



# OFA PLEDGE PROJECT

## Promoting Disability Football across Oxfordshire

### WHY MAKE A PLEDGE?

Disability Football has often been described as football's biggest secret. Most involved within football know that disability football exists but not who their local disability club is.

Did you know there are 65 affiliated disability teams in region?. The Bobi League which serves Berks, Oxon & Bucks is one of the biggest disability leagues in England.

### HOW TO MAKE A PLEDGE?

It's easy to join the Pledge Project

The first step in making a pledge is to decide what your league could do to help promote disability football. OFA can assist leagues in this setting these pledges. Below you will find just a couple of examples:

We pledge to add the OFA Disability Club Directory to our Website/Social Media Platforms

We pledge to share information on the pledge project to our member clubs

We will send you out a pledge card listing your pledge(s) for a committee member to sign

Once finalised leagues can then start working to complete their pledges. The first 10 leagues/clubs to complete their pledge will receive a small DFK voucher to say thank you for your contribution to disability football.

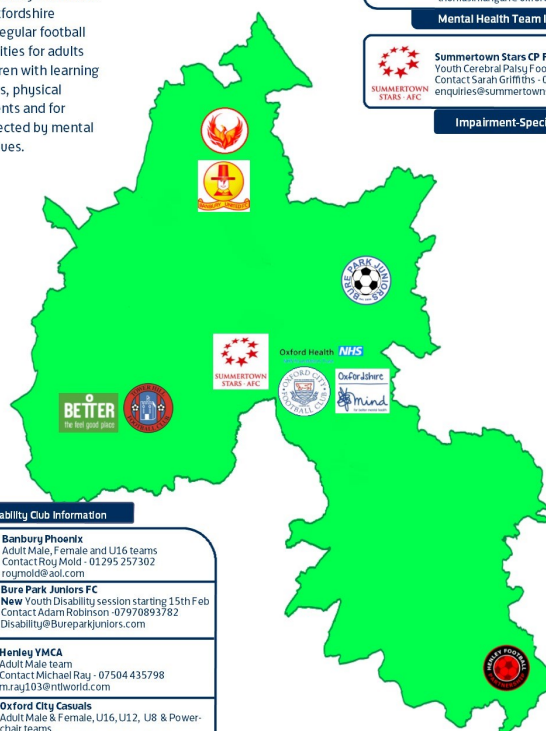
### CAN LEAGUES SIGN UP FOR THE PLEDGE PROJECT?

Yes. 2 Leagues have already signed up for the Pledge Project; OMYFL and WDYFL.

Leagues can help in a big way. Not only can leagues help by sharing our club directory on league website and social media but also by informing their member clubs about the project. By expanding the reach of our Disability Football Club Directory we hope more players find their local disability team

### DISABILITY FOOTBALL CLUB DIRECTORY

Local disability clubs exist across Oxfordshire offering regular football opportunities for adults and children with learning difficulties, physical impairments and for those affected by mental health issues.



#### PAN - Disability Club Information

	<b>Banbury Phoenix</b> Adult Male, Female and U16 teams Contact Roy Mold - 01295 257302 roy.mold@bt.com
	<b>Bure Park Juniors FC</b> New Youth Disability session starting 15th Feb Contact Adam Robinson - 07970893782 Disability@Bureparkjuniors.com
	<b>Henley YMCA</b> Adult Male team Contact Michael Ray - 07504 435798 m.ray103@btworld.com
	<b>Oxford City Council</b> Adult Male & Female, U16, U12, U8 & Power-chair teams Contact Laura Hextall - 01865 744493 laura.hextall@oxcityfc.co.uk
	<b>Tower Hill FC</b> Adult Male and U16 teams Contact Michael Hill - michael.hill191@btopenworld.com
	<b>Windrush Leisure Centre</b> Adult Disability Turn Up and Play Contact Rod Noble - 01993 202020 windrush@GLL.org

**Banbury United FC**  
U8 Team  
Contact Ryan Jones-  
joonesr@gmail.com

For more information please contact:  
**Colin Williams**  
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Disability@OxfordshireFA.com

**Oxfordshire Mind**  
Adult Mental Health Turn Up and Play  
Contact Annie Silience - 01865 263730  
annie.silience@oxfordshiremind.org.uk

**Oxford Clinic**  
Adult Mental Health Football Team  
Contact Tom Mangan - 01865 902031  
thomas.mangan@oxfordhealthtrust.uk

#### Mental Health Team Information

**Summertown Stars CP Football**  
Youth Cerebral Palsy Football  
Contact Sarah Griffiths - 07947 624354  
enquiries@summertownstars.org

#### Impairment-Specific Football



### DOES YOUR LEAGUE WANT TO MAKE A PLEDGE ?

To make a Pledge, please contact Colin Williams, Disability Football Development Officer on:

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