for dates allocated to cup finals (the dates of which will be notified in advance).

- (K) Any request for a free weekend for school based activities shall be required to be supported by documentary evidence from the school listing the date(s) of the trip, the children affected and when the activity was arranged (original letter).

If this is more than 2 weeks before the request is made, the request shall be refused.

- (L) Pitches should be approved by the Management Committee prior to the start of the season which may be outside recommendation. Clubs may play on other pitches by mutual agreement.

REPORTING RESULTS

- 21. (A) The Match Secretary must receive within 3 days of the date played, the result of each Competition Match in the prescribed manner. This must include the forename(s) and surname of the Team Players (in block letters) and the Registration Numbers of the Players and also the referee markings required by Rule 23, or any other information required by the Competition. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

Should a Team fail to comply on more than 2 occasions this shall be further dealt with as the Management Committee decides

Match report forms shall be submitted online for all Competitions.

- (B) The Home Club shall telephone/SMS/email/notify the result of each Competition Match as instructed. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff. The rule shall also apply when Clubs are taking part in Competitions outside this League whether playing Home or Away.
- (C) The match result notification, correctly completed, shall be signed by an Officer of the Club, or as prescribed by the Competition. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff. The Management Committee shall have power to take such action as they deem suitable against a Club which submits an incomplete form or incorrect information.
- (D) The Competition and Clubs are permitted to collect but NOT publish results or any grading tables for fixtures involving Under 7s, Under 8s, Under 9s, Under 10s, and Under 11s. Any Competition failing to abide by this Rule will be dealt with by the Sanctioning Authority, and any Club failing to abide by this Rule will be fined in accordance with the Fines Tariff. The Competition and Clubs are permitted to collect and publish results for trophy events.
- (E) The Competition may require a Club to confirm that a set fixture has been played. A fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff may be imposed for a breach of this Rule.

DETERMINING CHAMPIONSHIP

- 22. (A) In Competitions where points are awarded, Team rankings within the Competition will be decided by points with three points to be awarded for a win and one point for a drawn Competition Match. The Teams gaining the highest number of points in their respective divisions at the end of the Playing Season shall be adjudged the winners. Competition Matches must not be played for double points.

In the event of two or more Teams being equal on points at the end of the Playing Season, rankings may be determined by a deciding match or matches played under conditions determined by the Management Committee, or the position shared.

- (B) In the event of two or more Teams being equal on points for the runners-up place in any of the League tables at the close of the Competition, the Teams shall be deemed to be joint runners-up and mementoes shall be awarded at the discretion of the Management Committee.



- (C) In the event of a Team withdrawing from the League during the season, the Management Committee shall award points to opponents for the outstanding fixtures except where the Team withdrawing has completed 50% or less of its scheduled fixtures where the Management Committee shall expunge the Team's record. On withdrawing a Team from the League, the Club must return the Team Registration Cards to the Registration Secretary within 7 days of withdrawing. The Club must also confirm that the Team's players are not liable for any outstanding monies and have returned any kit/ equipment. If communication is not received within 7 days of withdrawing, the players shall be deemed as "free agents" and can register with another Team of their choosing.

For the purposes of this Rule 22(C) a completed fixture shall include any Competition Match(es) which has been awarded by the Management Committee

MATCH OFFICIALS

23. (A) Registered referees (and assistant referees where approved by The FA or County FA) for all Competition Matches shall be appointed in a manner approved by the Management Committee and by the Sanctioning Authority.
- (B) In cases where there are no officially appointed Match Officials in attendance, the Clubs shall agree upon a referee. An individual thus agreed upon shall, for that Competition Match, have the full powers, status and authority of a registered referee. Individuals under the age of 16 must not participate either as a referee or assistant referee in any open age competition and individuals under the age of 14 must not participate either as a referee or assistant referee in any Competition Match. Referees between the ages of 14 and 16 are only eligible to officiate in competitions where the Players' age band is at least one year younger than the age of the referee, for example a 15 year old referee may only officiate in competitions where the age banding is 14 or younger.
- (C) The Management Committee may, appoint assistant referees to any match. Where assistant referees are not appointed each Team shall provide a Club assistant referee for each of its games. A substitute or substituted player shall not qualify as an assistant referee and this person must be at least 14 years of age, under this Rule. The assistant referee shall report to the referee 5 minutes prior to the scheduled start of the game.
- When assistant referees are appointed to a match, the Home and Away Clubs shall share the fee and expenses of the assistant referees.
- (D) The appointed referee shall have power to decide as to the fitness of the Ground in all Competition Matches and that decision shall be final, subject to either in the case of a ground of a Local Authority or the owners of a Ground, the representatives of that body is the sole arbiter and whose decision must be accepted. In the event of the appointed referee not being available or no referee being appointed, a Club must contact the appropriate Match/Referee Secretary or another member of the Management Committee to arrange a pitch inspection.
- (E) Subject to any limits/provisions laid down by the Sanctioning Authority, Match Officials appointed under this Rule shall be paid a match fee in accordance with the Fees Tariff inclusive of travel expenses.
- Match Officials will be paid their fees and/or expenses by the home Club within 20 minutes of the end of the Competition Match, unless otherwise ordered by the Management Committee. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.
- (F) In the event of a Competition Match not being played because of circumstances over which the Clubs have no control, the Match Officials, if present, shall be entitled to half fee plus expenses. Where a Competition Match is not played owing to one Club being in default, that Club shall be ordered to pay the Match Officials, if they attend the Ground, their full fee



and expenses. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

If a Club defaults on a fixture after 9.00 p.m. on the Friday prior to the fixture being played, they will be liable to pay half the match fee to the referee and the assistant referee (where appointed by the League).

- (G) A referee not keeping his or her engagement, and failing to give a satisfactory explanation as to their non-appearance, may be reported to the Affiliated Association with which he or she is registered.
- (H) Each Club shall, in a manner prescribed from time to time by The FA, award marks to the referee for each Competition Match and the name of the referee and the marks awarded shall be submitted to the Competition on the prescribed form provided. Clubs failing to comply with this Rule shall be liable to be fined (in accordance with the Fines Tariff) or dealt with as the Management Committee shall determine.

Where the referee is not the appointed official, or is an agreed substitute stand in referee, the Club shall be required to mark the referee on his performance and add a comment regarding the change/appointment of the referee, including the referees name, when completing the online match report form

- (I) The Competition shall keep a record of the markings and, on the form provided by the prescribed date each Season, shall submit a summary to The FA/County FA.
- (J) The home Team shall supply the referee with a drink at half time. Failure to comply will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.
- (K) Referees are requested to report any irregularities appertaining to the game to the League General Secretary.



SCHEDULE A

FEES TARIFF		
RULE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	FEE
4 (A)	CLUB ENTRY FEE	£10.00 per team
4 (B)	TEAM ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION	£60.00
4 (B)	LEAGUE HANDBOOK	£3.00 per copy
4 (C)	DEPOSIT	£40.00
7 (C)	PROTEST	£10.00
7 (F)	APPEAL TO SANCTIONING AUTHORITY	£20.00
18 (D) 4(B)	PLAYER REGISTRATION FEE	£1.00 per player
18 (H)	TRANSFER FEE	£20.00
23 (E)	REFEREE FEES INCLUSIVE OF EXPENSES	U18/U17 U16/U15 U14/U13U 12/U11 £33.00 £27.00 £24.00 £22.00
23 (E)	ASSISTANT REFEREE FEES INCLUSIVE OF EXPENSES	U18/U17 U16/U15 U14/U13 U12/U11 £20.00 £17.00 £15.00 £15.00

FINES TARIFF		
RULE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	MAXIMUM FINE
2 (G)	FAILURE TO AFFILIATE	£25.00
2 (I)	FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH FA INITIATIVES	£25.00
2 (K)	UNAUTHORISED ENTRY OF TEAMS INTO COMPETITIONS	£25.00
3	FAILURE TO OBTAIN CONSENT FOR A CHANGE OF CLUB NAME	£25.00
4(E)	FAILURE TO PROVIDE AFFILIATION NUMBER/DETAILS FORM	£25.00
5 (E)	COMMUNICATIONS CONDUCTED BY PERSONS OTHER THAN NOMINATED OFFICERS	£25.00
6 (H)	FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH AN INSTRUCTION OF THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE	£25.00
6 (I)	FAILURE TO PAY A FINE WITHIN REQUIRED TIMEFRAME	£20.00



8 (H)	FAILURE TO BE REPRESENTED AT AGM	£30.00
9	FAILURE TO BE REPRESENTED AT SGM	£30.00
6 (N)	FAILURE TO BE REPRESENTED AT A GENERAL MEETING	£30.00
6 (N)	FAILURE TO BE REPRESENTED AT A SUBSEQUENT GENERAL MEETING	£50.00
10	FAILURE TO SUBMIT THE REQUIRED WRITTEN AGREEMENT OR TO NOTIFY CHANGES TO SIGNATORIES	£20.00
11 (A)	FAILURE TO PROVIDE NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL BEFORE DEADLINE	£40.00
11 (B)	FAILURE TO COMMENCE/COMPLETE FIXTURES	£50.00
13 (A)	FAILURE TO SUBMIT THE REQUIRED WRITTEN AGREEMENT REGARDING THE TROPHY	£20.00
16 (A)	FAILURE TO HAVE THE REQUIRED INSURANCE	£25.00
16 (B)	FAILURE TO HAVE THE REQUIRED INSURANCE	£25.00
18 (A)	FAILURE TO CORRECTLY REGISTER A PLAYER	£20.00
	FAILURE TO PROVIDE TEAM SHEET TO OPPONENTS AND/OR REFEREE	£20.00
	FAILURE TO PRODUCE DOCUMENTATION	£20.00
18 (B)(iii)	FAILURE TO HAVE THE REQUIRED NUMBER OF REGISTERED PLAYERS PRIOR TO THE PLAYING SEASON COMMENCING	£20.00
18 (F)	REGISTERING OR PLAYING FOR MULTIPLE CLUBS OR INACCURATE COMPLETION OF A REGISTRATION FORM	£20.00
18 (G)(ii)	REGISTRATION IRREGULARITIES	£100.00
18 (M)	FIELDING MORE THAN THE PERMITTED NUMBER OF PLAYERS WHO HAVE PARTICIPATED IN SENIOR COMPETITIONS MATCHES	£20.00
18 (N)(i)	PLAYING AN INELIGIBLE PLAYER (FIRST OFFENCE)	Up to £30.00
	PLAYING AN INELIGIBLE PLAYER (SUBSEQUENT OFFENCE)	Up to £50.00
18 (O)(i)	FAILURE TO GIVE PRIORITY TO SCHOOL ACTIVITIES	£25.00
19	FAILURE TO NUMBER SHIRTS	£10.00 (per shirt, up to an aggregate maximum of £30)



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19	DELAYING KICK OFF TO DUE TO NO CHANGE OF COLOURS	£10.00
20 (A)	DELAYING KICK OFF DUE TO FAILURE TO PROVIDE REQUIRED EQUIPMENT	£10.00
20 (B)	FAILURE TO PLAY MATCHES ON THE DATE FIXED	£25.00
20 (C)	FAILURE TO PROVIDE DETAILS OF A FIXTURE	£25.00
20 (D)	PLAYING MATCH WITH LESS THAN REQUIRED NUMBER OF PLAYERS	£25.00
20 (E) (i) & (iii)	FAILURE TO PLAY FIXTURE	£25.00
20 (H)	NO CAPTAIN'S ARMBAND	£10.00
21 (A) & 21 (C)	LATE RESULT NOTIFICATION FORM	£10.00
21 (B)	FAILURE TO PROVIDE RESULT	£10.00
21 (D)	PUBLISHING RESULTS/GRADING TABLES FOR FIXTURES INVOLVING U7S, U8S, U9S, U10S OR U11S	£10.00
23 (C)	FAILURE TO PROVIDE CLUB ASSISTANT REFEREE	£20.00
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SCHEDULE A

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CHILTERN YOUTH FOOTBALL LEAGUE SUBSIDIARY CUP COMPETITION RULES OF KNOCK-OUT CUP AND SUBSIDIARY CUP COMPETITION

1. The Competition shall be called the Chiltern Youth Football League Cup / Plate and shall be divided into Sections - Under 18, Under 17, Under 16, Under 15, Under 14, Under 13, Under 12 and Under 11.
 2. The Entrance Fee will be included in the annual subscriptions
 3. The management and control of the competition shall be vested in the Chiltern Youth Football League Management Committee, who shall have power to deal with all matters not expressly covered in these Rules. At the beginning of every season, the Management Committee may decide the format of the League Cups which may include seeding.
 4. League Rule 10 to apply.
 5. All matches to be played under the Laws of the Game and in accordance with the regulations of the Football Association.
 6. The duration of play in the knock-out competition shall be:

Under 18 and Under 17	-	90 Minutes (45 minutes each way)
Under 16 and Under 15	-	80 Minutes (40 minutes each way)
Under 14 and Under 13	-	70 Minutes (35 minutes each way)
Under 12 and Under 11	-	60 Minutes (30 minutes each way)

The minimum time in all matches, except the Under 12 and Under 11 sections shall be 70 minutes (35 minutes each way).
 7. In all matches the Home Club shall be responsible for all match arrangements in connection with the game.
 8. All ties shall be played on grounds as determined by the Management Committee. In all ties should the scores be level at the end of normal time, the Tie shall be decided by the taking of kicks from the penalty mark in the manner laid down by F.I.F.A. for deciding matches.
 9. All players taking part in the Competition must be registered with the Registration Secretary. Players taking part in the Semi-Final and Final matches must have played three games for that Club in the Chiltern Youth Football League during the current season. A player having played for one team in one section is not eligible to play for another team in that section during the current season. Players shall be permitted to play for one team only in one age-group only in ALL League Cup Competitions. They may not represent another team in another age-group.
 10. RESULT OF MATCH - League Rule No. 11 to apply
 11. PROTESTS - League Rule No. 15 to apply
 12. REFEREES - League Rule No. 13 to apply
- The Referees Secretary shall appoint a Referee and Assistant Referees to all Semi-Final Ties. The cost of all Officials (fee and expenses) in Semi-Final Ties shall be met equally by the two competing Clubs. Assistant Referees shall only be appointed to Semi-Final Ties in Subsidiary Competitions at the discretion of the Match and Referee Secretary. Final Referees and Assistant Referees shall be presented with suitably inscribed mementoes.
13. Subsidiary Cup Competitions, if necessary, shall be arranged in a manner to be determined by the Management Committee

All points not expressly covered in League Cup Rules, League Rules apply.



STANDING ORDERS OF THE LEAGUE

1. Notices of all intended motions shall be given in writing to the Secretary not less than 21 days before the meeting of the Council. The Secretary shall place the notices on the Agenda in the order received.
2. At all meetings of the Council, the Secretary shall present the minutes of the last preceding Council Meeting. The Secretary shall read such letters as may be necessary or that any member of the Council desires to have read. The business on the Agenda shall be preceded with such order as the Chairman may direct.
3. A speaker shall direct his speech strictly to the motion under discussion, or to a motion or amendment proposed by himself, or to a question of order. Upon the Chairman rising every member shall resume his seat.
4. A member shall not speak more than once on each motion or amendment except:
 - (a) the mover of a motion in reply
 - (b) or to a point of order
 - (c) or in explanation of a statement made by him which he/she considered as been misunderstood and shall strictly confine himself to the point.
5. The mover of every original motion, but not of any amendment, shall have a right of reply. He/she shall not introduce a new matter into the debate, but shall confine himself to answering previous speakers. Immediately thereafter the question shall be put from the Chair.
6. A motion or amendment once made and seconded shall only be withdrawn with the consent of the meeting. Every amendment shall be relevant to the motion to which it is moved.
7. Whenever an amendment upon an original motion has been moved and seconded, no second or subsequent amendment shall be moved until the first amendment shall have been disposed of, but notice of any number of amendments may be given.
8. If an amendment be carried, the motion as amended shall take the place of the original motion, and shall become the question upon which any further amendment may be moved.
9. A motion "That the question be now put" having been moved and seconded shall be put to the meeting without debate, but the Chairman shall have power to refuse to accept such motion if he is of the opinion that the question under debate has not been full discussed.
10. All motions whether original ones or amendments, shall, if the Chairman requests it, be reduced to writing, signed by the mover and handed to the Secretary immediately on being moved, and every member proposing such motion or amendment shall read the same before speaking on it.
11. The business under any notice upon the Agenda shall not (except by consent of the Council) be proceeded with in the absence of the member of the Council in whose name it stands, unless he/she has given written authority for it to be taken up by some other member.
12. The decision of the Chairman on any point shall be final. The Chairman shall have the right to give a casting vote upon any question before the Council.
13. A resolution shall not be rescinded until at least three months after it has been adopted by the Council, and then only by a majority of the members present and voting.
14. The meetings of the Management Committee shall be held as often as is necessary.
15. The meetings of the Full League Council shall be held as required.
16. The Council may by vote resolve itself into a Committee of the whole Council, and whilst in committee there shall be no restriction as to the number of times a member may speak to the question.



CODE OF CONDUCT FOR COACHES, TEAM MANAGERS AND CLUB OFFICIALS



FOR ALL

Set the standards for a great game.

Use your position to set a positive example for the people you're responsible for and lead a better game for everyone.

PLAY YOUR PART AND SUPPORT THE FA'S CODE OF RESPECT:

On and off the field, I will:

- Always show respect to everyone involved in the game
- Stick to the rules and celebrate the spirit of the game
- Encourage fair play and high standards of behaviour
- Always respect the Referee and encourage players to do the same
- Never enter the field of play without the referee's permission
- Never engage in, or tolerate offensive, insulting or abusive behaviour
- Be aware of the potential impact of bad language on others
- Be gracious in victory and defeat
- Respect the facilities home and away

When working with players, I will:

- Place the well-being, safety and enjoyment of each player above everything
- Never tolerate any form of bullying
- Ensure all activities are suited for the players' ability and age
- Work with others (e.g. officials, doctors, welfare officers, physiotherapists) for each player's best interests

I understand that if I do not follow the Code, I may be:

- Required to meet with the club or league Welfare officer or your CFA Designated Safeguarding Officer (DSO).
- Suspended by the club from attending matches
- Suspended or fined by the County FA
- Required to leave, lose my position and/or have my license withdrawn



CODE OF CONDUCT FOR SPECTATORS AND PARENTS/CARERS



If we behave positively during practice and matches, our children will too. By setting a good example, we'll help build a supportive environment in which everyone can enjoy themselves.

PLAY YOUR PART AND SUPPORT THE FA'S CODE OF RESPECT:

- Have fun; it's what we're all here for!
- Celebrate effort and good play from both sides
- Always respect the Referee and coaches and encourage players to do the same
- Stay behind the touchline and within the Designated Spectators' Area (where provided)
- When players make mistakes, offer them encouragement to try again next time
- Never engage in, or tolerate offensive, insulting or abusive language or behaviour

I understand that if I do not follow the Code,
I may be:

- Issued with a verbal warning or asked to leave
- Required to meet with the club committee, league or CFA Welfare Officer
- Obligated to undertake an FA education course
- Requested not to attend future games, be suspended or have my membership removed
- Required to leave the club along with any dependents and/or issued a fine





CODE OF CONDUCT FOR YOUNG PLAYERS



Play your best. Be your best. Make sure you and everyone around you has a good time on and off the pitch.

PLAY YOUR PART AND SUPPORT THE FA'S CODE OF RESPECT:

When playing football, I will:

- Always play my best for the benefit of the team
- Play fairly and be friendly
- Play by the rules and respect the Referee
- Shake hands with the other team - win or lose
- Listen carefully to what my coach tells me
- Understand that a coach has to do what's best for the team
- Talk to someone I trust or the club welfare officer if I'm unhappy about anything at my club
- Encourage my team mates
- Respect the facilities home & away

I understand that if I do not follow the Code, I may:

- Be asked to apologise to whoever I've upset
- Receive a formal warning
- Be dropped, substituted or suspended from training





CODE OF CONDUCT FOR MATCH OFFICIALS



*Whether you win or lose, make it a better game.
Treat your team, other players and Match Officials with respect so that everyone has a more enjoyable time, on and off the pitch.*

PLAY YOUR PART AND SUPPORT THE FA'S CODE OF RESPECT:

I will:

- Respect the game, the competition and all other participants
- Maintain my integrity and approach each game with a positive mind set
- Be knowledgeable of the laws of the game, regulations and competition rules
- Set a positive personal example, by promoting good behaviour
- Embrace and empathise with the spirit of the game
- Submit accurate and concise reports and misconduct
- Complete and submit accurate and concise reports
- Apply the laws of the game, promoting positive actions and not tolerating actions that do not fit the image of the game

I understand that if I do not follow the Code,
I may be:

- Required to meet with The FA, County FA Referee Development Sta or Referees Committee
- Suspended by the County FA





CLUB SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN POLICY



1. The Football Club acknowledges its responsibility to safeguard the welfare of every child and young person who has been entrusted to its care and is committed to working to provide a safe environment for all members. A child or young person is anyone under the age of 18 engaged in any club football activity. We subscribe to The Football Association's (The FA) Safeguarding Children – Policy and Procedures and endorse and adopt the Policy Statement contained in that document.
2. The key principles of The FA Safeguarding Children Policy are that:
 - the child's welfare is, and must always be, the paramount consideration;
 - all children and young people have a right to be protected from abuse regardless of their age, gender, disability, race, sexual orientation, faith or belief;
 - all suspicions and allegations of abuse will be taken seriously and responded to swiftly and appropriately;
 - working in partnership with other organisations, children and young people and their parents/carers is essential.

We acknowledge that every child or young person who plays or participates in football should be able to take part in an enjoyable and safe environment and be protected from poor practice and abuse.

The Club recognises that this is the responsibility of every adult involved in our club.





3. The Club has a role to play in safeguarding the welfare of all children and young people by protecting them from physical, sexual or emotional harm and from neglect or bullying. It is noted and accepted that The Football Association's Safeguarding Children Regulations (see The FA Handbook) applies to everyone in football whether in a paid or voluntary capacity. This means whether you are a volunteer, match official, helper on club tours, football coach, club official or medical staff.
4. We endorse and adopt The FA's Responsible Recruitment guidelines for recruiting volunteers and we will:
 - specify what the role is and what tasks it involves;
 - request identification documents;
 - as a minimum meet and chat with the applicant(s) and where possible interview people before appointing them ask for and follow up with two references before appointing someone;
 - where eligible require an FA accepted Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) Check in line with current FA policy and regulations.

All the current Club members working in eligible roles, with children and young people – such as managers and coaches are required to hold an in-date FA accepted Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) Check as part of responsible recruitment practice¹.

If there are concerns regarding the appropriateness of an individual who is already involved or who has approached us to become part of the Football Club, guidance will be sought from The Football Association. It is noted and accepted that The FA will consider the relevance and significance of the information obtained via the DBS Check process and that all suitability decisions will be made in accordance with legislation and in the best interests of children and young people.

It is accepted that The FA aims to prevent people with a history of relevant and significant offending from having contact with children or young people and the opportunity to influence policies or practice with children or young people. This is to prevent direct sexual or physical harm to children and to minimise the risk of 'grooming' within football.

¹ The FA's policy on DBS Checks is subject to change. DBS Check information and guidance can be found at [TheFA.com/ football-rules-governance/safeguarding/section-3-safer-recruitment-and-dbschecks](https://www.thefa.com/football-rules-governance/safeguarding/section-3-safer-recruitment-and-dbschecks)



5. The Club supports The FA's Whistle Blowing Policy. Any adult or young person with concerns about a adult in a position of trust with football can 'whistle blow' by contacting The FA Safeguarding Team on 0800 169 1863, by writing to The FA Case Manager at The Football Association, Wembley Stadium, PO Box 1966, London SW1P 9EQ, by emailing Safeguarding@TheFA.com or alternatively by going direct to the Police, Children's Social Care or the NSPCC.

The Club encourages everyone to know about The FA's Whistle Blowing Policy and to utilise it if necessary.

6. The Club has appointed a Club Welfare Officer in line with The FA's role profile and required completion of the Safeguarding Children and Welfare Officers Workshop. The post holder will be involved with Welfare Officer training provided by The FA and/or County FA. The Club Welfare Officer is the first point of contact for all club members regarding concerns about the welfare of any child or young person. The Club Welfare Officer will liaise directly with the County FA Designated Safeguarding Officer and will be familiar with the procedures for referring any concerns. They will also play a proactive role in increasing awareness of Respect, poor practice and abuse amongst club members.
7. We acknowledge and endorse The FA's identification of bullying as a category of abuse. Bullying of any kind is not acceptable at our club. If bullying does occur, all players or parents/carers should be able to tell and know that incidents will be dealt with promptly. Incidents need to be reported to the Club Welfare Officer in cases of serious bullying the County FA Designated Safeguarding Officer may be contacted.
8. Respect codes of conduct for players, parents/carers, spectators, officials and coaches have been implemented by the Club. In order to validate these Respect codes of conduct the club has clear actions it will take regarding repeated or serious misconduct at club level and acknowledges the possibility of potential sanctions which may be implemented by the County FA in more serious circumstances.





- 9.** Reporting your concerns about the welfare of a child or young person. Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility if you are worried about a child it is important that you report your concerns – no action is not an option.
- i.** If you are worried about a child then you need to report your concerns to the Club Welfare Officer.
- ii.** If the issue is one of poor practice the Club Welfare Officer will either:
- Deal with the matter themselves, or;
 - Seek advice from the County FA Designated Safeguarding Officer.
- iii.** If the concern is more serious – possible child abuse, where possible, contact the County FA Designated Safeguarding Officer first, then immediately contact the Police or Children's Social Care.
- iv.** If the child needs immediate medical treatment take them to a hospital or call an ambulance and tell them this is a child protection concern. Let your Club Welfare Officer know what action you have taken, they in turn will inform the County FA Designated Safeguarding Officer v. If at any time you are not able to contact your Club Welfare Officer or the matter is clearly serious then you can either:
- Contact your County FA Designated Safeguarding Officer directly;
 - Contact The FA Safeguarding Team on **0800 169 1863** or Safeguarding@TheFA.com;
 - Contact the Police or Children's Social Care;
 - Call the NSPCC 24 hour Helpline for advice on 0808 800 5000 or text 88858 or email help@nspcc.org.uk.

NB – The FA's Safeguarding Children Policy and Procedures are available as Guidance Notes 1.2: Grassroots Football: Safeguarding Children Policy and Procedures. These are under the 'Useful Resources' at: [TheFA.com/football-rules-governance/safeguarding/section-1-footballssafeguarding-framework](https://www.thefa.com/football-rules-governance/safeguarding/section-1-footballssafeguarding-framework).

The policy outlines in detail what to do if you are concerned about the welfare of a child and includes flow diagrams which describe this process. How to make a referral is also covered in the Safeguarding Children workshop. Participants are given the opportunity to discuss how this feels and how best they can prepare themselves to deal with such a situation. For more information on this workshop contact your County FA Designated Safeguarding Officer.



10. Further advice on Safeguarding Children matters can be obtained from:

Name:

T:

E:

County FA:

County Football Association's Designated Safeguarding Officer

T:

E: CountyWO@

- [TheFA.com/football-rules-governance/safeguarding](https://www.thefa.com/football-rules-governance/safeguarding)
- Emailing – Safeguarding@TheFA.com
- The FA Safeguarding Children general enquiry line 0845 210 8080





CLUB ANTI-BULLYING POLICY



FOR ALL



STATEMENT OF INTENT

We are committed to providing a caring, friendly and safe environment for all of our members so they can participate in football in a relaxed and secure atmosphere. Bullying of any kind is unacceptable at our club. If bullying does occur, all club members or parents should be able to tell and know that incidents will be dealt with promptly and effectively.

We are a TELLING club. This means that anyone who knows that bullying is happening is expected to tell the Club Welfare Officer or any committee member. This club is committed to playing its part to teach players to treat each other with respect.

WHAT IS BULLYING?

Bullying is the use of aggression with the intention of hurting another person. Bullying results in pain and distress to the victim.

Bullying can be:

- **Emotional:** being unfriendly, excluding (emotionally and physically) sending hurtful text messages, tormenting, (e.g. hiding football boots/shin guards, threatening gestures);
- **Physical:** pushing, kicking, hitting, punching or any use of violence;
- **Sexual:** unwanted physical contact or sexually abusive comments;
- **Discrimination:** racial taunts, graffiti, gestures, homophobic comments, jokes about disabled people, sexist comments;
- **Verbal:** name-calling, sarcasm, spreading rumours, teasing.



CYBERBULLYING

This is when a person uses technology i.e. mobile phones or the internet (social networking sites, chat rooms, instant messenger, tweets), to deliberately upset someone. Bullies often feel anonymous and 'distanced' from the incident when it takes place online and 'bystanders' can easily become bullies themselves by forwarding the information on. There is a growing trend for bullying to occur online or via texts – bullies no longer rely on being physically near to the young person.

TROLLING

This is the name given to posting deliberately offensive comments on people's social media pages aimed at causing upset and distress. This type of behaviour could result in legal action.

OUR COMMITMENT

This club commits to ensure our website websites and/or social networking pages are being used appropriately and any online bullying will be dealt with swiftly and appropriately in line with procedures detailed in this policy.

Why is it Important to Respond to Bullying?

Bullying hurts. No one deserves to be a victim of bullying. Everybody has the right to be treated with respect. Individuals who are bullying need to learn different ways of behaving. This club has a responsibility to respond promptly and effectively to issues of bullying.





OBJECTIVES OF THIS POLICY

- All club members, coaches, officials and parents should have an understanding of what bullying is.
- All club members, officials and coaching staff should know what the club policy is on bullying, and follow it when bullying is reported.
- All players and parents should know what the club policy is on bullying, and what they should do if bullying arises.
- As a club we take bullying seriously. Players and parents should be assured that they would be supported when bullying is reported.
- Bullying will not be tolerated.

SIGNS AND INDICATORS

A child may indicate by signs or behaviour that he or she is being bullied. Adults should be aware of these possible signs and that they should investigate if a child:

- says he or she is being bullied
- is unwilling to go to club sessions
- becomes withdrawn anxious, or lacking in confidence
- feels ill before training sessions
- comes home with clothes torn or training equipment damaged
- has possessions go “missing”
- asks for money or starts stealing money (to pay the bully)
- has unexplained cuts or bruises
- is frightened to say what’s wrong
- gives improbable excuses for any of the above. In more extreme cases:
- starts stammering
- cries themselves to sleep at night or has nightmares
- becomes aggressive, disruptive or unreasonable
- is bullying other children or siblings
- stops eating
- attempts or threatens suicide or runs away.

These signs and behaviours may indicate other problems, but bullying should be considered a possibility and should be investigated.



BULLYING AS A RESULT OF ANY FORM OF DISCRIMINATION

Bullying because of discrimination occurs when bullying is motivated by a prejudice against certain people or groups of people. This may be because of their gender, age, race, nationality, ethnic origin, religion or belief, sexual orientation, gender reassignment, disability or ability.

Generally, these forms of bullying look like other sorts of bullying, but in particular it can include:

- Verbal abuse – derogatory remarks about girls or women, suggesting girls and women are inferior to boys and men, or that black, Asian and ethnic minority people are not as capable as white people; spreading rumours that someone is gay, suggesting that something or someone is inferior and so they are “gay” – for example, “you’re such a gay boy!” or “those trainers are so gay!” Ridiculing someone because of a disability or mental health related issue, or because they have a physical, mental or emotional developmental delay. Referring to someone by the colour of their skin, rather than their name; using nicknames that have racial connotations; isolating someone because they come from another country or social background etc.
- Physical abuse – including hitting, punching, kicking, sexual assault, and threatening behaviour.
- Cyberbullying – using online spaces to spread rumours about someone or exclude them. It can also include text messaging, including video and picture messaging.





Discrimination is often driven by a lack of understanding which only serves to strengthen stereotypes and can potentially lead to actions that may cause women, ethnic minorities, disabled people, lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender people, or people who follow specific religions or beliefs, to feel excluded, isolated or undervalued. Ensure that club members know that discriminatory language and behaviour will not be tolerated in this club.

- If an incident occurs, members should be informed that discriminatory language is offensive, and will not be tolerated. If a member continues to make remarks, explain in detail the effects that discrimination and bullying has on people. If it is a young person making the remarks their parents should be informed just as in any breach of the clubs Code of Conduct and this Anti-Bullying policy.
- If a member makes persistent remarks, they should be removed from the training setting in line with managing challenging behaviour and the Club Welfare Officer or club officials should talk to them in more detail about why their comments are unacceptable.
- If the problem persists, the member should be made to understand the sanctions that will apply if they continue to use discriminatory language or behaviour.
- Consider inviting the parents/carers to the club to discuss the attitudes of the youth member in line with the procedures detailed in this policy.

PROCEDURES

1. Report bullying incidents to the Club Welfare Officer or a member of the club's committee;
2. In cases of serious bullying, the incidents will be referred to the County FA Welfare Officer for advice and possibly to The FA Case Management Team;
3. Parents should be informed and will be asked to come in to a meeting to discuss the problem;
4. If necessary and appropriate, the police will be consulted;
5. The bullying behaviour or threats of bullying must be investigated and the bullying stopped quickly;
6. An attempt will be made to help the bully (bullies) change their behaviour;
7. If mediation fails and the bullying is seen to continue the club will initiate disciplinary action under the club constitution.



RECOMMENDED CLUB ACTION

If the club decides it is appropriate for them to deal with the situation they should follow the procedure outlined below:

1. Reconciliation by getting the parties together. It may be that a genuine apology solves the problem.
2. If this fails/not appropriate a small panel (made up from Chairman, Club Welfare Officer, Secretary, committeemembers) should meet with the parent and child alleging bullying to get details of the allegation. Minutes should be taken for clarity, which should be agreed by all as a true account.
3. The same 3 persons should meet with the alleged bully and parent/s and put the incident raised to them to answer and give their view of the allegation. Minutes should again be taken and agreed.
4. If bullying has in their view taken place the individual should be warned and put on notice of further action i.e. temporary or permanent suspension if the bullying continues. Consideration should be given as to whether a reconciliation meeting between parties is appropriate at this time.
5. In some cases the parent of the bully or bullied player can be asked to attend training sessions, if they are able to do so, and if appropriate. The club committee should monitor the situation for a given period to ensure the bullying is not being repeated.
6. All coaches involved with both individuals should be made aware of the concerns and outcome of the process i.e. the warning.





IN THE CASE OF ADULTS REPORTED TO BE BULLYING ANYONE WITHIN THE CLUB UNDER 18

- 1.** The Country Welfare Officer should always be informed and will advise on action to be taken where appropriate, this may include action by The FA Safeguarding Team.
- 2.** It is anticipated that in most cases where the allegation is made regarding a team manager, official or coach, The FA's Safeguarding Children Education Programme may be recommended.
- 3.** More serious cases may be referred to the Police and/ or Children's Social Care Prevention:
 - The club will have a written constitution, which includes what is acceptable and proper behaviour for all members of which the anti bullying policy is one part.
 - All club members and parents will sign to accept the constitution upon joining the club.
 - bullying and why it matters, and if issues of bullying arise in the club, will consider meeting with members to discuss the issue openly and constructively.

This policy is based on guidance provided to schools by KIDSCAPE. KIDSCAPE is a voluntary organisation committed to help prevent child bullying. KIDSCAPE can be contacted on 0207 730 3300 or you can access their website via kidscape.org.uk

You may also wish to access any of the following websites designed to give advice and guidance to parents and children who are faced with dealing with bullying:
Guidance for parents/carers

anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk

stonewall.org.uk

bullying.co.uk

[Guidance for young people](#)

youngstonewall.org.uk

childline.org.uk

We would like to thank the ASA who have shared their Anti Bullying Policy for Clubs and to Stonewall's guidance from which this recommended FA Club Anti Bullying Policy has been developed.



GOALPOST SAFETY GUIDELINES

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The Football Association, along with the Department for Culture, Media and Sport, the Health and Safety Executive and the British Standards Institution, would like to draw your attention to the following guidelines for the safe use of goalposts.

Several serious injuries and fatalities have occurred in recent years as a result of unsafe or incorrect use of goalposts. Safety is always of paramount importance and everyone in football must play their part to prevent similar incidents occurring in the future:

To minimise the risk of poorly designed, badly installed or inadequately maintained goals being used the BSI have a standard for football goals, nets, maintenance and management which has been agreed across Europe. Only goals and nets that are certified as complying with the relevant British Standard should be purchased or used for all forms of football.

Traditionally larger sized/weighted goals have been designed to withstand the types of misuse that can occur on unsupervised sites (people swinging on the cross bar, etc.); making the goals strong enough to withstand abuse does result in them being quite heavy and concerns have been expressed that there is the possibility of a greater risk of injury occurring through a heavy goal tipping or when a free-standing type, as often used on 3G pitches, is being moved around a field. Lighter goals have been developed for these pitches and a new standard established. BS EN 16579

When selecting goals and other sports equipment, consideration must be given to the precise uses of the pitch, so that changes in activity can take place with the minimum of effort and inconvenience. Goals can be freestanding, and therefore easily moved, although it is important to make proper provision for their storage when not in use (the run-offs of the pitch must not be used for this purpose) or they can be socketed when semi-permanent installation is required.

1. For safety reasons goalposts of any size (including those which are portable and not installed permanently at a pitch or practice field) must always be anchored securely to the ground or have a weighted back bar.

- Portable goalposts must be secured as per the manufacturer's instructions; this is also a requirement for the Laws of the Game.
- Under no circumstances should children or adults be allowed to climb on, swing or play with the structure of the goalposts;
- Particular attention is drawn to the fact that if not properly assembled and secured, portable goalposts may overturn; and
- Regular inspections of goalposts must be carried out to check that they are properly maintained.

2. Portable goalposts should not be left in place after use. They should either be dismantled or removed to a place of secure storage, or placed together and suitable fixings applied to prevent unauthorised use at any time.

3. Goalposts which are "homemade" or which have been altered from their original size or construction should not be used under any circumstances as they potentially pose a serious safety risk.



4. There is no BS/CEN standard for wooden goals and it is unlikely that wooden goals will pass a load or stability test. The FA recommends that wooden goals should be replaced with British Standard compliant metal, aluminium or plastic goalposts. All wooden goals previously tested by independent consultants have failed strength and stability tests.

The FA and BSI, recognise the previous industry, standards for goalposts – BSEN 748 (2013) BS8461:2005 +A1: 2009 and BS 8462: 2005 +A2: 2012 along with the new BS EN standard 16579. It is strongly recommended that you ensure that all goals purchased comply with the relevant standard. A Code of Practice BS 8461 is also available and copies of all of these standards are available from the BSI. Funding for the replacement of unsafe goals is available via the Football Foundation and eligibility criteria and further details can be obtained from their website.

REMEMBER TO USE GOALPOSTS SAFELY AT ALL TIMES



PHOTOGRAPHING AND FILMING CHILDREN



FOR ALL

Parents, children and football clubs generally look forward to celebrating and or publicising footballing successes by photographing children at matches and events. Documenting a child's involvement and progress through the season both by film and photos is widely accepted as contributing to the enjoyment of the game. It's also recognised some coaches find it helpful to use photographs or film as a coaching tool to support a player's development.

The FA recognises the use of photos and film on websites, social media, posters, within the press or other publications, can pose direct and indirect risks to children if they are not managed appropriately. However, the taking of appropriate images of children is supported by The FA. Everyone wishing to film or take photos in football has a responsibility to familiarise themselves with and adhere to the following guidance.





INAPPROPRIATE TAKING AND OR USE OF IMAGES OF CHILDREN

Someone may set out to take inappropriate photos or film content in ways that are potentially illegal and harmful, such as:

- Children changing;
- Photos taken in the toilets;
- Using a camera at ground level to photograph up girls' skirts;
- Images that appear ambiguous can be used inappropriately and out of context by others;
- Images that can easily be copied and edited, perhaps to create child-abuse images;
- Images shared privately online that can be re-shared, possibly entering the public domain on websites or social media (further information on this is available in 'Section 6: Safeguarding in the Digital World' of the safeguarding section on [TheFA.com](https://www.thefa.com)).

THE IDENTIFICATION OF, CONTACT WITH, OR GROOMING OF A CHILD

When a child's image is accompanied by significant personal information e.g. full name, address - it makes them more easily identifiable to third parties. This can lead, and has led, to children being located, contacted and/or 'groomed'. Even if personal details are kept confidential, details identifying the school or club, or their favourite sports person or team, can potentially be used to groom the child. There's an increased risk of identification of, and contact with a child:

- By someone in circumstances where there are legal restrictions – such as if the child is in local-authority care or placed with an adoptive family;
- Where restrictions on contact with one parent following a parental separation exist e.g. in domestic violence cases;
- In situations where a child may be a witness in criminal proceedings.





COMMISSIONING OFFICIAL OR PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHERS AND THE LOCAL MEDIA

If you are commissioning professional photographers or inviting the media to cover a football activity, ensure you and they are clear about each other's expectations. The key is to plan ahead and communicate early on. Please follow the steps below.

- Provide a clear brief about what is considered appropriate in terms of content and behaviour;
- Inform them of your club's commitment to safeguarding children;
- Establish who will hold the recorded images and for how long they'll be retained and/or used and what they intend to do with them, e.g. place on a website for sale, distribute thumb nails to the club to co-ordinate sales;
- Issue the professional photographer with identification, which must be worn at all times;
- Clarify areas where all photography is prohibited e.g. toilets, changing areas, first-aid areas etc;
- Inform the photographer about how to identify – and avoid taking images of – children without the required parental consent for photography;
- Don't allow unsupervised access to children or one-to-one photo sessions at events;
- Don't allow photo sessions away from the event – for instance, at a young person's home;
- Inform participants and parents or carers prior to the event that a professional photographer will be in attendance.



WHAT TO DO WHEN PARENTAL CONSENT IS NOT GIVEN

Clubs and event organisers have a responsibility to put in place arrangements to ensure that any official or professional photographers can identify (or be informed about) which children should not be subject to close-up photography. This could involve providing some type of recognisable badge, sticker or wristband, and/or a system for photographers to check with the activity organiser and/or team manager to ensure it's clear which groups or individuals should not feature in images





COMMON SENSE CONSIDERATIONS TO ENSURE EVERYONE'S SAFETY

It's important to remember the majority of images taken are appropriate and taken in good faith. If we take the following measures we can help to ensure the safety of children in football.

DO:

1. Share The FA's guidance on taking images with everyone who becomes a club member (officials, parents/carers);
2. Ensure the club has written parental consent to use a player's image in the public domain e.g. on the club website, Facebook page or in a newspaper article. This is essential in relation to point 3 below;
3. Ensure that any child in your club who is under care proceedings where there are legal restrictions, is protected by ensuring their image is not placed in the public domain. This can be done by using The FA's Club Annual Membership Information and Consent Form. See Guidance Notes 8.2 for this form;
4. Ensure all those featured are appropriately dressed (a minimum of vest or shirt and shorts);
5. Aim to take pictures which represent the broad range of youngsters participating safely in football e.g. boys and girls, disabled people, ethnic minority communities;
6. Advise parents/carers and spectators that there can be negative consequences to sharing images linked to information about their own or other people's children on social media (Facebook, Twitter) – and that care should be taken about 'tagging';
7. Establish procedures to respond to and manage any concerns, including clear reporting structures and a system to contact the Police when necessary.

DON'T:

1. Publish photographs with the full name(s) of the individual(s) featured unless you have written consent to do so and you have informed the parents/ carers as to how the image will be used;
2. Use player profiles with pictures and detailed personal information online;
3. Use an image for something other than that which it was initially agreed, e.g. published in local press when initially produced for a clubhouse commemorative picture;
4. Allow images to be recorded in changing rooms, showers or toilets – this includes the use of mobile phones that record images;
5. Include any advertising relating to alcohol or gambling in photographs of children.



REMEMBER

- It's not an offence to take appropriate photographs in a public place even if asked not to do so;
- No-one has the right to decide who can and cannot take images on public land;
- If you have serious concerns about a possible child protection issue relating to the recording of images then call the Police. This action should only be taken where you believe that someone may be acting unlawfully or putting a child at risk;
- The land or facility owner can decide whether or not photography and or filming at football activities will be permitted when carried out on private land. However you need to make this known before allowing individuals access to the private property. If they do not comply then you may request they leave;
- Try not to use images that include individuals wearing jewellery (as wearing jewellery whilst playing is contrary to the Laws of the Game as well as being a health and safety issue);
- That swimming as a social activity for football clubs presents a higher risk for potential misuse than football, so images should:
 - Focus on the activity rather than a particular child;
 - Avoid showing the full face and body of a child – instead show children in the water, or from the waist or shoulders up;
 - Avoid images and camera angles that may be more prone to misinterpretation or misuse than others.

If you are concerned about the inappropriate use of images please report this to your County FA Designated Safeguarding Officer or to The FA Safeguarding Team via Safeguarding@TheFA.com. Click here for a full list of key contacts at County FAs.





FILMING AS A COACHING AID

The FA advises that coaches using filming as a legitimate coaching aid should make parents/carers and players aware that this will be part of the coaching programme. Care should be taken when storing the film clips – see further guidance below. Parental consent must of course have been given. This can be requested at the start of the season via The FA's Club Annual Membership Information and Consent Form – see Guidance Notes 8.2.



GENERAL IMAGES OF EVENTS

At many events, organisers will wish to take wide-angle, more general images of the event, the site, opening and closing ceremonies, and so on.

It's usually not reasonable, practical or proportionate to secure consent for every participating child in order to take such images, or to preclude such photography on the basis of the concerns of a small number of parents.

In these circumstances, organisers should make clear to all participants and parents that these kinds of images will be taken, and for what purposes.





SECURE STORAGE OF IMAGES

Images or film recordings of children must be kept securely:

- Hard copies of images should be kept in a locked drawer;
- Electronic images should be in a protected folder with restricted access;
- Images should not be stored on unencrypted portable equipment such as laptops, memory sticks or mobile phones.

Club and Leagues:

- If you're storing and using photographs to identify children and adults for official purposes – such as identity cards – ensure you comply with the legal requirements for handling personal information;
- For guidance on data protection and other privacy regulations, visit the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) website: ico.org.uk.





MISUSE AND MANIPULATION OF IMAGES

An individual with bad intent may deliberately target a vulnerable child to take images which may be uploaded to social media or shared with other likeminded individuals or groups motivated by sexual interest.

Occasionally, these images are also used to threaten and force the child into unwanted, illegal sexual activity. Taking and sharing images like this may form part of wider bullying of the targeted young person by other young people, motivated more by a wish to cause humiliation and embarrassment.

Even in the context of a shared joke among friends, without abusive intent, a young person taking and sharing inappropriate images may be committing a serious offence and risk criminal prosecution.

RESPONDING TO CONCERNS

Whether it's general club activities or when attending an event all club officials, volunteers, children and parents/carers should be informed that if they have any concerns regarding inappropriate or intrusive photography (in terms of the way, by whom, or where photography is being undertaken), these should be reported.

Reports can be made to the:

- Event organiser or another official;
- Event Designated Safeguarding Officer;
- Club Welfare Officer;
- County FA Designated Safeguarding Officer;
- The FA Safeguarding Team via safeguarding@TheFA.com

There must be a safeguarding procedure in place to ensure that reported concerns are dealt with in the same way as any other child-protection issue. Concerns about professional photographers should also be reported to their employers.



To report potentially unlawful materials on the internet please contact:

The Internet Watch Foundation

E: report@iwf.org.uk

Fax: 01223 235921

T: 01223 237700

W: iwf.org.uk

In writing this photography and filming guidance, The FA has drawn from advice provided by the NSPCC CPSU. You can find this advice at: thecpsu.org.uk/help-advice/topics/photography



2019- 2020 SEASON CHILTERN YOUTH FOOTBALL LEAGUE

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE BELOW LEAGUE TABLES WERE AS OF THE TIME OF THE CANCELLATION OF THE SEASON DUE TO COVID-19. AS THE SEASON WAS NOT FINISHED, NO AWARDS FOR WINNERS OR RUNNERS-UP WERE MADE

Under 18, Division 1

		P	W	D	L	Pts
1	Crawley Green Youth Dragons	8	8	0	0	24
2	Leighton United Reds (P&I)	9	8	0	1	24
3	Barton Rovers Youth	10	7	0	3	21
4	Caddington Youth	8	6	0	2	18
5	Kempston Rovers Colts Lions	11	4	0	7	12
6	Toddington Rovers	12	1	1	10	4
7	Kempston Rovers Colts Panthers	12	0	1	11	1

Under 17, Development Group

		P	W	D	L	Pts
1	Flitwick Eagles Whites	15	13	0	2	39
2	AFC Oakley Lightnings	13	10	2	1	32
3	Atletico Europa	14	8	2	4	26
4	Leighton United Blues	14	8	2	4	26
5	Leighton Town Youth	12	8	2	2	23*
6	St Josephs Youth	14	7	1	6	22
7	Bedford Park Rangers	12	6	0	6	21*
8	Woburn & Wavendon Hurricanes	12	6	0	6	18
9	Flitwick Eagles Golds	12	5	1	6	16
10	Stewkley	12	3	0	9	9
11	M&DH Clapham Sports	12	1	2	9	5
12	Bedford Town FC Youth Development	12	0	2	10	2
13	Leighton United Greens	12	0	2	10	2

* indicates points adjusted made

Under 17, Development Group B

		P	W	D	L	Pts
1	Stewkley	2	1	1	0	4
2	Bedford Park Rangers	1	1	0	0	3
3	Flitwick Eagles Golds	1	0	1	0	1
4	M&DH Clapham Sports	1	0	1	0	1
5	Woburn & Wavendon Hurricanes	1	0	1	0	1
6	Bedford Town FC Youth Development	1	0	0	1	0
7	Leighton Town Youth Greens	1	0	0	1	0



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Under 16, Division 1

	P	W	D	L	Pts	
1	Toddington Rovers Vipers	13	8	3	2	27
2	Barton Rovers Youth	12	8	1	3	25
3	Great Denham	9	8	0	1	24
4	Toddington Rovers Cobras	14	6	4	4	22
5	Dunstable Town Youth Whites	12	6	3	3	21
6	Baldock Town Youth Templars	14	5	1	8	16
7	Atletico Europa	12	4	0	8	12
8	Bedford Park Rangers	15	3	0	12	9
9	Cranfield Colts	13	2	2	9	8

Under 16, Division 2

	P	W	D	L	Pts	
1	Leighton United Blues	13	8	2	3	26
2	AFC Dunstable Blues	14	8	1	5	25
3	St Josephs Youth	12	7	3	2	24
4	Langford	15	6	4	5	22
5	Dunstable Town Youth Oranges	12	5	2	5	17
6	Bedford Town FC Youth Development	12	4	3	5	15
7	M&DH Clapham, Sports	14	0	1	13	1

Under 15, Division 1

	P	W	D	L	Pts	
1	Totternhoe Development	15	13	1	1	40
2	Amphill Town Yellows	14	12	1	1	37
3	Flitwick Eagles Whites	15	9	3	3	30
4	Sacred Heart Youth Saints	12	8	0	4	24
5	Heeland Rangers Blues	12	5	1	6	16
6	Brickhill Wanderers	15	5	1	9	16
7	Stotfold Junior Ambers	13	5	0	8	15
8	Flitwick Eagles Blues	17	4	2	11	14
9	Biggleswade United	13	4	1	8	13
10	Luton United	14	0	0	14	0

Under 15, Division 2

	P	W	D	L	Pts	
1	Leighton Town Youth Reds	12	11	1	0	34
2	Maulden Magpies	12	6	3	3	21
3	Bedford Town FC Youth Development	14	5	4	5	19
4	Newport Pagnell Town Lions	13	5	3	5	18
5	AFC Dunstable Blues	13	5	0	8	15
6	Dunstable Town Whites	13	4	2	7	14
7	Dunstable Town Youth	11	1	1	9	4



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Under 15 Division 3

	P	W	D	L	Pts
1 Newport Pagnell Youth Trojans	13	11	1	1	34
2 Crawley Green Youth Saints	12	6	4	2	22
3 Newport Pagnell Town Pumas	10	7	0	3	21
4 Phoenix Luton Youth	11	6	0	5	18
5 Wootton Rangers Youth	11	5	2	4	17
6 Stotfold Junior Blacks	12	5	2	5	17
7 Barton Rovers Youth	11	3	3	5	12
8 Sandy FC (Colts)	11	0	2	9	2
9 Kempston Rovers Colts Tigers	9	0	0	9	0

Under 14, Division 1

	P	W	D	L	Pts
1 Wilstead Harriers	11	10	0	1	30
2 Luton Allstars Predators	13	8	2	3	26
3 Stevenage Borough Juniors Boca	11	7	1	3	22
4 AFC Oakley Blues	12	6	1	5	19
5 Kempston Rovers Colts Lions	13	5	2	6	17
6 Shefford Saints Reds	14	4	2	8	14
7 Aspley Guise	15	4	2	9	14
8 Leighton United Reds	11	3	2	6	11
9 Leighton United Blues	14	1	6	7	9

Under 14, Division 2

	P	W	D	L	Pts
1 Newport Pagnell Town Lions	12	8	3	1	27
2 Kempston Rovers Colts Pumas	13	7	5	1	26
3 Crawley Green Youth Pumas	10	7	2	1	23
4 Crawley Green Youth Bears	11	6	0	5	18
5 Sacred Heart Youth Jaguars	11	3	3	5	12
6 Real Luton	13	3	1	9	10
7 M&DH Clapham Sports	13	2	3	8	9
8 AFC Dunstable Blues	11	2	1	8	7

Under 14, Division 3

	P	W	D	L	Pts
1 Luton Nations Community	15	14	0	1	42
2 Co-op Sports	16	13	1	2	40
3 Kempston Rovers Colts Panthers	15	11	1	3	34
4 Flitwick Eagles Whites	17	11	1	5	34
5 Barton Rovers Youth Whites	15	10	1	4	31
6 Luton United	16	5	0	11	15
7 Brickhill Wanderers	16	4	2	10	14
8 Dunstable Town Youth Dragons	14	4	1	9	13
9 Barton Rovers Youth Blues	16	1	1	14	4
10 Leighton Town Youth	16	1	0	15	3



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Under 13, Division 1

	P	W	D	L	Pts
1 2Touch Football Academy Tigers	12	12	0	0	36
2 Creasey FC	14	9	1	4	28
3 Dunstable Town Lions	13	9	0	4	27
4 Tattenhoe Youth Lions	15	8	1	6	25
5 Bedford FC Hurricanes	14	7	3	4	24
6 Flitwick Eagles Reds	15	6	0	9	18
7 Bedford Town FC Youth Development	13	5	1	7	16
8 Leighton United Reds	15	2	1	12	7
9 Warden AFC Scorpions	15	1	1	13	4

Under 13, Division 2

	P	W	D	L	Pts
1 Flitwick Eagles Whites	14	11	0	3	33
2 Luton Celtic Youth	14	10	2	2	32
3 Flitwick Eagles Stripes	15	9	3	3	30
4 Wilstead Harriers	12	9	0	3	27
5 Real Luton	16	7	2	7	23
6 Luton Allstars Rattlers	13	7	1	5	22
7 Biggleswade United Reds	16	6	0	10	18
8 Sundon Park Rangers	16	2	0	14	6
9 Kempston Rovers Colts Lions	16	1	0	15	3

Under 13, Division 3

	P	W	D	L	Pts
1 Dunstable Town Youth Blues	19	13	2	4	41
2 Leighton Town Youth Reds	15	13	1	1	40
3 Bedford FC Spitfires	17	11	3	3	39*
4 Markyate Youth	17	12	2	3	38
5 FC Biggleswade Youth	19	13	1	5	37*
6 Sandy FC (Colts)	15	7	2	6	23
7 Leighton Town Youth Stripes	16	7	1	8	22
8 M&DH Clapham Sports	19	7	1	11	22
9 Luton Turk Rangers	20	6	2	12	20
10 St Josephs Youth Greens	16	3	1	12	10
11 Stopsley United Saxons	15	3	0	12	9
12 Bedford Park Rangers	18	0	0	18	0

* indicates points adjusted made

Under 12, Division 1

	P	W	D	L	Pts
1 Astral Park Ballers	16	14	2	0	44
2 Flitwick Eagles Blues	18	12	1	5	37
3 Flitwick Eagles Golds	14	11	3	0	36
4 Dunstable Town Lions	14	9	0	5	27
5 Wootton Rangers Youth	14	7	0	7	21
6 Sacred Heart Youth	14	6	2	6	20
7 Flitwick Eagles Stripes	17	6	1	10	19
8 Aspley Guise	15	6	0	9	18
9 Dunstable Town Tigers	15	3	2	10	11
10 Bedford Town FC Development Blues	20	3	2	15	11
11 Bedford Town FC Development Whites	17	3	1	13	10



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Under 12, Division 2

	P	W	D	L	Pts
1 Leighton United Blues	14	11	1	2	34
2 Kempston Rovers Colts Pumas	17	9	2	6	29
3 Inspire Athletic	17	8	4	5	28
4 Luton Nations Community	15	9	0	6	27
5 Crawley Green Youth Cubs	13	7	3	3	24
6 Atletico Europa	17	4	6	7	18
7 Bromham Youth AFC Lions	15	5	1	9	16
8 Kempston Rovers Colts Tigers	15	5	1	9	16
9 Kempston Rovers Colts Lions	17	4	4	9	16
10 AFC Dunstable	12	2	2	8	8

Under 12, Division 3

	P	W	D	L	Pts
1 Luton Bulls	12	10	1	1	31
2 M&DH Clapham Sports	14	8	0	6	24
3 Dunstable United Reds	16	7	3	6	24
4 Barton Rovers Youth Blues	11	6	2	3	20
5 Crawley Green Youth Panthers	12	6	1	5	19
6 Leighton United Reds	12	5	0	7	15
7 Blunham Youth	11	4	1	6	13
8 Bedford Town FC Development Greys	12	0	0	12	0

Under 12, Division 4

	P	W	D	L	Pts
1 Stopsley United Titans	15	12	1	2	37
2 Flitwick Eagles Reds	17	10	2	5	32
3 Stopsley United Scorpions	15	10	0	5	30
4 Bedford Santos Blues	14	9	2	3	29
5 Houghton Hatters	14	7	1	6	22
6 Dunstable Town Youth	15	7	1	7	22
7 Sandy FC (Colts)	13	7	0	6	21
8 Flitwick Eagles Greens	16	3	1	12	10
9 Wootton Rangers Youth Panthers	16	3	1	12	10
10 Wilstead Harriers	8	1	1	6	4
11 Leighton United Greens	5	0	0	5	0

LEAGUE CUP & PLATE / SHIELD FINALS 2020 RESULTS

Under 11 Spring League Cup

SHEFFORD SAINTS REDS x FLITWICK EAGLES BLUES x

Under 11 Autumn Shield

DUNSTABLE UNITED REDS x LEIGHTON TOWN YOUTH x

**PLEASE NOTE THAT DUE TO THE CANCELLATION OF THE 2019-20
SEASON, NO OTHER CUP FINALS IN ANY AGE GROUP WERE PLAYED**



KEY ACTION DATES

2020

September 6	Full Council Meeting
September 13	Playing Season Commences
October 1	Transfer of Players can commence

2021

January 27	Full Council Meeting (Venue & Format TBC)
February 28	PROPOSED RULE CHANGES to be circulated to Clubs
March 1	Last date for registering players
March 14	PROPOSED RULE CHANGE AMENDMENTS must be submitted to League General Secretary
TBC	Under 18 League Cup Final
TBC	Under 17 League Cup Final
TBC	Under 16 League Cup & Plate Finals
May 9	Under 15 - Under 11 League Cup / Plate Finals Super Sunday, Barton Rovers FC & Parish Council Playing Fields
May 31	Closing date for application of NEW CLUBS & existing Member Clubs must notify the League of their intention to CONTINUE OR WITHDRAW
June 14	Annual General Meeting (Venue & Format TBC)



PAST AWARD WINNERS

PRESIDENT'S AWARD

1973-1974	K. Hoffman	Icknield Harts
1974-1975	D. Anderson	League Officer
1975-1976	G. Ingram	Dynamos Boys Club
1976-1977	J. McGowan	Limbury Boys Club
1977-1978	Dynamos Boys Club	
1978-1979	T. Taylor	Referee
1979-1980	D. Long and S. Everitt	
1980-1981	R. Fullbrook	
1981-1982	B. Hill	Referee
1982-1983	R. Everitt	The 61 F.C. (Luton)
1983-1984	A.E. Swain - posthumously	
1984-1985	G. Rogers	League Officer
1985-1986	P. Mockett	ex- League Chairman
1986-1987	Not Awarded	
1987-1988	D. Kirkpatrick	Limbury Boys Club
1988-1989	J.E. Brown and P.D. Brown	League Officers
1989-1990	B. Wilkinson	Pin Green Juniors
1990-1991	G.C. Henkes - posthumously	
1991-1992	P.D. Brown	League Officer
1992-1993	C.J. Davison	League Officer
1993-1994	Not Awarded	
1994-1995	Not Awarded	
1995-1996	M.J. Ogden	League Officer
1996-1997	G.F. Brock - posthumously	
1997-1998	M. Hall and B. Hall	League Officers
1998-1999	J.E. Brown	League Officer
1999-2000	R. Harvey	League Sponsor
2000-2001	L. Woods	Referee
2001-2002	C.J. Davison	League Officer
2002-2003	D. Sibley and T. Sibley	League Officers
2003-2004	Not Awarded	
2004-2005	B. Fleet	League Officer
2005-2006	M.G. Everitt	League Officer
2006-2007	C.J. Davison	League Officer
2007-2008	S. Greenhalf	Aylesbury Athletic
2008-2009	T. Gee and D. Haywood	League Officers
2009-2010	Not Awarded	
2010-2011	Not Awarded	
2011-2012	V. Shekle	League Officer
2012-2013	Not Awarded	
2013-2014	L. Gazeley and M. Gazeley	Flitwick Eagles
2014-2015	J. D. Brown	League Officer
2015-2016	A. Pledge	Leighton United
2016-2017	D. Garner	Bedford Town Youth
2017-2018	Pamela Johnson	League Officer
2018-2019	R. Shekle and V. Shekle	League Officers
2019-2020	J. D. Brown	League Officer

**THE FRANK BROCK MEMORIAL TROPHY**

1996-1997	Chris. Davison	League Officer
1997-1998	Victor Shekle	League Officer
1998-1999	Paul Mockett	ex- League Chairman
1999-2000	George Rogers	League Officer
2001-2002	Peter Brown	Patron
2002-2003	Maureen and Brian Hall	Leahue Officers
2003-2004	Michael Pratt	Leighton United Youth
2004-2005	Leighton United Youth	
2005-2006	Andy Piggins	Luton Borough Youth
2006-2007	Sadie Gore	Celtic Youth
2007-2008	Melvyn Gazeley	Flitwick Eagles
2008-2009	Jane Brown	League Officer
2009-2010	Alan Pledge	Leighton United
2010-2011	Ron Bates	Crawley Green Youth
2011-2012	Pat and Charlie Newland	Barnfield Colts
2012-2013	Brian Fleet	League Officer
2013-2014	Dave Billington	League Officer
2014-2015	Keith Swain	League Officer
2015-2016	Ricky Shekle	League Officer
2016-2017	Pamela Johnson	League Officer
2017-2018	Graham Johnson	Houghton Athletic
2018-2019	Brian Cooper	Eastcotts FC & Referee
2019-2020	Craig Wells	Leighton United

SECRETARY'S AWARD

1973-1974	R. Weymouth	Sundon Rangers
1974-1995	N. Payne	Harpenden Rovers
1975-1976	R. Fullbrook	Lewsey Centre
1976-1977	K. Payne	Marsh Farm 75
1977-1978	K. Porter & B. Field	Lewsey Centre / Water Eaton
1978-1979	T. Hodge	Dynamos Boys Club
1979-1980	T. Ingram	Stopsley Boys Club
1980-1981	P. Walker & J. Basterfield	Hillborough Hatters / Totternhoe
1981-1982	B. Wilkinson	Pin Green Juniors
1982-1983	R. Ridout	Oldhill United
1983-1984	D. Graham	Fairlands Youth
1984-1985	R. Mersh	Toddington Rovers Youth
1985-1986	A. Smart and P. Harvey	St. Joseph Youth
1986-1987	S. Williams	Wigmore Athletic
1987-1988	N. Troughton	Stony Stratford Town Youth
1988-1989	A. Vass	Woodstock & Rotheram
1989-1990	D. Watson	Barton Stars
1990-1991	S. Greenhalf	Aylesbury United Juniors
1991-1992	J. Hill	Delco Products Dynamo
1992-1993	D. Holland	Pioneers
1993-1994	R. Fowler	Dunstable Town Youth
1994-1995	J. Wood	West Luton Saints
1995-1996	J. White	Ramridge Rangers
1996-1997	Y. Riddell	Lewsey Centre Youth
1997-1998	M. Pratt	Leighton United Youth
1998-1999	P. Goldsbrough	Leighton Corinthian Youth
1999-2000	D. Richards	Sundon Park Rangers
2000-2001	M. Harding	Markyate Youth



2001-2002	M. Gazeley	Flitwick Eagles
2002-2003	E. Neil	Amphill Boys
2003-2004	K. Swain	Crawley Green Youth
2004-2005	N. Fuller	AFC Kempston Colts
2005-2006	K. Swain	Crawley Green Youth
2006-2007	J. Tombe	Harlington Juniors
2007-2008	A. Maczugowska	St. Joseph Youth
2008-2009	A. Pickering	Caddington Youth
2009-2010	A. Hall	Shefford Saints
2010-2011	C. Nelson	Eastcotts
2011-2012	R. Watson	AFC Luton
2012-2013	J. Fox	EB Lions
2013-2014	A. Barker	Dunstable Town Youth
2014-2015	R. Bates	Crawley Green Youth
2015-2016	A. McLaren	AFC Kempston Rovers Colts
2016-2017	I. Rabjohn	Amphill Town Youth
2017-2018	D. Sharp	Sandy Colts
2018-2019	E. Vase	AFC Oakley M&DH
2019-2020	D. McGeorge	Sacred Heart Youth

THE DERRICK ALLEN TROPHY FOR YOUTH FOOTBALL

1978-1979	Harlington Youth	14/16 Division 3
1979-1980	John Taylor	Totternhoe
1980-1981	David Gurd	Westbury Eagles
1981-1982	Stuart Harding	Barton Rovers
1982-1983	Wayne Turner	Luton Town F.C. and Lewsey Centre
1983-1984	Mrs. Kay Porter and Brian Porter	Lewsey Centre
1984-1985	Kerry Dixon	Chelsea F.C. and Lewsey Centre
1985-1986	Kingsley Black	St. Joseph Youth
1986-1987	Terry Sadler	Beds. F.A. Youth
1987-1988	Norman Sears	Beds. F.A. Youth
1988-1989	Jeff Johnson	I.O.W. and CYFL Life Vice-President
1989-1990	Colin Chapman	Referee
1990-1991	Terry Squires	Fishermead Youth
1991-1992	Bob Paterson	Copenhagen Colts
1992-1993	Bob Taylor	CYFL Vice-President & Chair BedsFA
1993-1994	Westoning Boys Club	
1994-1995	St. Joseph Youth	
1995-1996	Limbury Boys Club	
1996-1997	Lewsey Centre Youth	
1997-1998	Charles Simmonds	Beds. F.A.
1998-1999	Jim White	Crawley Rams Youth
1999-2000	Reg. Fowler	Dunstable Town Youth
2000-2001	Ron Cross	Referee
2001-2002	John Parsons	Referee
2002-2003	Tom Lee	League Officer
2003-2004	Jackie and Eddie Wood	West Luton Saints
2004-2005	Peter Eastwood	Referee
2005-2006	Ricky Shekle	Referee & League Officer
2006-2007	John Ellingham	Dunstable Colts
2007-2008	Colin Miceli	Referee
2008-2009	Sadie Gore	Celtic Youth
2009-2010	Pat and Charlie Newland	Barnfield Colts
2010-2011	Alison Pickering	Caddington Youth



2011-2012	Steve Greenhalf	Aylesbury Athletic
2012-2013	Alan Pledge	Leighton United
2013-2014	Dean Haywood	League Officer
2014-2015	Nicky and Neil Fearn	Houghton Athletic Youth
2015-2016	Steve Chamberlain	Luton Borough/Chiltern Junior Sevens

SPORTING TROPHY

1977-1978	FC Houghton
1978-1979	Derby Way Wanderers
1979-1980	St. Johns (Sunder Park)
1980-1981	L.B. Corinthians
1981-1982	Fairlands Youth
1982-1983	Eaton Bray All Golds
1983-1984	Chiltern Greens
1984-1985	Shillington Youth
1985-1986	Newport Pagnell Youth
1986-1987	Furzton Youth
1987-1988	B.R.Foxes
1988-1989	Beaudesert Old Boys
1989-1990	Auckland Youth
1990-1991	Dragons Youth
1991-1992	Delco Products Dynamo (Under 13)
1992-1993	Amphill Boys (Under 10)
1993-1994	Dunstable Town Youth (Under 14)
1994-1995	Markyate Youth (Under 10)
1995-1996	Gliders (Under 12)
1996-1997	Harlington Juniors Reds (Under 11)
1997-1998	Leighton United Youth (Under 13)
1998-1999	Sundon Park Rangers (Under 12)
1999-2000	Hexton Youth (Under 14)
2000-2001	Ridgeway Wolves (Under 12)
2001-2002	Sacred Heart Youth (Under 13)
2002-2003	Lea Sports (Under 17)
2003-2004	Hitchin Town Youth Luton (Under 12)
2004-2005	Bushmead Rovers (Under 11)
2005-2006	Bushmead Wanderers 'B' (Under 11)
2006-2007	Shefford Saints/Aylesbury Athletic
2007-2008	Watling Youth
2008-2009	Aylesbury Athletic
2009-2010	Beecroft Youth
2010-2011	Barton Rovers Youth B
2011-2012	Bedford Park Rangers
2012-2013	Dunstable Town Youth Whites
2013-2014	Staploe & Duloe
2014-2015	Leighton United Greens
2015-2016	Dunstable Town Whites
2016-2017	Amphill Town Youth Cobras
2017-2018	Bedford Town Youth Whites
2018-2019	AFC Dunstable
2019-2020	Crawley Green Youth Cubs

**SPORTING TROPHY (TEAM AWARDS) - 2019-2020**

Under 18 Leighton United Reds (P&I)
 Under 17 Stewkley
 Under 16 AFC Dunstable Blues
 Under 15 Sandy FC (Colts)
 Under 14 Barton Rovers Youth Blues
 Under 13 Sundon Park Rangers
 Under 12 Crawley Green Youth Cubs
 Under 11 Flitwick Eagles Golds (joint)
 Under 11 Dunstable United Reds (joint)

ROLL OF HONOUR

1974-75	G. Ingram	Dynamos B.C.	England Schoolboys
	J. Doyle	Luton B.C.	England N.A.B.C.
	A. Tinkler	Bedford Falcons	England N.A.B.C.
1975-76	J. Duffield	Bedford Falcons	England N.A.B.C..
	G. Sisman	Icknield Harts	England Schoolboys
1977-78	S. Brookes	Colwell Youth	England Schoolboys
	G. Kerr	Limbury B.C.	England N.A.B.C.
1981-82	S. Harding	Barton Rovers	England Schoolboys
1983-84	R. Harvey	Fairlands Youth	England Schoolboys
1985-86	K. Black	St. Joseph Youth	England Schoolboys
1988-89	G. Horwood	St. Joseph Youth	England Schools Under 18
1998-99	G. Taylor	Dunstable Town Youth	England Schools Under 18



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