













Induction for Club Officials Workshop

July 2018

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Overview of County FA

Vision







To get as many people to play the game, In the best possible environment!

Organisational Structure





- Board of Directors
- County FA Council Life Members, Affiliated Associations Representatives and League Representative
 - League Representative Voted on by Clubs at League AGMs
 - Elected Delegate on FA Council
- Standing Committees 7 Including; Competitions, Referees, Discipline, Representative, Youth, Adult and Sanctions

Staff





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Staff





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Running a Club

Pre, During and Post Season Tasks

Pre-Season Tasks

Process / Task Differs across leagues





WGS Processes

Club Committee

Affiliation: Complete and forward the appropriate documentation and fees to the County FA and league or other competitions. Clubs with youth sections to have an appointed Club Welfare Officer. This is also recommended for Adult Clubs with under 18 players.

Registration: Ensure all players are registered with the appropriate league (forms will be available from the league). Up to date photographs may be required.

Insurance: It is compulsory for all affiliated clubs in your county to be covered by Public Liability Insurance and Personal Accident Insurance. Details of these can be found with the affiliation information.

Finance & Setting Subscriptions: It is advisable to produce a list of costs to run your team which will help you create a budget of income and expenditure for the season. You will be required to send in a copy of your club accounts annually. Set a subscription for players and members to meet your costs for the season. Carry out fund raising (appropriate to the club).

Meetings: Organise club/team meetings (eg. Weekly Training, Monthly Management Meeting, AGM). Also attend relevant league or County FA meetings when required.

Delegation: Club Secretaries/Team Managers should seek support from other members to spread the administrative workload where practical.

Pre-Season Tasks

Process / Task Differs across leagues





WGS Processes

<u>Team Responsibilities – Coaches / Managers/ Parents</u>

Facilities: Arrange pitch(es) which comply with appropriate league regulations and specifications. It is also prudent to arrange/book training facilities early.

Players: Ensure each team has a squad of at least 14 players or the appropriate number for Mini Soccer/Small Sided teams.

Friendly Fixtures: Arrange fixtures with secretaries of other affiliated clubs and notify the County FA for approval.

Kit & Equipment: Purchase suitable equipment prior to the start of your fixtures and ensure you have sufficient equipment for all teams in your club. The necessary equipment will include, playing strip, first aid kit, nets and balls.

During Season Tasks

Process / Task Differs across leagues





WGS Processes

Club Committee Responsibilities

Disciplinary Procedures: This is an ongoing task throughout the season. The secretary and players must complete and return appropriate documentation with fines. A record should be kept of players discipline and ensure any suspended players do not play.

Confirm Fixture eg. kick-off time, colours, directions to ground, availability of pitch with groundsman, match officials.

During Season Tasks

Process / Task Differs across leagues





WGS Processes

Team Responsibilities - Coaches/ Managers/ Parents

Pitch: Ensure pitch is safe and correctly prepared with nets, flags, markings and access to appropriate changing facilities.

Match Officials: Ensure match officials have been paid (home team only).

Refreshments: Provide refreshments where appropriate.

Medical Bag: Further details can be found on the Pitch Side Medical Bag page

Results: Ensure the result card is completed and posted to the appropriate league official to arrive by designated time. Please note the competition may require the result to be confirmed by telephoning the appropriate official. Level of detail on result card (e.g. players, goal scorers, substitutions, injuries etc) will be depend on league policy.

End of Season Tasks





Club Committee Responsibilities

AGM: Arrange AGM and/or presentation evening.

Club Accounts: A copy of your club accounts must be posted or emailed to the County FA by the 30th September each season.





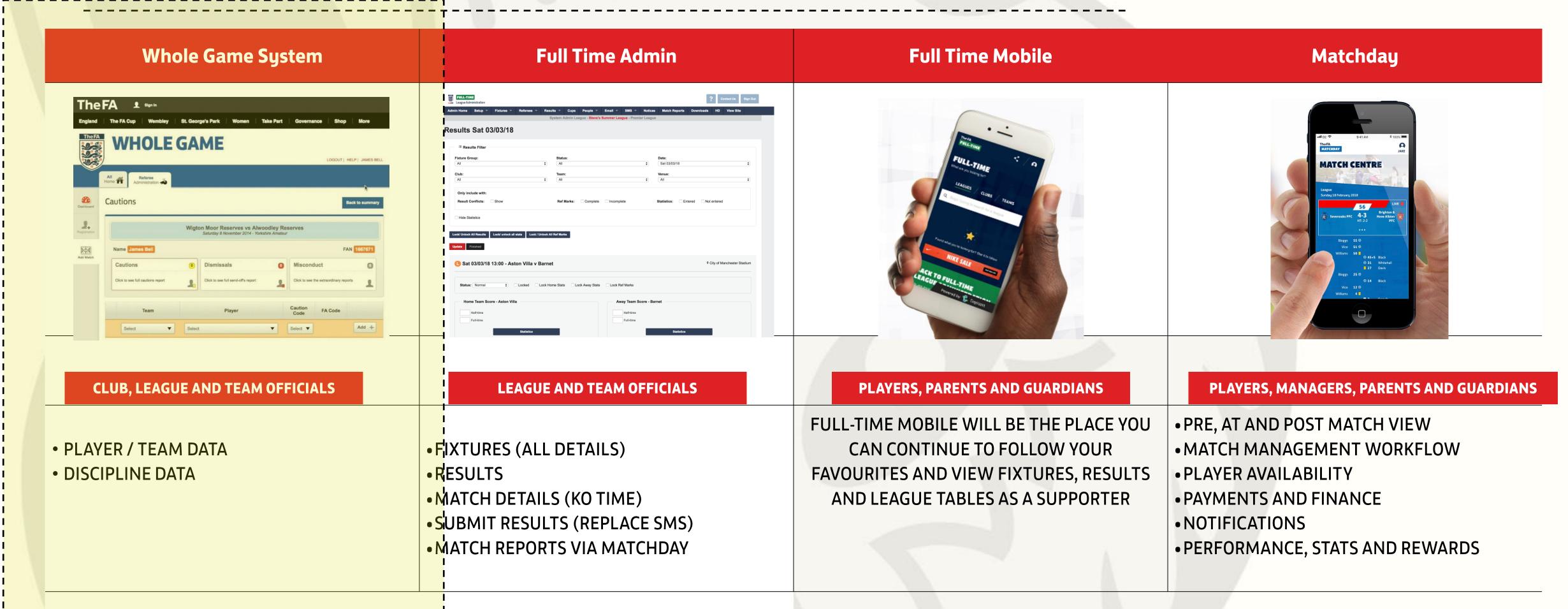


Introduction in using FA Technology Systems

FA Technology Systems







Whole Game System

Accessed via - https://wholegame.thefa.com/





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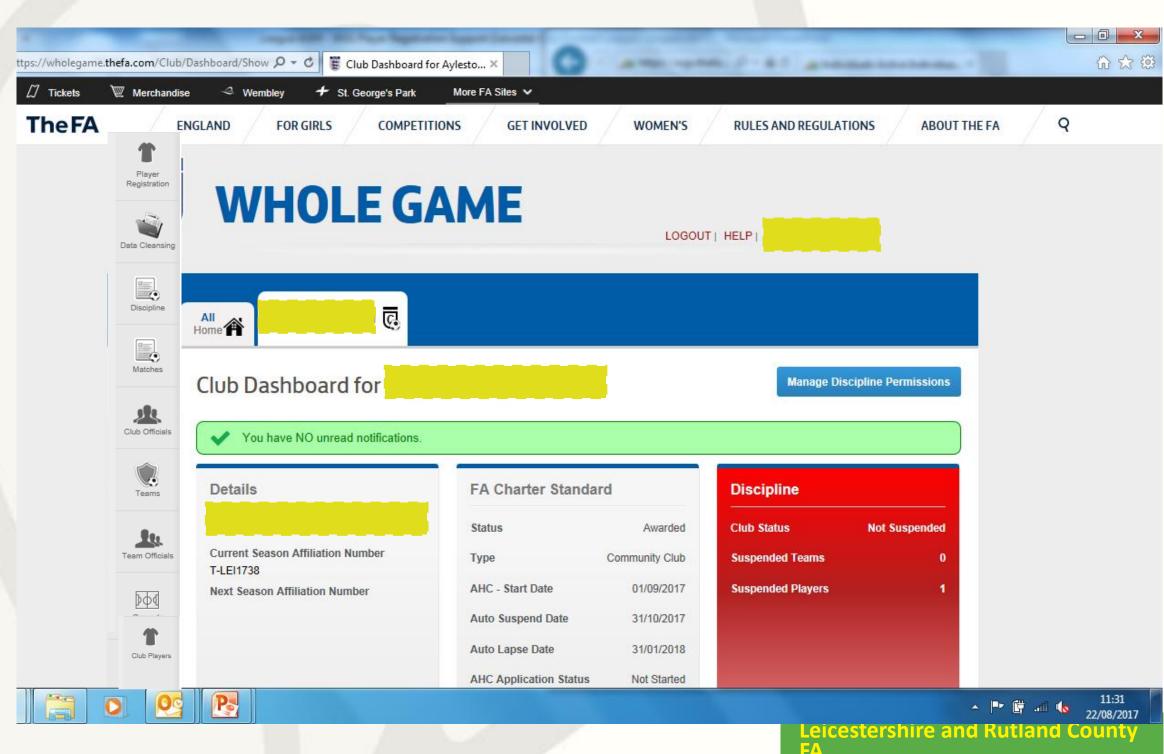
The Whole Game System (WGS) is the FA Online Administration System.

FAN (FA Number) or email needed to log in (FAN is also needed to book onto Courses)

WGS is predominately used by Club and League Management Committees but can also used by Referees and Coaches

WGS can be used for;

- Club Affiliation
- Adding Club and Team Officials
- Checking Coaches CRC Status
- Discipline Administration
- Paying County FA Invoices
- Player Registrations (if league using the system)
- Inputting Ground Information
- Charter Standard Health Check







How To Add Club Officials on WGS



Details

Affiliation 2017 - 2018

Safeguarding

Player Registration

Club Dashboard for Leicestershire Test

Manage Discipline Permissions



You have unread notifications. Click here to go to notifications.

Current Suspensions

Case ID	Offender	Term	Football level	Start Date	End Date
No results found!					

Pending Suspensions

Case ID	Offender	Term	Football level	Start Date	End Date
9177695- S	Test Player	3 matches	CFA Only - All Sunday Football	29/10/2017	_

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Discipline	

Data Cleansing





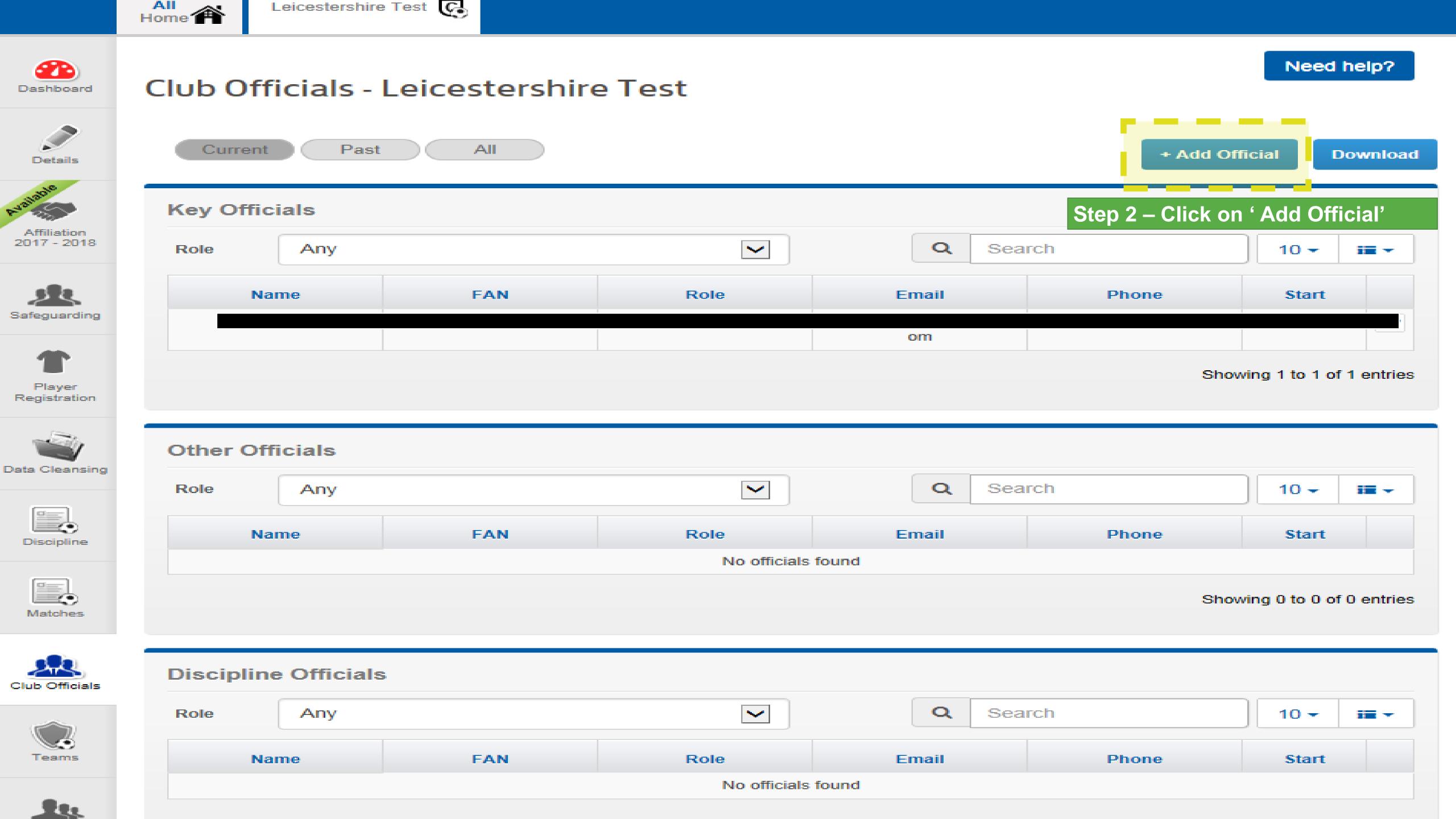


Details Leicestershire Test Current Season Affiliation Number Step 1 – Click on the Club Officials Tab

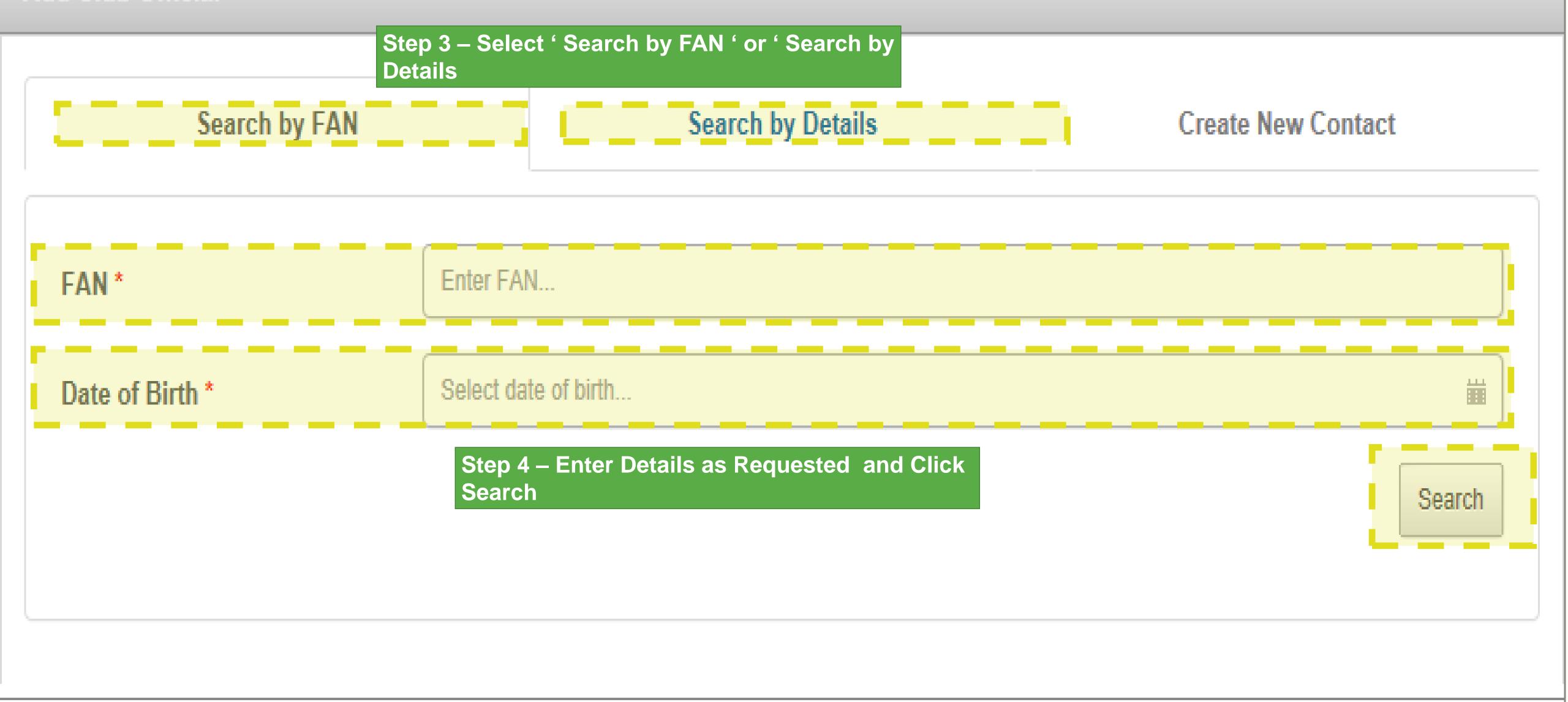
FA Charter Standard		
Status	None	
Туре	None	
AHC - Start Date	01/09/2017	
Auto Suspend Date	31/10/2017	
Auto Lapse Date	31/01/2018	
AHC Application Status	Not Started	

Discipline		
Club Status	Not Suspended	
Suspended Teams	0	
Suspended Players	0	

Search



Add Club Official





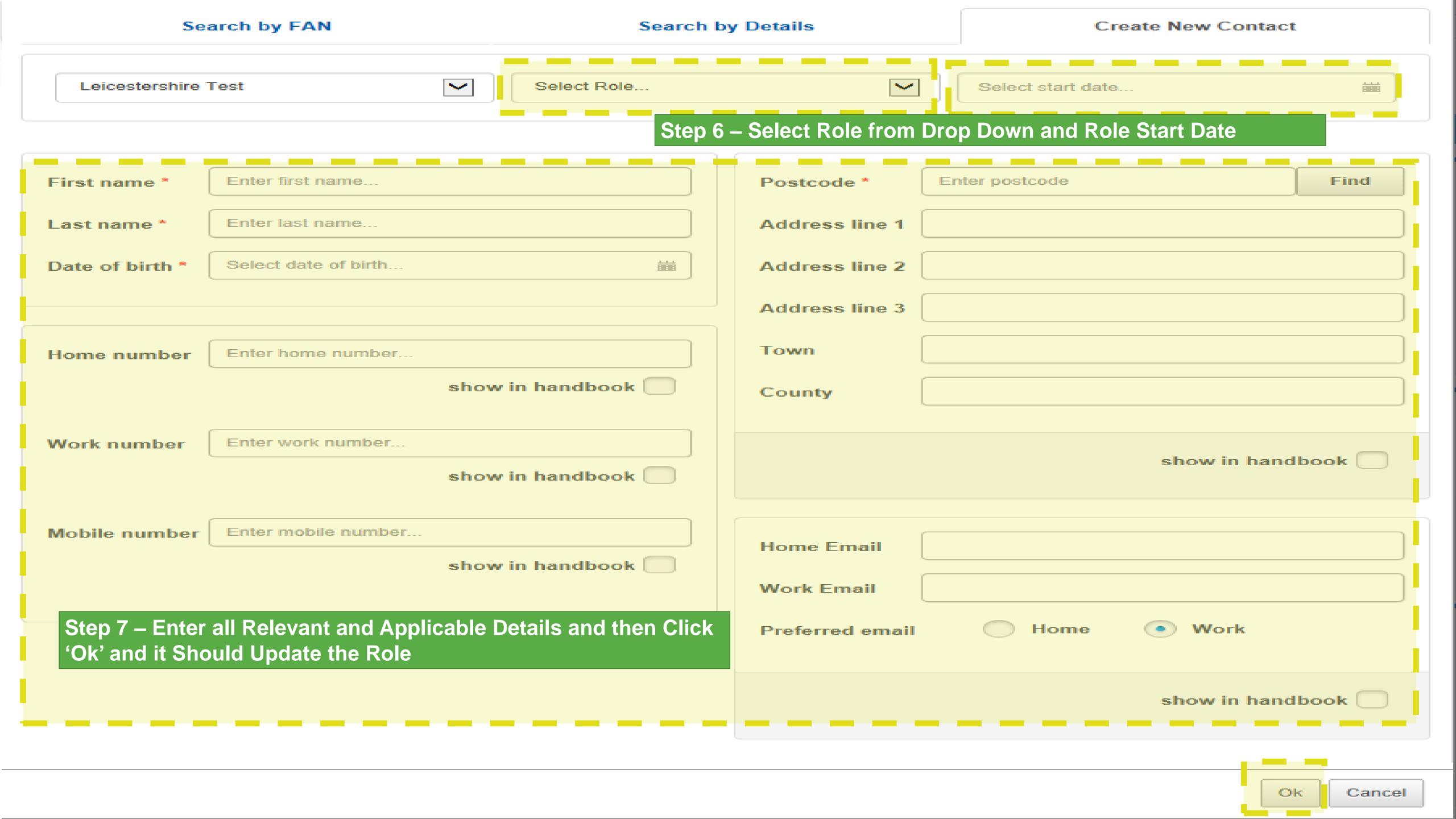


FAN	Name	Club
0	Test Player	Leicestershire Test

Step 5a – If the Correct Person Shows Tick the Box to the Left of the Individual. Use the Drop Down for Select Role Above to Select a Role and also Select a Start Date. Then Click 'Ok' and It Should Update the Role.

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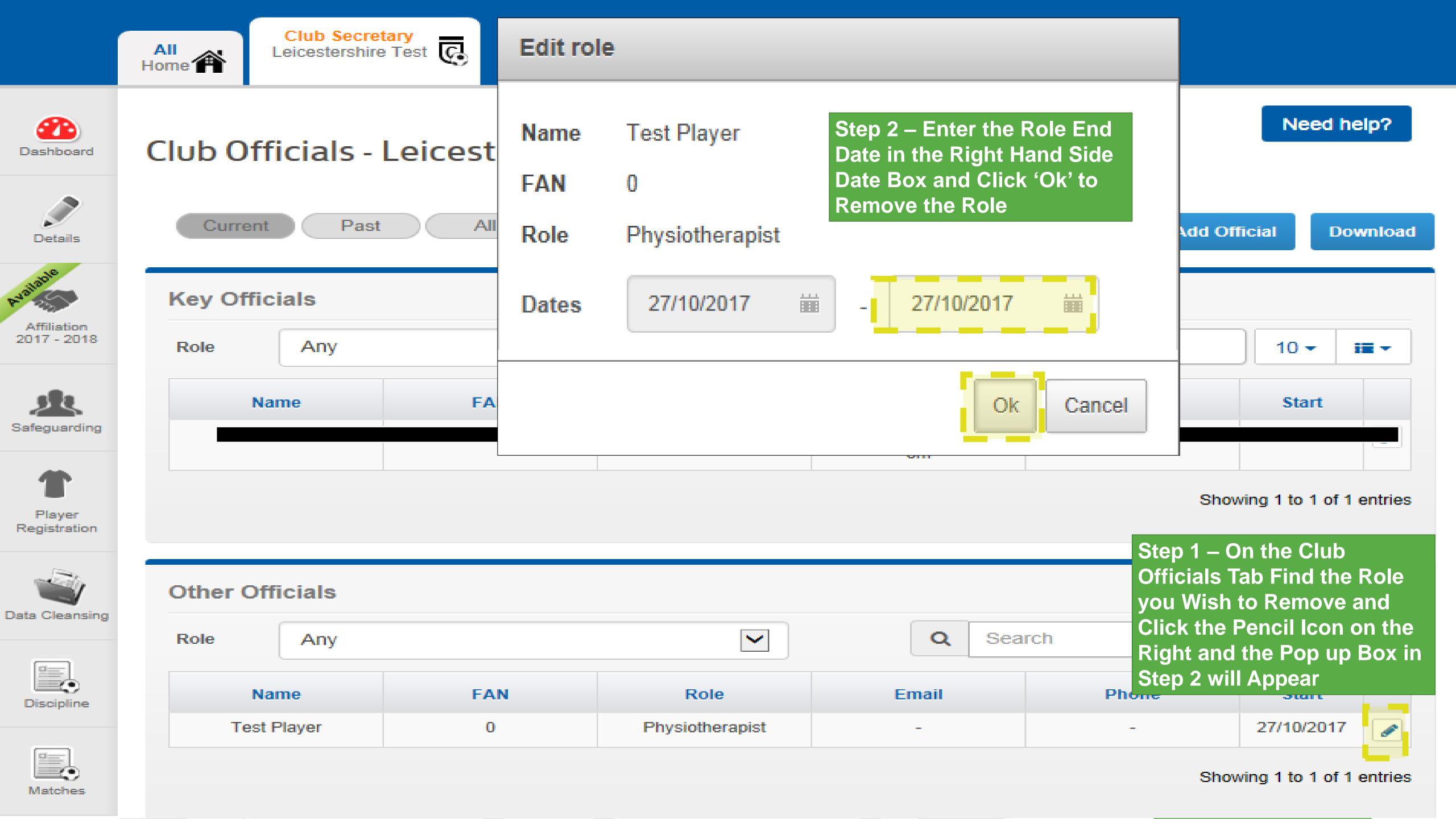








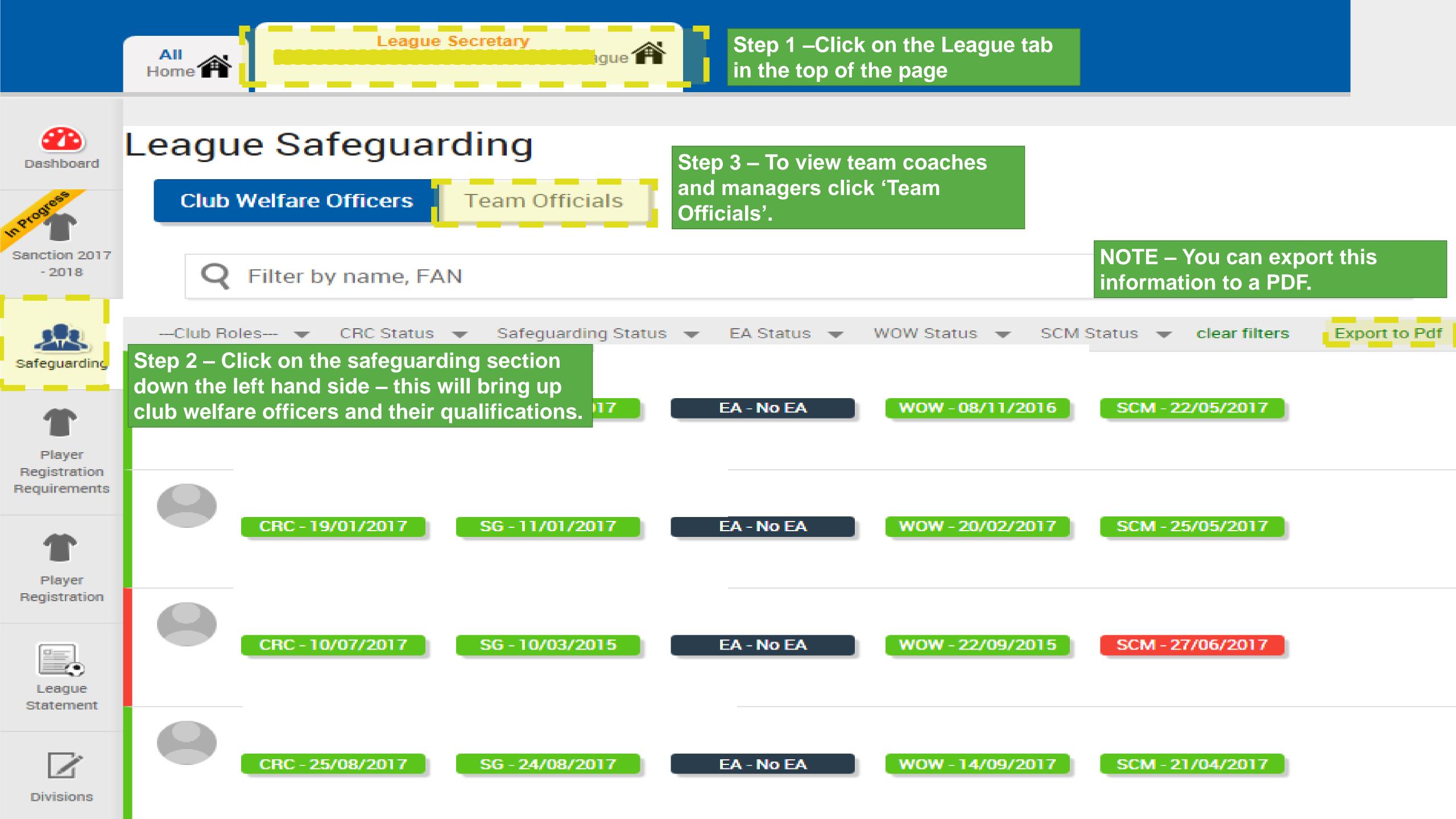
How To Remove Club Officials







How To Review CRCs in Clubs









League Safeguarding

Sanction 2017

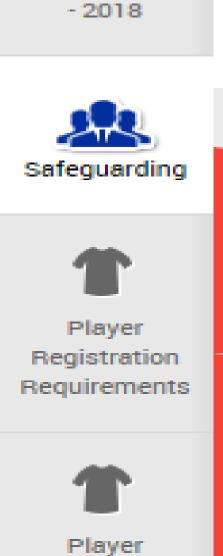
Club Welfare Officers Team Officials

Q Filter by name, club welfare officers

This will now show team officials instead of club welfare officers

Safeguarding Status 🔻

NOTE – You can export this information to a PDF.







EA Status 🔻

SG - 25/09/2016



---Clubs --- 🔻



clear filters



CRC Status 🔻

CRC - 17/08/2016

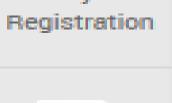


SCM Status -

WOW - No WOW

---Teams --- 🔻

SCM - No SCM



CRC

CRC - 15/02/2017 SG - 26/05/2016





SCM - No SCM



Divisions



CRC - 04/06/2015 SG - 24/08/2017

EA - 13/07/2017

WOW - No WOW

SCM - No SCM





Registering Players on the WGS (not required in all leagues)

WGS Player Registration





Current situation;

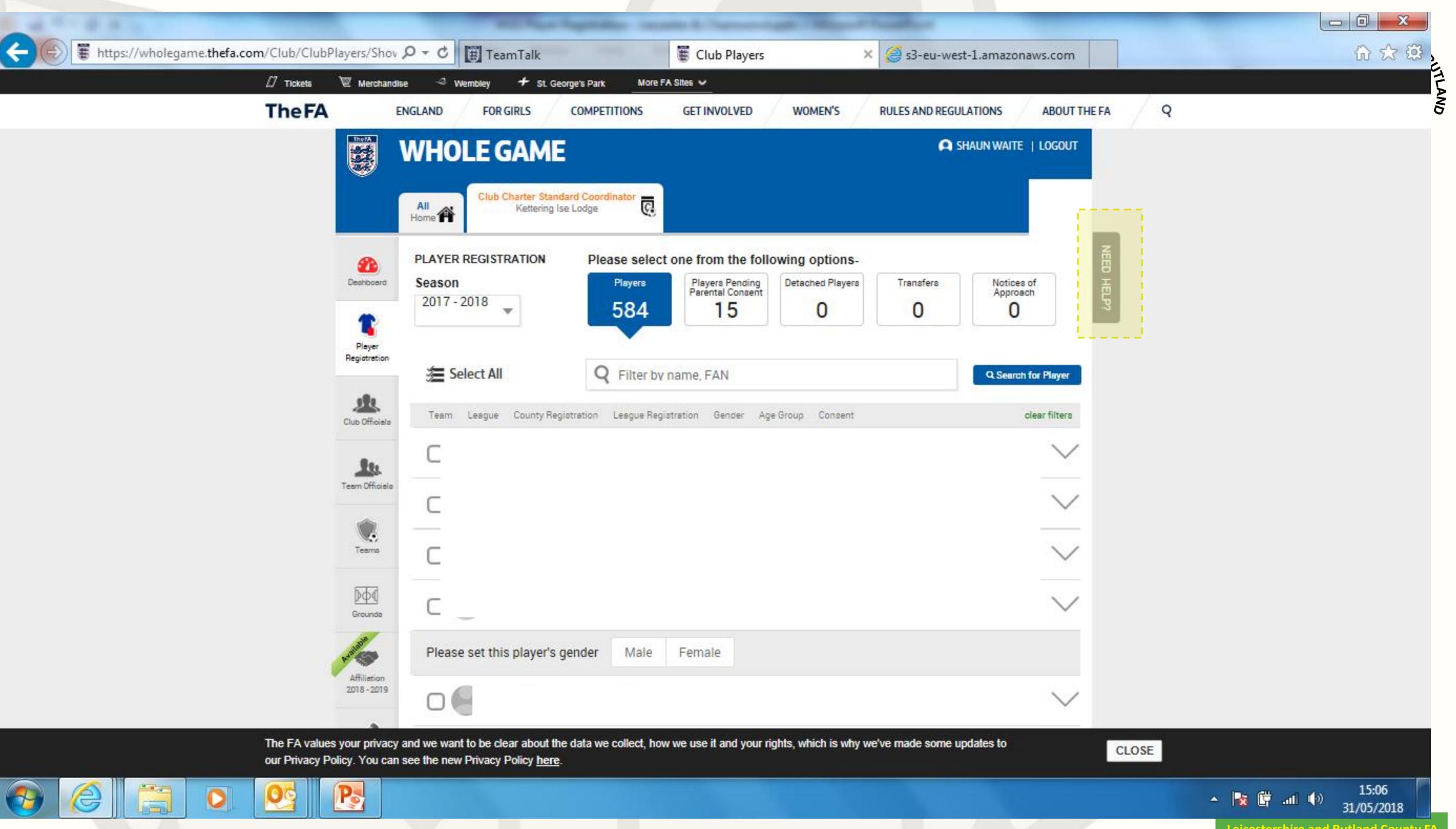
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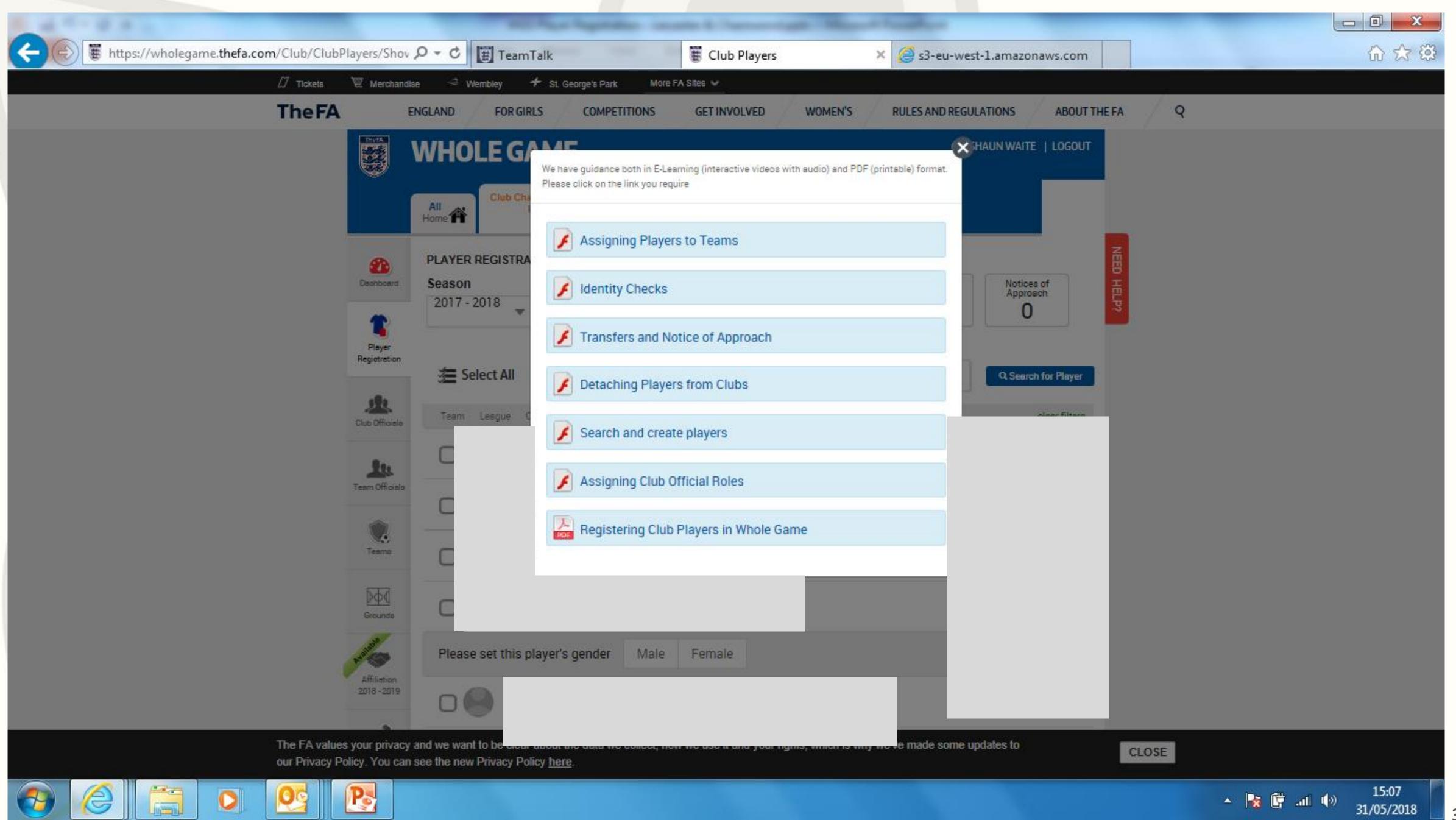
Benefits;

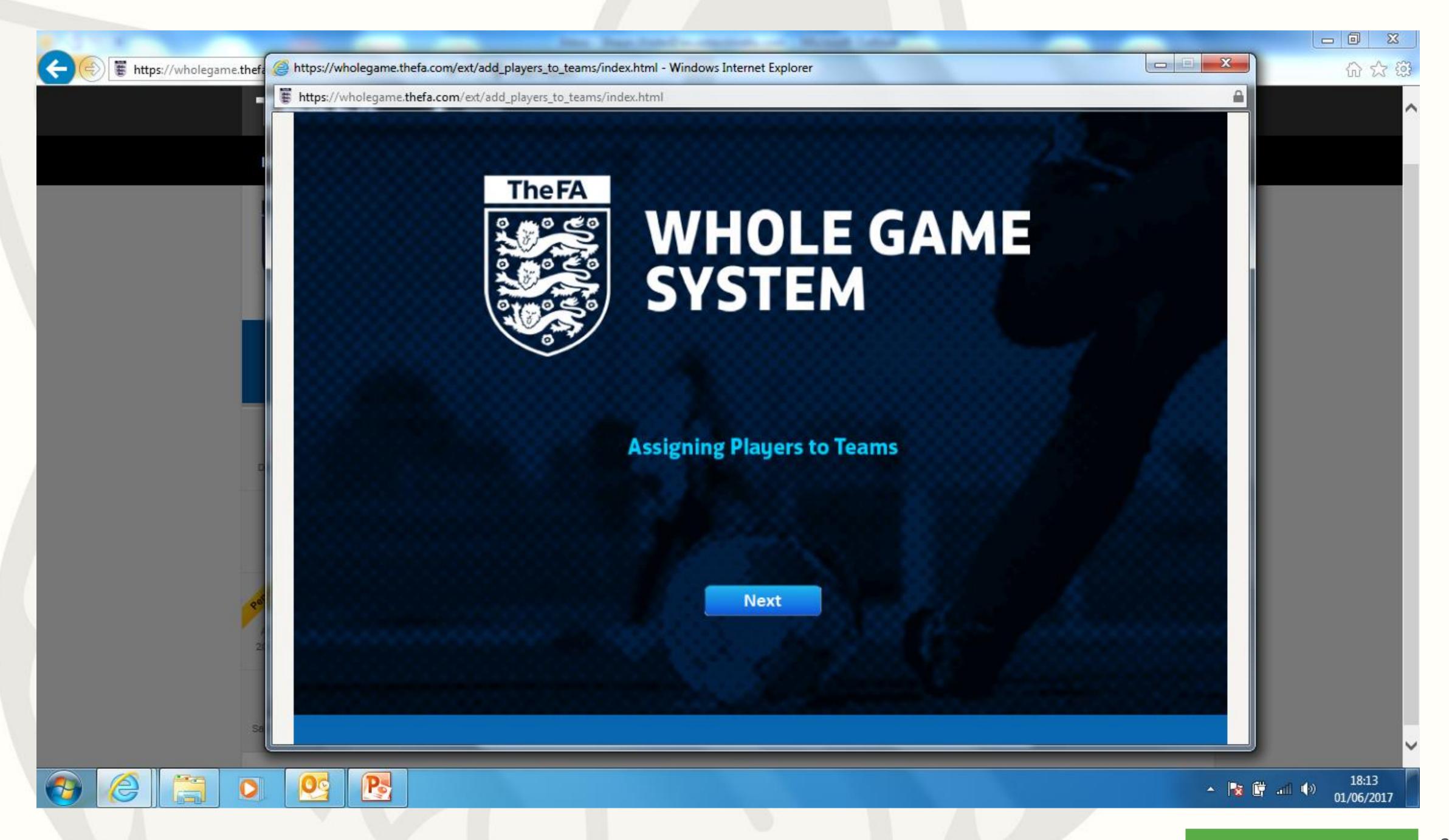
- Efficient Online Registration Process
- Easier to track Discipline
- Linking Player Information on WGS and Full-Time Website avoiding repetition and duplication of processes
- GDPR Compliant

Support Available;

- Webinars with The FA (Every Monday and Wednesday during July, 7pm email: PlayerRegistrations@TheFA.com to book)
- E-Learning Resource available for Clubs on WGS
- Printed Training Notes



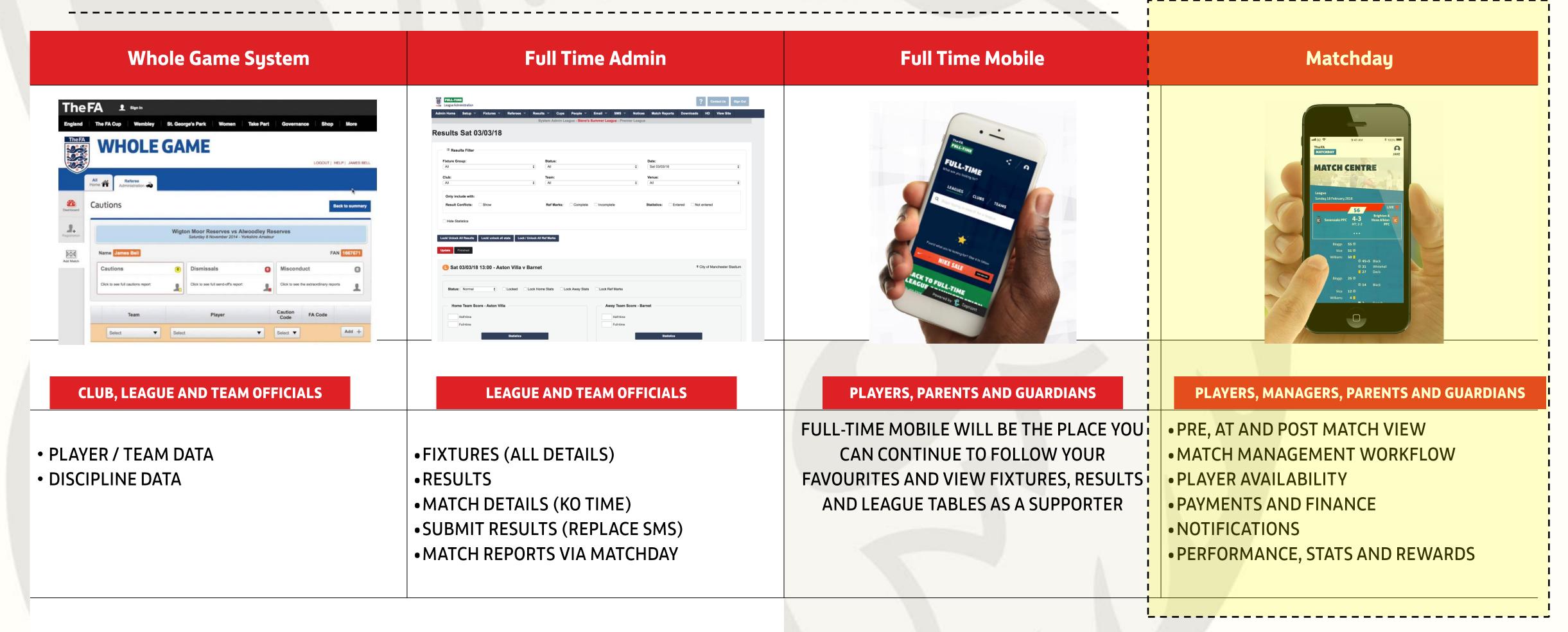




FA Technology Systems







New FA Match Day App





http://www.thefa.com/about-football-association/matchday-faqs







Club Affiliation

County FA Affiliation





- ------
- All clubs and teams must affiliate to the County FA
- Completed by the Club Secretary before 31st May.
- County FA affiliation is NOT the same as League Registrations. (Clubs will need to register for the league separately)
- Affiliation requires: clubs officials, coach, teams, playing venue information and leagues
- Accuracy of data important. It impacts on:
 - League Sanctioning
 - Registering Players
 - Appearing on League Full-Time sites
 - Accessing new Match Day App







Discipline and Appeal Process

County FA Discipline Process





County FA oversee the administration of cautions, red cards and misconduct.

FA Discipline Handbook 2017—18: Click here

Whole Game System - Discipline Portal Guide: Click here

Cautions and Red Cards





Cautions and Red Cards

Process;

- Reported by the referee via the WGS.
- Automatic Sanction as per FA Rules (even if the club does not receive notification).
- Clubs must acknowledge every caution and red card via WGS within 14 days (cautions) and 7 days (red cards)
 - Can only appeal some red cards. Must inform County FA within 2 days of the match.
- Fines will be invoiced on the WGS. Clubs have 14 days to pay.





How to respond to Cautions/Red Cards on WGS







Club Dashboard for Leicestershire Test

Manage Discipline Permissions











Case ID	Offender	Term	Football level	Start Date	End Date			
No results found!								





Details



Case ID	Offender	Term	Football level	Start Date	End Date		
No results found!							



Matches

Leicestershire Test Step 1 – click on the Discipline tab Next Season Affiliation Number

FA Charter Standard	
Status	None
Туре	None
AHC - Start Date	01/09/2017
Auto Suspend Date	31/10/2017

Discipline	
Club Status	Not Suspended
Suspended Teams	0
Suspended Players	0







Leicestershire Test Discipline Summary

Show Response Due

Intention To Claim

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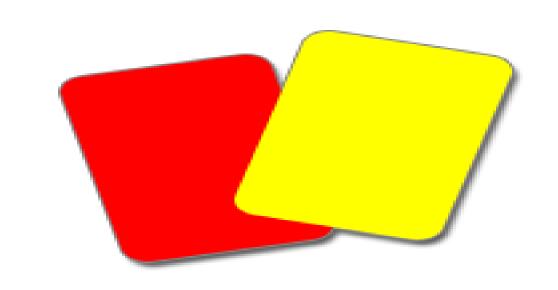


NFT



County FA 2017 - 2018

	Cautions	Send Offs	Misconducts	Rule Breach	AII
FT	1	1	0	0	2
NFT	0	0	0	0	0
Club	0	0	0	0	0





Case ID	Status	Paid	Response Due Date
9177695- S	Awaiting club confirmation		03/11/2017
9177694- C	Step 2 – click or number	the 'cas	e ID' 11/2017

Search

	Offender	Offence Date	Level	Match Details	Case ID	Status	Paid	Response Due Date
S	Test Player	22/10/2017	FT	Leicestershire Test First v Bye First	9177695- S	Awaiting club confirmation		03/11/2017
C	Test Player	22/10/2017	FT	Leicestershire Test First v Bye First	9177694- C	Step 2 – click on the 'case ID' 11/2017 number		se ID' 11/2017



First Team Non First Team







Details









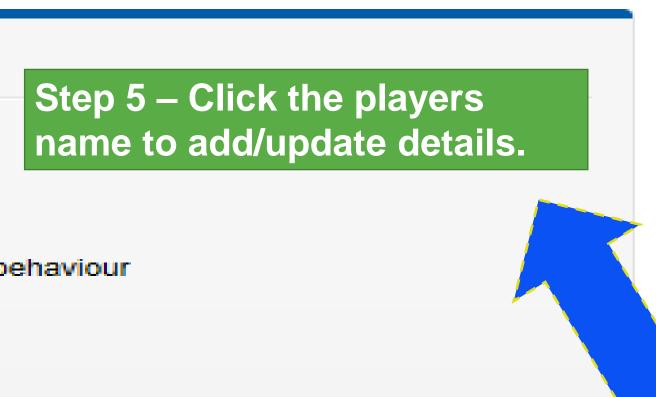




Caution Details

Leicestershire Test First v Bye First

22/10/2017



Step 4 – If the below message pops up continue through the steps provided.

Acknowledge

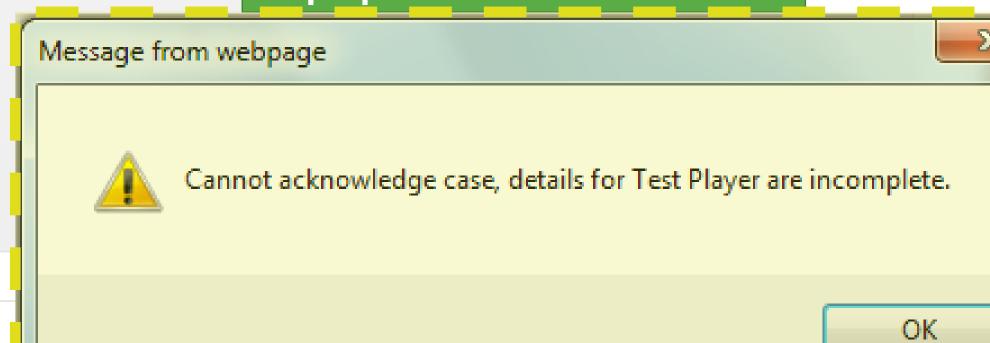
Step 3 – Click 'Acknowledge',

then click 'Ok' on the

following pop up box.

Lodge Claim A

Sack





Name:

Test Player

Date of Birth: -

Offence: C1 - Unsporting behaviour

Offence Date: 22/10/2017

Response Due Date: 10/11/2017

Outstanding Balance: £10.00 ▼

Acknowledged: No

1st team cautions this season*:

non 1st team cautions this season*:

* These totals includes any cautions imposed by the CFA







Participant Discipline - Test Player



Participant Profile

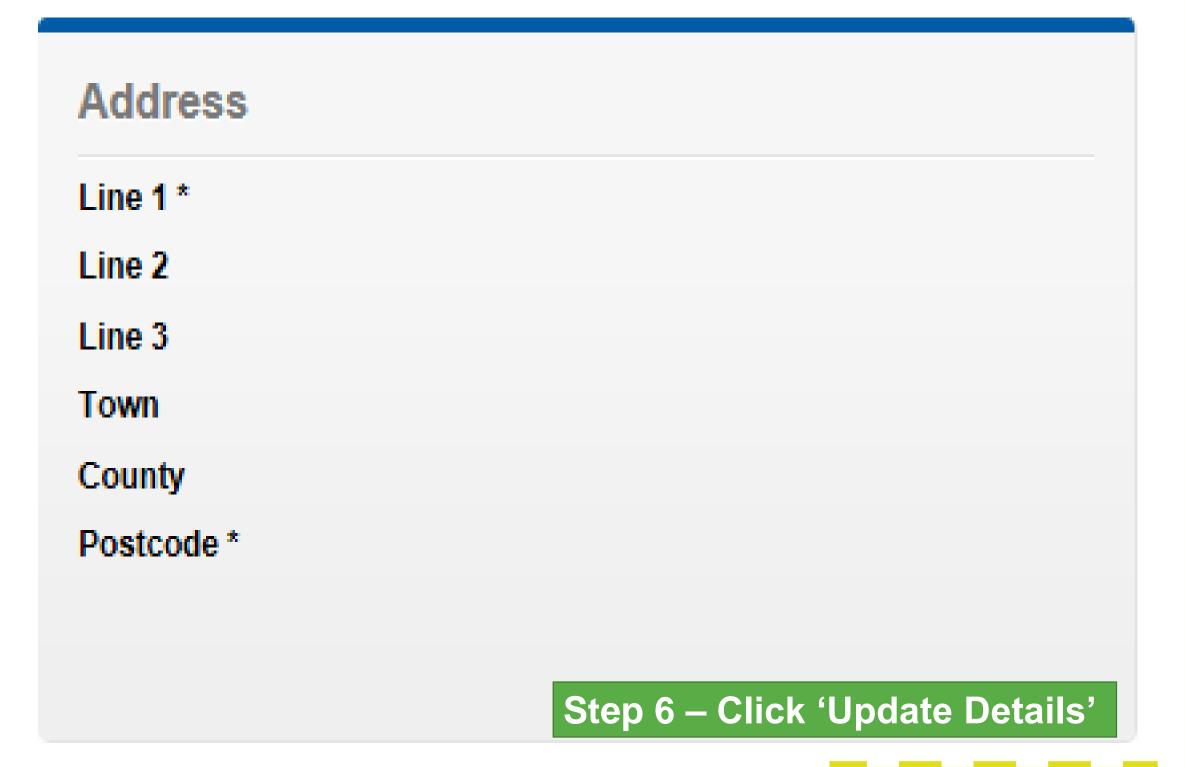








Name	Test Player
FAN	
DOB *	_
Phone	
Mobile	
Business	
Email	









Dashboard

Update Participant Details



















FAN ID	0
First name *	Test
Last name *	Player
Date of birth *	Select date of birth
Home number	Step 7 – Input the players' address and DOB show in handbook
Work number	Enter work number show in handbook
Mobile number	Enter mobile number show in handbook

Postcode *	Enter postcode	Find
Address line 1		
Address line 2		
Address line 3		
Town		
County		
	show in han	dbook 🗹
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Home Email	show in han	dbook 🕶
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Save 🖺









Participant Discipline - Test Player

Sack

Participant Profile











FAN 0
DOB* 27/10/1917

Phone Mobile

Business

Email



Line 1 * Leicestershire & Rutland County Football

Association Ltd

Line 2 Dog & Gun Lane

Line 3 Whetstone

Town LEICESTER

County

Postcode * LE8 6FA

Update Details







Test Player





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	Offender	Offence Date	Level	Match Details	Case ID	Status	Paid	Response Due Date
S	Test Player	22/10/2017	FT	Leic Test return to t				03/11/2017
C	Test Player	22/10/2017	FT	Leicestershire Test First v Bye First	9177694- C	Awaiting club confirmation		10/11/2017



Details





Caution Details

Sack Acknowledge Lodge Claim △



22/10/2017

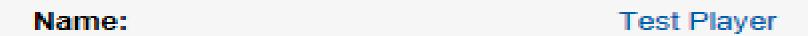
Leicestershire Test First v Bye First

Step 10 – Click Acknowledge and then select 'Ok' on the following pop up.



Safeguarding

Player Registration



Date of Birth: 27/10/1917

Offence: C1 - Unsporting behaviour

Offence Date: 22/10/2017

Response Due Date: 10/11/2017

Outstanding Balance: £10.00 *

Acknowledged: No

1st team cautions this season*:

non 1st team cautions this season*:

* These totals includes any cautions imposed by the CFA











County FA - Misconduct





- Any breaches of FA rules not covered by cautions and sending offs (e.g. Spectator behaviour, managers conduct, player conduct)
- Could include abusive, indecent or insulting behaviour / language.

Process;

- Should be reported to Referee if possible, who will then report to County FA, or can be reported directly. discipline@leicestershirefa.com
- County FA investigates and decides on a charge. (this does not means the case is proven)
- Club notified of charge via WGS.
- Club then responds to the charge (guilty, not guilty, plus correspondence or personal hearing)
- Hearing set and commission decides if charge is proven or not proven.
 - If proven, commission will decide on sanction (fines, education, suspension)
- Club notified of outcome of commission's decision.
- Fines invoiced to Club on WGS. Club has 14 days to pay.





How To Respond to Misconduct Cases







Details

Club Dashboard for Leicestershire Test

Manage Discipline Permissions





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Current Suspensions

Case ID	Offender	Term	Football level	Start Date	End Date	
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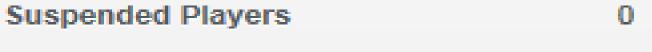
Step 2 – Click on the discipline section down the left hand side

Next Season Affiliation Number

FA Charter Standard	
Status	None
Туре	None
AHC - Start Date	01/09/2017
Auto Suspend Date	31/10/2017

Discipline

Club Status Not Suspended Suspended Teams 0





Discipline









Leicestershire Test Discipline Summary

Show Response Due

Intention To Claim







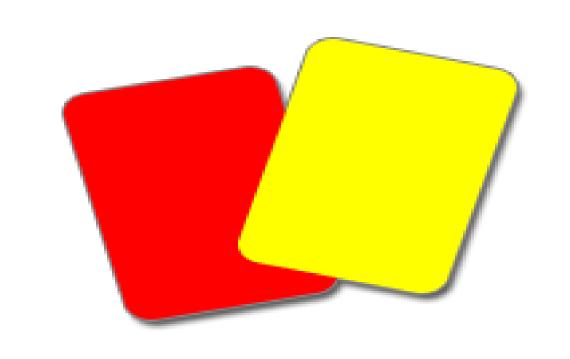




Discipline	



	Cautions	Send Offs	Misconducts	Rule Breach	AII
FT	0	0	1	0	1
NFT	0	0	0	0	0
Club	0	0	0	0	0



♣ Download Cases	♣ Download 5 Year Summary
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			Response Due
Case ID	Status	Paid	Date
9190163- M	Step 3 – Click Case ID Num		-

Search

	Offender	Offence Date	Level	Match Details	Case ID	Status	Paid	Response Due Date
M	Test Player	22/10/2017	FT	Leicestershire Test First v Bye First	9190163- M	Step 3 – Click Case ID Numb		

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Non-match base isconduct Details





Leicestershire Test First v Bye First

22/10/2017

Step 4 – Once you are into the case click the 'Respond' button at the top



Safeguarding

Player

Registration



Name: Test Player

Date of Birth: 27/10/1917

Offence: E10 - (Participant) Failed to comply with a decision of the

Association

Offence Date: 22/10/2017

Response Due Date:

Outstanding Balance: £10.00 ▼

Responded: No

Public Notes: -----

Discipline

Data Cleansing









Misconduct Response Form



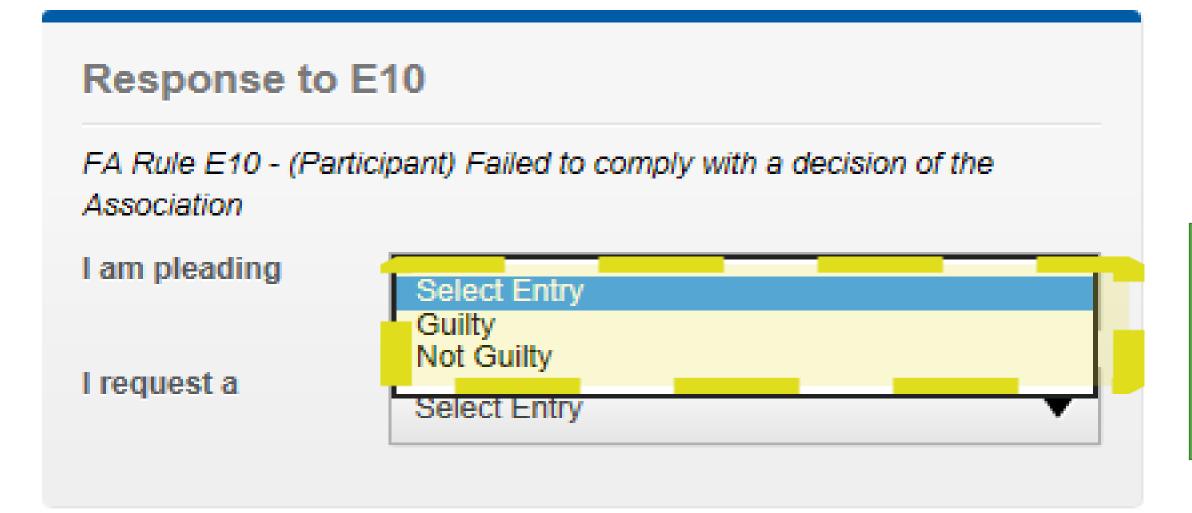










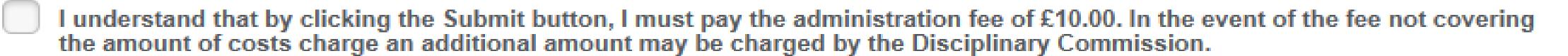


Step 5 – When responding to a Misconduct you will need to click on the drop down and select whether you are pleading 'Guilty 'or 'Not Guilty '

Optional Document Upload

Where possible, a written statement form should be supplied.







Submit







Misconduct Response Form

Sack

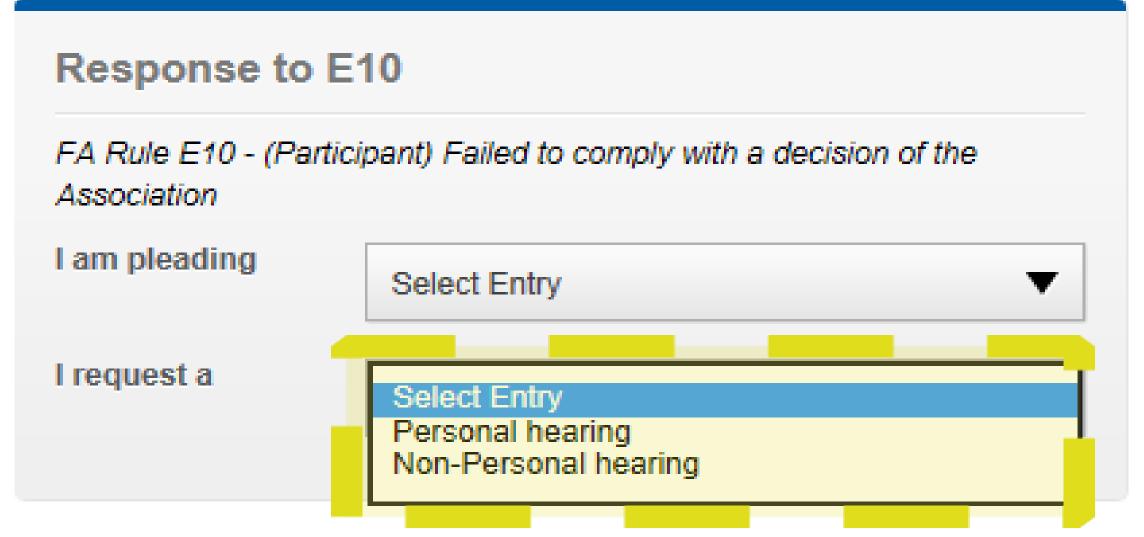












Step 6– Again you will need to click on the drop down and select whether you want a personal or a non personal hearing.

Optional Document Upload

Where possible, a written statement form should be supplied.



Step 7 – If you need to submit a written statement please press 'Browse 'and attach here.

Step 8 – Then tick the box and press 'Submit'

I understand that by clicking the Submit button, I must pay the administration fee of £10.00. In the event of the fee not covering the amount of costs charge an additional amount may be charged by the Disciplinary Commission.



Submit

Discipline Process





Final two steps in the discipline process;

- Update WGS with Suspension Matches (if suspension was part of the sanction)
- Paying Fines and Sanctions





How to Add Suspension Matches

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Details

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Teams

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Step 1 –Click on the

Discipline tab Details

Details	
Leicestershire Test	
Current Season Affiliation Number	
Next Season Affiliation Number	

FA Charter Standard				
Status	None			
Туре	None			
AHC - Start Date	01/09/2017			
Auto Suspend Date	31/10/2017			
Auto Lapse Date	31/01/2018			
AHC Application Status	Not Started			

Discipline	
Club Status	Not Suspended
Suspended Teams	0
Suspended Players	0

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Leicestershire Test Discipline Summary

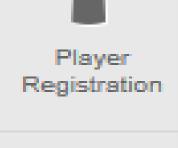
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Intention To Claim

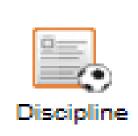






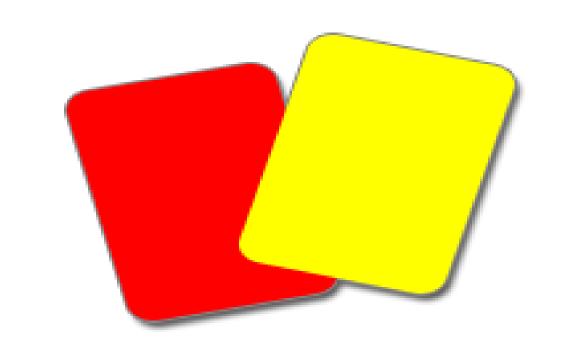






2017 - 2018

	Cautions	Send Offs	Misconducts	Rule Breach	AII
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NFT	0	0	0	0	0
Club	0	0	0	0	0



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ase ID	Status	Paid	Date

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S	Test Player	22/10/2017	FT	Leicestershire Test First v Bye First	9177695- S	Step 2 – Click Number '	on the '	Case ID

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Details

Name: Test Player

Date of Birth: 27/10/1917

Offence: S2 - Violent Conduct

Offence Date: 22/10/2017

Response Due Date: 03/11/2017

Outstanding Balance: £35.00 ▼

Acknowledged: No



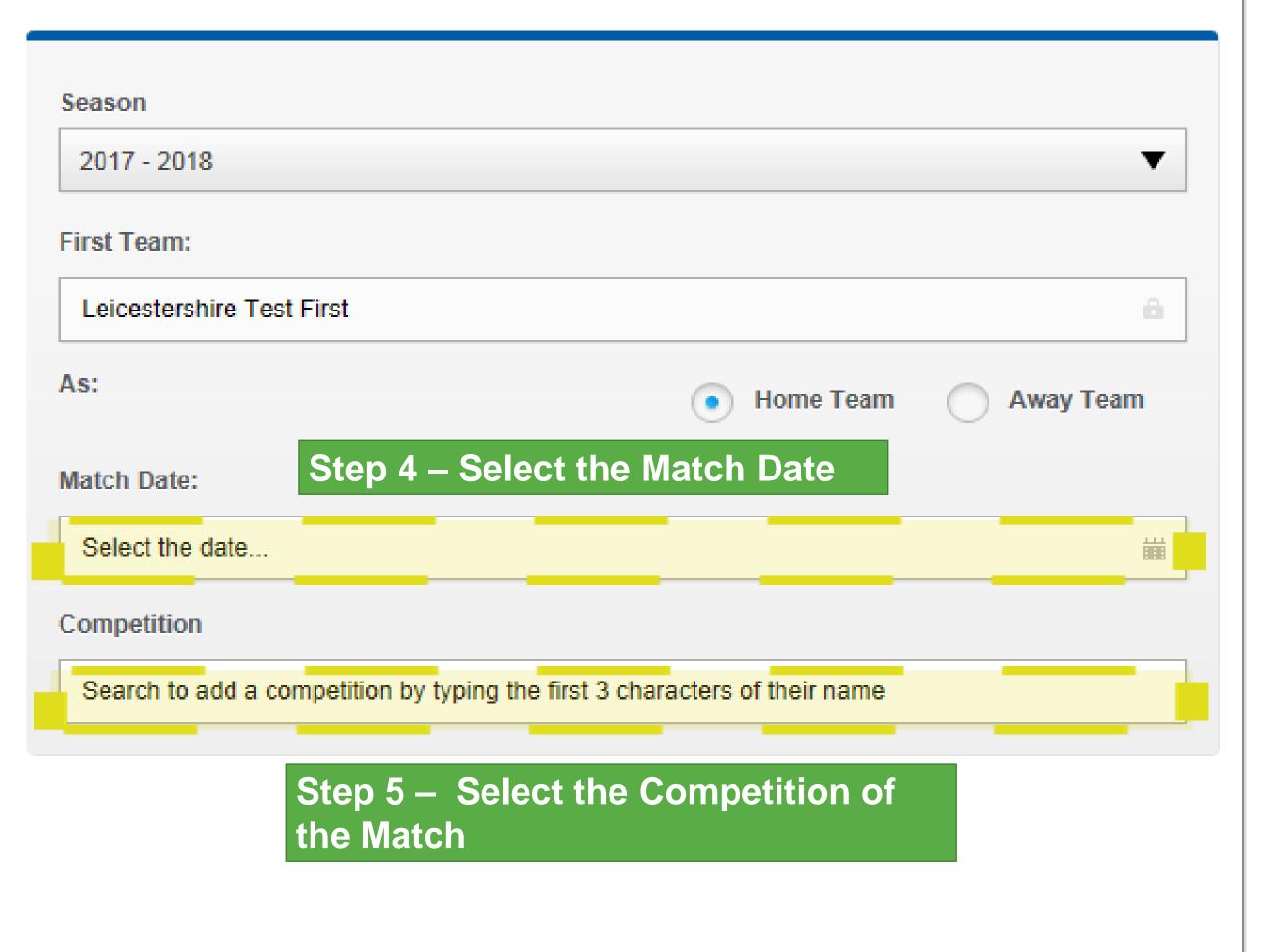
Charge Step 7

The player is suspended from 3 matches from CFA Only - All Sunday Football until the team mentioned above have completed the required number of games in approved qualifying competitions

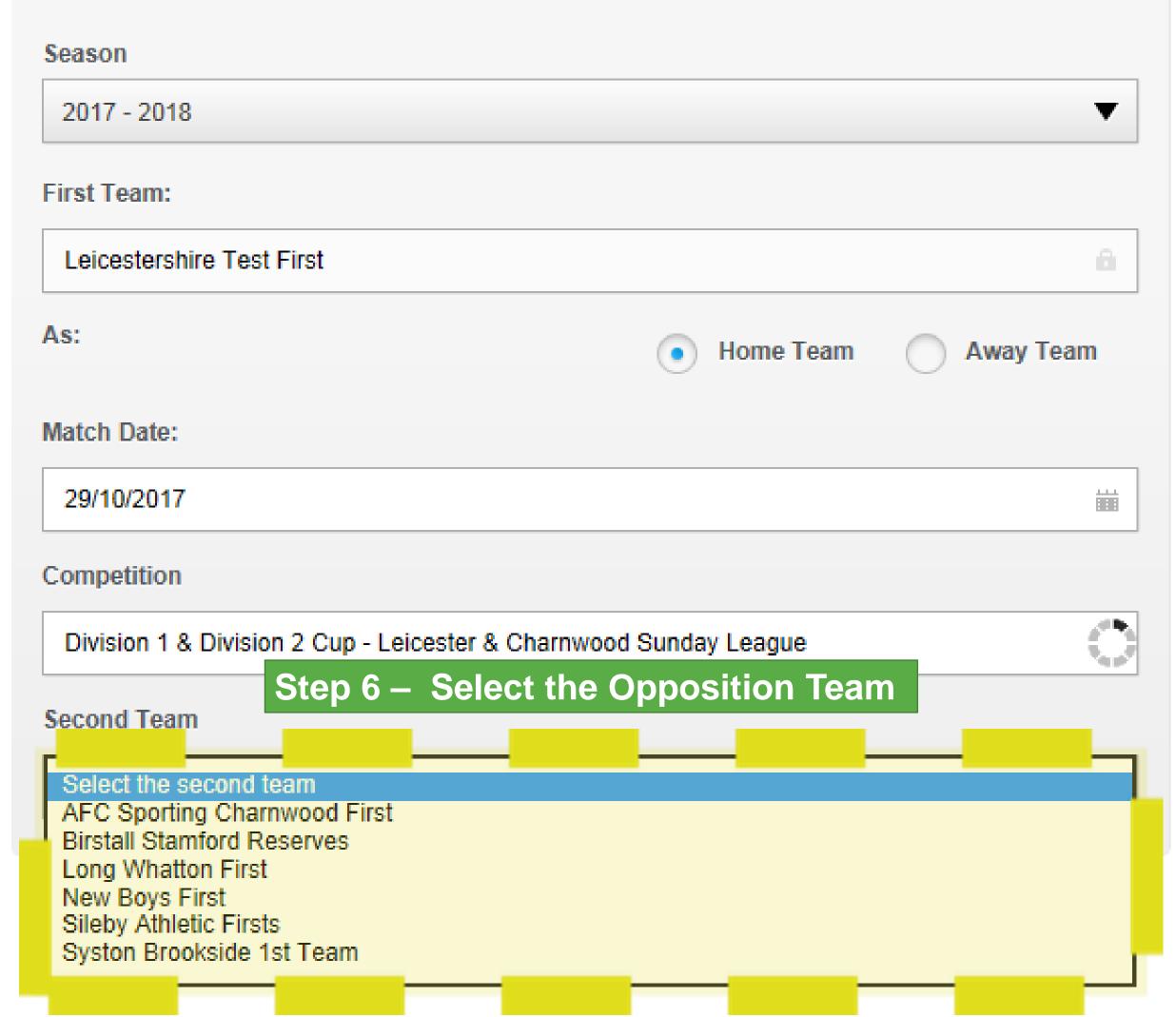
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No upcoming matches	exist in the system or the list is not bei	currently being updated. If there are any upcoming ng displayed, please press 'Add Match'.	Step 3 – Scroll the Page down and Click on 'Add Match '



Add Suspension Match



Add Suspension Match







How To Access and Pay Invoices





Details

Club Dashboard for Leicestershire Test

Manage Discipline Permissions



You have unread notifications. Click here to go to notifications.

Current Suspensions

Case ID	Offender	Term	Football level	Start Date	End Date	
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Safeguarding

Player Registration

2017 - 2018

Pending Suspensions

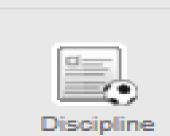
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Data Cleansing

Details

Leicestershire Test

FA Charter Standard Status None

Discipline

Club Status Not Suspended

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Outstanding Invoices

Tick to pay		Number	Date	Payment Due Date	Amount	Paid	Balance	County	Type
	*	D-INV- LEI023254	27/10/2017	10/11/2017	£35.00	£0.00	£35.00	Leicestershire & Rutland FA	Discipline Invoice
		D-INV- LEI023253	27/10/2017	10/11/2017	£10.00	£0.00	£10.00	Leicestershire & Rutland FA	Discipline Invoice

Note: If you Click Directly onto the Invoice Number, This enables you to Print out the Invoice if Required.

Pay

Paid Invoices

Number	Date	Due	Amount	Paid	Balance	County	Type
	No invoices found						

Step 2 – Click on 'Club Invoices' down the left hand side of the page

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Outstanding Invoices

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				Line Ite	em			Payment	Balance	
				Fine (9177	695S)			£ 25.00	£25.00	
			Di	scipline Admin Cha	arge (91776	695S)		£ 10.00	£10.00	
	p 3 – Tion h to pay	ck the invoices	you					Amount to Pay:	£35.00	
	7	D-INV- LEI023253	27/10/2017	10/11/2017	£10.00	£0.00	£10.00	Leicestershire & Rutland FA	Discipline Invoice	
			Line Item					Payment	Balance	
			Discipline Admin Charge (9177694C)					£ 10.00	£10.00	
								Amount to Pay:	£10.00	

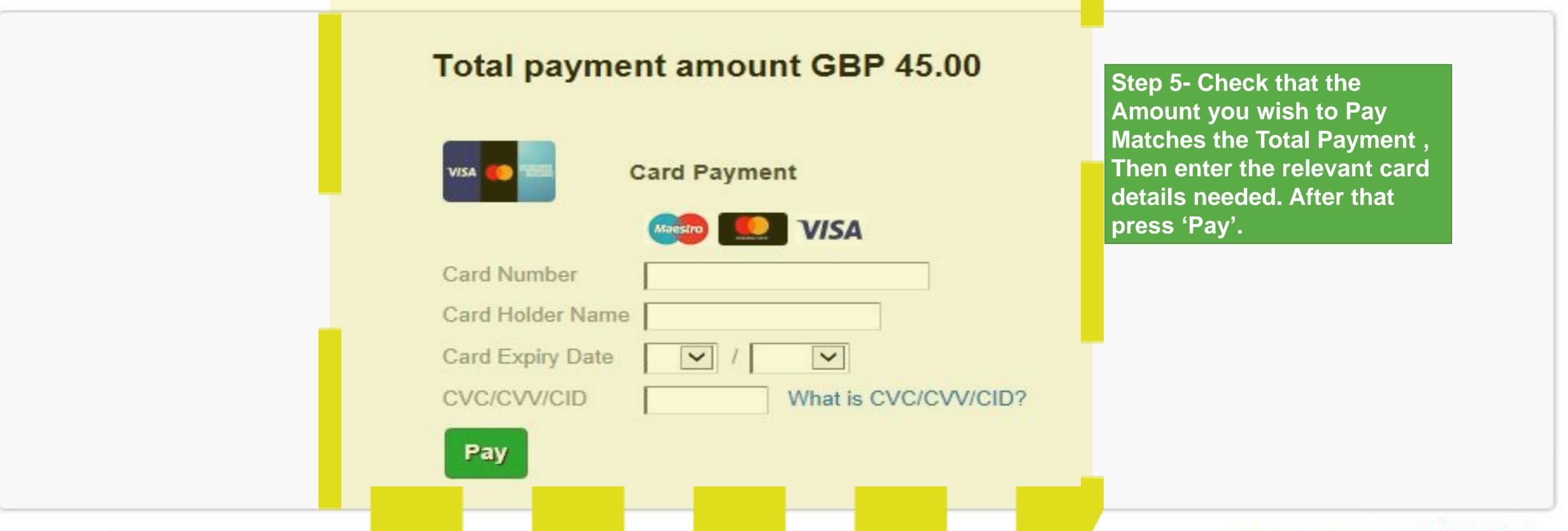
Step 4 – Click the 'Pay' Button at the bottom of the screen

Pay £45.00



Leicestershire & Rutland County FA

Your Game Your County FA



Cancel









Paid Invoices

Number	Date	Due	Amount	Paid	Balance	County	Type
Step 6 – Once the Invoice has been paid it will appear in the Paid Invoices Section.							







Understanding League Rules and Sanctions

League Rules and Sanctions





Standard Code of Rules [SCOR] and Standard Code of Rules (Youth) [SCOR(Y)]

- The FA provides a structure and a set of rules for leagues to adopt know as SCOR or SCORY
- Flexibility within SCOR or SCORY for specific rules around dates, fees and sanctions.

League Member Rules

Some leagues also have "Member Rules", but
 SCOR or SCORY will take precedent.

Voting for and Altering Rules

- Clubs can propose rule changes
- Send rules proposals to League Secretary by a specific date. This date can differ from league to league. Check Rule 14 within your league rules.
- All rule proposals then voted by Member Clubs at the Annual General Meeting.

For example

REPORTING RESULTS

11. (A) The (Registration/Fixtures) Secretary must receive within [] 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 also the referee markings required by Rule 13, or any other information required by the Competition. Failure to do so will incur a fine (in accordance with the Fines Tariff).

Appealing League Decisions





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 - A League is able to charge and then sanction clubs according to its rules.
 - A Club can appeal a league decision on one of the following grounds;
 - Failed to give a fair hearing
 - Misinterpreted or failed to comply with the rules
 - Came to an unreasonable decision
 - Sanction was excessive
 - A club has 14 days to lodge the appeal to the County FA discipline@LeicestershireFA.com
 - The process to appeal decisions is outlined within league rule 7: protests, claims, complaints, appeals.







Safeguarding and Compliance

Essential Safeguarding





- 1. All those working directly with children, on a regular basis through a football capacity MUST have completed an FA CRC within the last 3 years.
 - E.g. Coaches, Managers, Any Assistant Coaches/ Managers, Physio DO NOT WAIT FOR CRC TO EXPIRE START THE RENEWAL AT LEAST 2 MONTHS BEFORE EXPIRY. NO CRC MEANS NO INVOLVEMENT. NO EXEPTIONS.
- 2. Club Committee Members (Chair, Secretary, Welfare Officer and Treasurer) must also complete the "Online Committee Safeguarding" Course.
- 3. ALL concerns must be reported to either the CWO or to the DSO
- 4. If a child is in immediate danger call Police and state it is a child protection concern
- 5. If DSO or SSL is not available you can contact NSPCC helpline, Children's services or the FA at Wembley.
- 6. Safeguarding IS EVEROYONES responsibility. It is your duty to act. Failure to do so could result in a charge.







Club Development and Charter Standard

FA Charter Standard





What is Charter Standard?

Introduced to raise standards throughout grassroots football by supporting, recognising and rewarding well administered clubs, which will provide positive playing environments for all.

Summary of Charter Standard Criteria	Adult Club	Youth Club	Development Club	Community Club
Club Procedures, policies and code of conduct				
Good discipline record				
Club accounts, balance sheet, committee minutes				
FA Emergency Aid Club official with each team				
50% FA licence coaches				
Level 1 coach with CRC, FA Safeguarding and Emergency Aid with each Youth Team				
Level 2 coaches in the club			1	2
Minimum of 5 teams covering at least four different age groups				
3-5 Year Football Development Plan				
Minimum of 10 teams covering mini-soccer, youth and adult				
Minimum of one female team				
One person who has attended FA Mentoring Adults Course				

FA Charter Standard





Achieving, Maintaining and Benefits of Charter Standard

Achieving Charter Standard;

Achieved through completing an application form and providing evidence that criteria is met

Maintaining Charter Standard – The Charter Standard Annual Health Check

- The Club's Charter Standard Coordinator Completes the Annual Health Check on the Whole Game System
- Club Coaches MUST have up-to-date CRC, Safeguarding and Emergency Aid --- all these expire every 3 years.

NEW

CHARTER STANDARD HEALTH CHECK SUBMISSION DEADLINE 2018/19

31st JANUARY 2019

Benefits of Charter Standard, include;

 Access to McDonalds Kit Scheme, Free Nike Footballs, Reduced Prices on Coach Education, Access to funding, Access to the FA Coach Mentor Programme, Access to the Charter Standard Community Awards

Club Development Forums & Support





Club Development Group

- Support clubs with development planning
- 2 hour workshop, followed by a support evening 6 months later
- One-to-one club support as required
- Application process to join group

"Community" Club Forum (in development)

- Support clubs with larger facilities, 20+ teams and/or in National League System
- Details to be announced

FREE Online Club Matters Resource

- Online tutorials and resources to support club development
- Club Matters Online Resources https://www.sportenglandclubmatters.com/club-matter-modules/





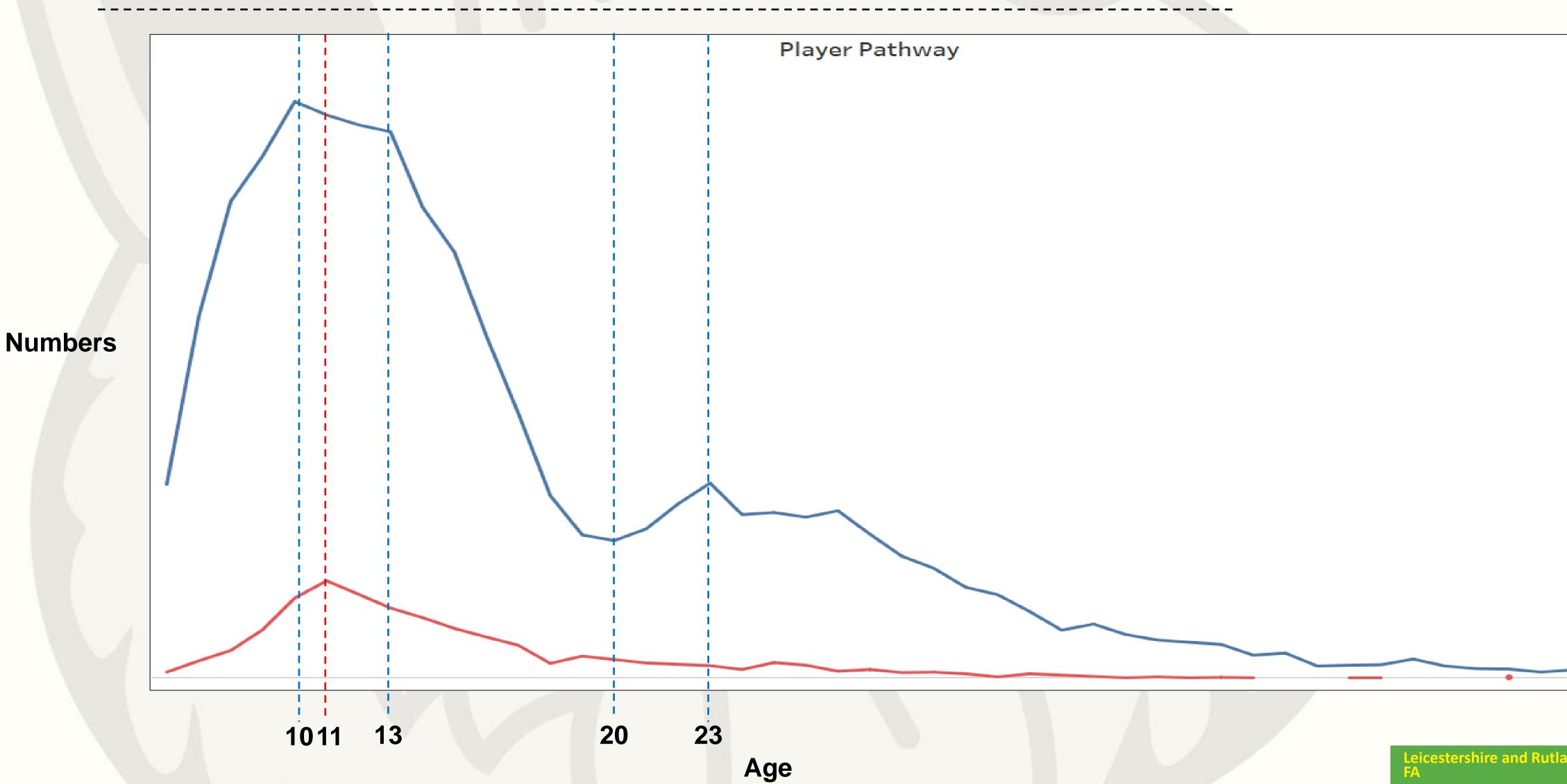


Player and Competition Pathways

Player Pathway - Drop Out



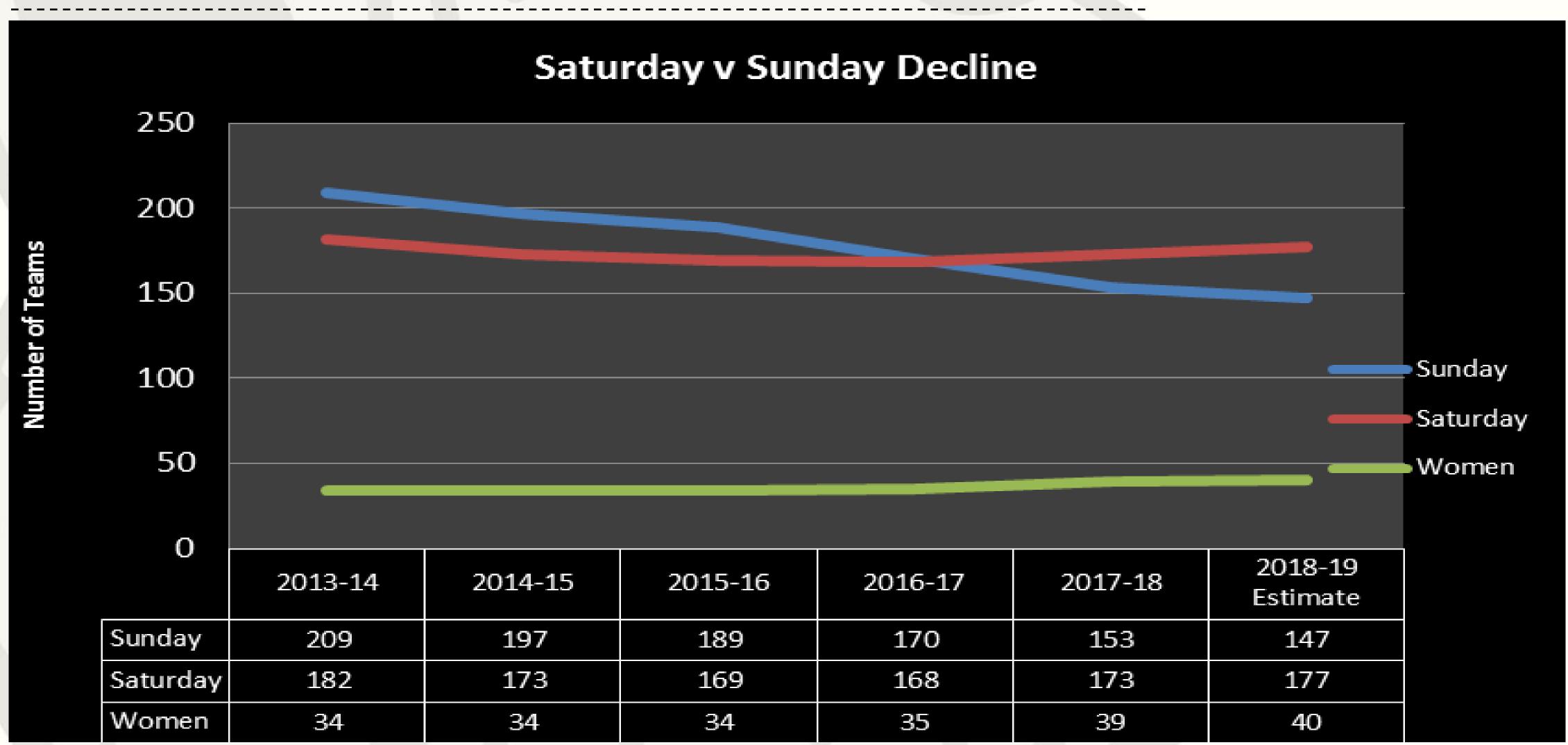




Player Pathway – Season by Season







Player Pathway – Funding and Support





Female and Disability Focus

- SSE Wildcat Centre Programme;
 - Target Girls, Aged 5 to 11
 - Funding £950
 - Application Window Dec to Jan
 - Delivery April to September
- Grow the Game Football Foundation;
 - Target Development of New Girls or Disability Teams
 - Funding £1,500 per team
 - Application Window January to March

Adult Male Focus

- Retain the Game Football Foundation;
 - Target Adult Clubs with 2 or more teams
 - Funding £750
 - Application Window April to May
- Adult Recreational;
 - Just Play Centres resources and £200 to run
 Turn Up and Play Sessions
 - Flexible Football delivery of midweek floodlit leagues

Competition Pathway – County Leagues





	Female		 	Inclusive
Open Age	Leicestershire Womens Senior League	Leicestershire Womens Futsal League (Developing)		Leicestershire & Rutland Inclusive League
U8 – U18	Leicester City and County Girls League	Leicestershire Youth Futsal League (Developing)		

Competition Pathway – County Leagues





	Male							
	Sunday	Saturday	Midweek					
Vets (35+)		Leicester City Veterans League						
Open Age	Leicester & Charnwood League							
	The Alliance League	Leicestershire Senior League						
	Hinckley & District Sunday League	North Leicestershire League Leicester & District League						
U16 – U18	MDH Leicestershire Youth League	Leicestershire Youth Futsal League	Leicestershire Midweek Youth League					
U13 – U15	Leicester & District Sunday Juniors League							
U11 – U12	Leicestershire Foxes League							
U7 – U10	Leicester & District Mutual League							
			Leicestershire and Rutland County FA 81					

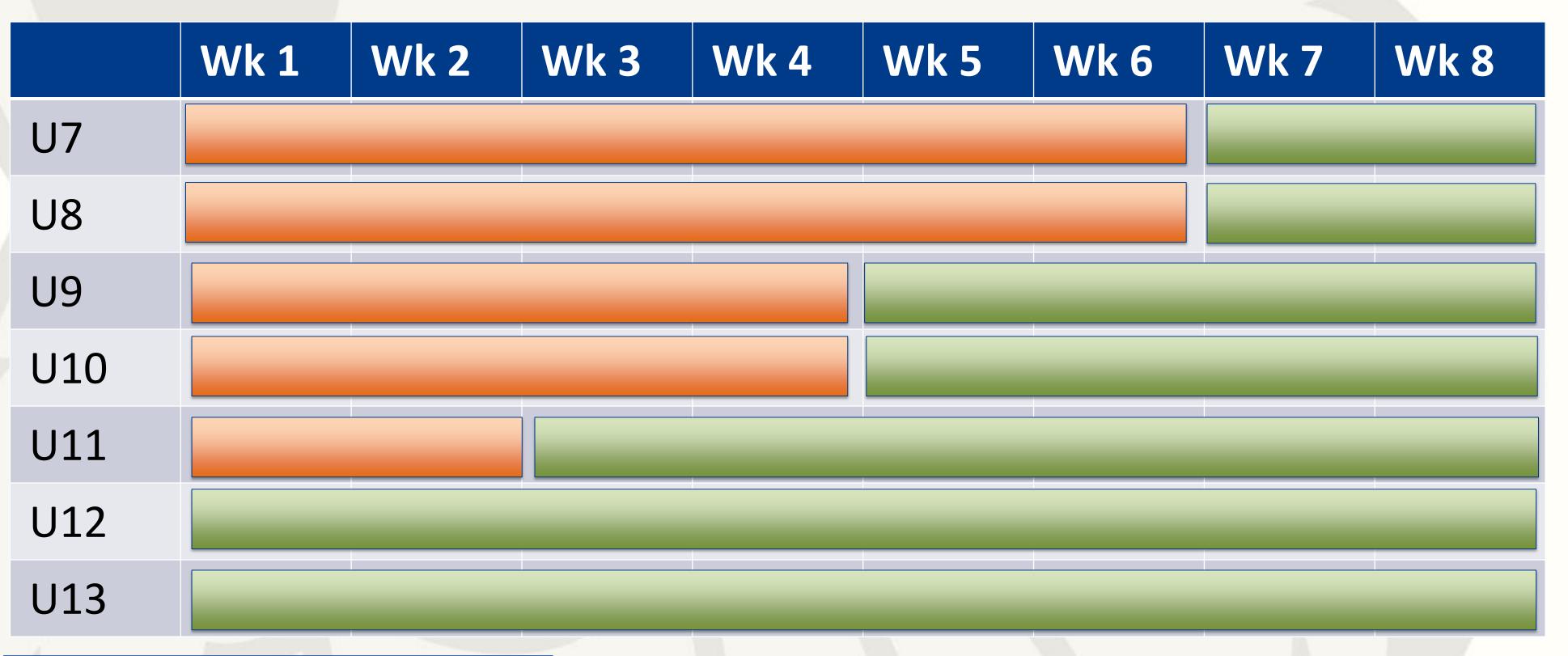
Youth Competitions





Elovible Competition Formats

Flexible Competition Formats



x 3 (24 week season)

"Non-reported" Football

"Competition" Football

Youth Competition





Why this structure?

- Closer aligns to the needs to players, and helps manage the environment
- Prepares children for season-long competitions, in staged manner, appropriate for the age and stage of their development
- Focus on learning and enjoyment rather than one on constant pressure every week
- Appropriate competition in short-term blocks for children Eight-month long season children barely look more than a week ahead of themselves
- More flexibility for leagues to put children in a more equal competition band. This increases the ability for teams to experience winning, and losing











RESPECT

More info: click here

Club Good Practice

Respect Week of Action – 24th to 30th September 2018



50% off Respect Resources

https://www.footballfoundation.org.uk/funding-schemes/respect/

The better the environment we create for the players, the more everyone will enjoy the game. Greeting the opposition and the referee, putting on refreshments, appointing a Match Day Manager, are all ways in which any club at any level can start to make a difference on the day.

#PlayYourPart by trying to implement these simple steps at your club;

- Develop and implement a player centred club philosophy that includes clear expectations on team selection, playing time and conduct of all club members.
- Host a managers meeting to ensure all managers are aware of the clubs philosophy and expectations in creating a positive match environment.
- Issue a Code of Conduct to everyone involved at the start of the season.
- Have committee members attend matches to ensure the initiative is being delivered effectively.
- Ensure spectators are behind the barrier on the opposite side of the field.
- Ensure coaches to stay in the technical area, unless a player is injured.



#Play Your Part in creating a player centred environment in youth football







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We pledge support for Respect in Leicestershire & Rutland, as we believe Football is For ALL and should be enjoyed in a safe, fun and inclusive environment. Respect is an important value in life, not just football. We want to ensure that the match day environments played are memorable for the right reasons. It's all about creating the best possible football experiences.

RETWEET to pledge your clubs support and have your badge alongside ours.

Creating a Player Centred Environment Starts With You! We invite you to #PlayYourPart!

For more information, visit www.LeicestershireFA.com/about/respect

