

BedfordshireFA



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GIRLS' FOOTBALL LEAGUE

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HANDBOOK - SEASON 2018/19

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FORMATION OF DIVISIONS

U16 DIVISION [10]

Aylesbury United Ladies & Girls *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
City Belles *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Flitwick Eagles Blues
Flitwick Eagles Whites
Great Horwood *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Kempston Rovers Girls & Ladies
Luton Town Ladies
Moretonville Junior Phoenix *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Tattenhoe *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Watling

U15 DIVISION 1 [8]

AFC Dunstable
Bedford Girls
City Belles *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Kempston Rovers Girls & Ladies
Luton Celtic Youth
Milton Keynes City Emeralds *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Towcester Town Vixens *(Northants FA)*
Woburn & Wavendon (Lionesses)

U15 Division 2 is administered by the Bucks Girls League as part of the joint venture

U14 BEDS DIVISION [10]

Bedford Girls
EB Lions AFC
FC Castlethorpe Youth *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Kempston Rovers Girls & Ladies
Leighton United
Luton Allstars Lionesses
Luton Town Ladies
Milton Keynes City Crystals *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Moretonville Junior Falcons *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Tattenhoe *(Berks & Bucks FA)*

U14 Bucks Division is administered by the Bucks Girls League as part of the joint venture

U13 DIVISION 1 [8]

AFC Dunstable
Flitwick Eagles Whites
Moretonville Junior Swans *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Shenley Panthers *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Stotfold Junior
Willen Lionesses *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Winslow United Juniors Wildcats *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Woburn & Wavendon (Lionesses)

U13 DIVISION 2 [8]

Barton Athletic Girls
City Belles *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
FC Biggleswade Youth Jaguars
Kempston Rovers Girls & Ladies
Leighton United
Mid Beds Tigers
Newport Pagnell Town Swans *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Shefford Saints

U12 DIVISION 1 [10]

Aylesbury United Ladies & Girls Whites *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Bedford Girls Blues
Flitwick Eagles
Great Denham
Luton Allstars Lionesses
Luton Town Ladies
Stotfold Junior
Tattenhoe *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Wixams Wanderers Diamonds
Woburn & Wavendon (Lionesses)

U12 DIVISION 2 [10]

AFC Dunstable
Aylesbury United Ladies & Girls Greens *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Bedford Girls Blacks
Chesham United Girls *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Dunstable United
EB Lions AFC
Leighton United
Pitstone & Ivinghoe Junior *(Berks & Bucks FA)*
Thame Girls *(Oxfordshire FA)*
Westoning

U11 DIVISION [17]

Aylesbury United Ladies & Girls Greens (*Berks & Bucks FA*)
Bedford Girls
Bromham Youth AFC
City Belles (*Berks & Bucks FA*)
Flitwick Eagles
Kempston Rovers Girls & Ladies
Leighton Town Youth
Leighton United
Luton Town Ladies
Milton Keynes City Ruby's (*Berks & Bucks FA*)
Moretonville Junior Firebirds (*Berks & Bucks FA*)
Shefford Saints Reds
Shefford Saints Whites
Stotfold Junior
Wixams Wanderers Wildcats
Woburn & Wavendon (Lionesses)
Wootton Rangers Youth

U10 DIVISION [9]

Bedford Girls Blackbirds
Flitwick Eagles
Kempston Rovers Girls & Ladies
Leighton United
Luton Town Ladies
Stotfold Junior
Woburn & Wavendon (Lionesses) Clarets
Woburn & Wavendon (Lionesses) Blues
Wootton Rangers Youth

U9 DIVISION [9]

Bedford Girls Bluebirds
Bedford Girls Kingfishers
Biggleswade United
Flitwick Eagles Wildcats
Luton Allstars Lionesses
Luton Town Ladies
Newport Pagnell Town Swans (*Berks & Bucks FA*)
Stopsley United Pink Sox
Stotfold Junior

U8 DIVISION [6]

Bedford Girls
Flitwick Eagles Wildcats
Stotfold Junior
Wixams Wanderers Red Devils
Wixams Wanderers Blue Devils
Woburn & Wavendon (Lionesses)

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Management Committee Meeting Dates

Wednesday 29th August 2018 - Wednesday 24th October 2018 - Wednesday 12th December 2018

Wednesday 20th February 2019 - Wednesday 24th April 2019 - Wednesday 26th June 2019

Annual General Meeting 2018 - Monday 8th July 2019

League Website

<http://fulltime-league.thefa.com/Index.do?league=530158839>

SECRETARY & MANAGER GUIDANCE

General

- The office hours at Bedfordshire FA are Monday to Friday 9am to 5pm. League Officers may be contactable outside of this on mobile phone numbers or via email.
- If any club details change (ie Manager, Kit, Ground) you must inform the League Secretary immediately and this will be forwarded on to all clubs.
- Referee Appointments (Bedfordshire Teams) - These will be made for the Age Groups U16 - U12 through the Central Appointments Scheme managed by Mike Desborough. All referee appointment enquiries should be directed to Mike - mike.desborough@bedfordshirefa.com or 07803 623374
- Referee Appointments (Other CFA Teams) - Clubs will be required to make their own referee appointments in line with Bucks Girls League Rules. These can be qualified or unqualified depending on availability.
- Changing facilities & toilets should be available at all age groups – if this is not provided please ensure that you inform your opponents when confirming the game. If clubs have concerns over any venue being used then they should inform the League Secretary immediately.
- Kick Off for all games will be between 9:30am-11:15am with the default time of 10:30am. This can only be altered with the agreement of both clubs and any change notified to the League Secretary. Where there is no agreement the Home Club must provide a ground for a kick off between 9:30am-11:15am.
- Player Registrations must have been submitted to the league by 5pm on Friday via the WGS, have been approved and the player showing on full-time to be eligible to play on the Saturday (for mid-week matches by 5pm on the day before). Teams shall provide their registration sheet to their opposition on request, this could be a hard copy or an electronic version. Any eligibility queries should be raised pre-match with your opposition and then advised to the League immediately following the match.
- Teams may request 3 Free Weeks during the season giving at least 14 days notice of such. Where teams have any issues fulfilling a match due to players school commitments (Trips or school sports) they should give notice to the league at the earliest opportunity and the league will make a decision on whether a postponement can be granted which will not count as a free week.

Short Teams & Large Scorelines

Teams are reminded that Goal Difference is not a deciding factor in Youth Football and therefore in all games managers should not be attempting to inflict large scorelines on their opposition.

- If a Team is not going to be able to raise enough players they should advise their opponents as soon as possible so that they are aware.
- Where a team starts short of the usual number of players it is expected that their opponents will also drop to match that number. Teams must at least play with the minimum number of players.

Age Group(s)	Usual No. of Players	Min. No. Of Players
U8 & U9	5	4
U10 & U11	7	5
U12 & U13	9	6
U14 - U16	11	7

- Should a team drop below the usual number of players during the game then depending on the scoreline at the time it is also expected that opponents would drop to that number (except if the reason for the reduction in players is down to a player being sent off).
- It is not the intention to disadvantage the team with more players. Should they go a goal down then they will be allowed to add an additional player to the field, after each goal they can add players until such time as they reach the usual no. of players for the game, should they take the lead in the game then all additional players should be removed. During the second half if the scores are level or the team only has a 1 goal advantage then they will be able to add, or keep, additional players until such time as they lead by 2 goals when players shall be removed to match numbers again.
- For Matches where both teams have the required number of players, and at all age groups, should a game get to a 3 goal margin then the team behind will be able to add an additional player if available. If they have no subs then the winning team would be expected to reduce its number of players. If the margin gets to 5 goals then an additional player can be added, if available, or removed provided that the minimum number of players are on the pitch. This process can be repeated for each further 2 goal margin. Once margins are passed again then the additional player should be removed.

Pre-Match

- Full match details should be confirmed to both the referee (where applicable) & your opponents at least four days before the match (ie Tuesday evening). This must include confirmation of the Ground, including any parking restrictions, Colours to be worn (Home Team to change if there is a clash) and any other local rules that may apply (ie Footwear for 3G or specific warm-up areas)
- Away teams and the referee should confirm receipt of the match details received.
- Home teams are expected to provide a suitably sized pitch as per rule 8 (C) with goal nets & corner flags. They should also supply assistant referee flags (where required) & at least 2 match balls.
- At U16 - U12 if no referee is appointed, or the appointed referee fails to appear, then the match must still be played with a referee agreed between the two sides. Please notify Mike Desborough if an appointed referee fails to turn up.
- At U11 - U8 where referees are not appointed the Home Club should appoint a suitable person to referee the game. They should be aware of the Mini Soccer Laws of the Game and also comply with The FA Respect Codes of Conduct (these can be downloaded from the league full-time site). They should also introduce themselves to the opposition manager prior to kick off and give any pre-match instructions that they might have. Should there be concerns about the competency of anyone refereeing a game in these age groups they should be directed to the League Secretary.
- If a match is called off for any reason the home club must inform the away club and the referee (where appointed) immediately. Details should be sent through to the League Secretary via email.
- Both teams are expected to provide an assistant referee when required (U16-U12).

Post-Match

- Both teams will receive a text message from Full-Time during the game. It is the responsibility of the home team to respond to the message although both teams are able to. Results should be sent within two hours of the match finishing – Results should be in the format “2-1” with the home teams score first, nothing else should be in the message. A Postponement can be notified by using “P-P” and an Abandonment using “A-A” both should be followed up with an explanation via email to the League Secretary.
- Both teams must complete the online results sheet via the Full-Time website within 3 days of the match (not including Sundays). The deadline for this will be 11:59pm on a Wednesday (for mid-week matches a similar deadline will apply, ie a match played on a Wednesday, deadline is 11:59pm on Saturday)
- The home team shall pay the referee their fee immediately after the match has finished:
 - £25.00 – U15 & U16 (Inclusive of travel expenses)
 - £20.00 - All other age groups (Inclusive of travel expenses)

RULES OF THE LEAGUE

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 Bedfordshire FA Girls’ 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 11s.

“**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 Bedfordshire 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 12s 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 “Bedfordshire FA Girls’ Football League” (or such other name as the Competition may adopt). 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 48 Clubs approved by the Sanctioning Authority.

(C) The geographical area covered by the Competition membership shall be the county of Bedfordshire and surrounding areas.

(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 [] 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 and must be accompanied by an entry fee per Team 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 1st September in each year.

(C) A Deposit of £50 shall be payable in accordance with the Fees Tariff per Club and shall be payable on or before 1st September in each year. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

(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 September 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 entire control and management of the Girls Football League shall be vested in the Council of Bedfordshire Football Association who will take full responsibility for all matters of administration and finance. The Association will delegate a Standing Committee who will manage all matters appertaining to the routine administration of the League.

The Committee, known herein as the Management Committee, will comprise of the following officers of the Association; A Chair & Deputy-Chair appointed by the Board, Football Services Manager, Competitions & Leagues Officer, Football Services Administrator, Women's & Girls' Lead Officer, Designated Safeguarding Officer and members of Bedfordshire FA Council. Upto 4 Club Representatives may be elected, and a further 4 other people co-opted onto the Committee, who will also have full voting rights.

All Participants shall abide by The Football Association Regulations for Safeguarding Children as determined by The FA from time to time.

(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 31st 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 31st 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.

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) 50% 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.

(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 or facsimile.

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 7 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 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 14 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 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 3rd Wednesday of July in each year. At this meeting the following business shall be transacted provided that at least 12 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.
- (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 (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 verified 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 verified 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.

(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 Club shall be empowered to send two delegates to all SGMs. Each Club shall be entitled to one vote only. Any 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 [] 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 County Football Association(s) to which the Club is affiliated and to the Secretary.

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

CONTINUATION OF MEMBERSHIP, WITHDRAWAL OF A CLUB

11. (A) Any Club intending, or having a provisional intention, to withdraw a Team from the Competition must do so at least 28 days before the AGM. This does not apply to a Club moving in accordance with Rule 22(B). Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

(B) 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.

(C) Notwithstanding the powers of the Management Committee pursuant to Rule 6(l), 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.

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 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 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/or (B) of this Rule.

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 []. 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 in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

(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 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 1st March in each year. The proposals, together with any proposals by the Management Committee, shall be circulated to the Clubs by 1st April and any amendments thereto shall be submitted to the Secretary by 1st May. 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 a majority 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. Bedfordshire FA will be responsible for dealing with all matters of finance relating to the League.

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) (i) A Player is one who, being in all other respects eligible, has registered through WGS by 5pm on a Friday prior to a team's next fixture.

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. A player must be fully registered and showing on the full-time list of players to be eligible to play.

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

- (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 [] 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	30x20	27.45 x 18.3	40x30	36.3 x 27.45	12x6	3
	Under 8		30x20	27.45 x 18.3	40x30	36.3 x 27.45	12x6	3
7	Under 8	5v5	30x20	27.45 x 18.3	40x30	36.3 x 27.45	12x6	3
	Under 9	7v7	50x30	45.75 x 27.45	60x40	54.9 x 36.6	12x6	3
8	Under 9	7v7	50x30	45.75 x 27.45	60x40	54.9 x 36.6	12x6	3
	Under 10		50x30	45.75 x 27.45	60x40	54.9 x 36.6	12x6	4
9	Under 10	7v7	50x30	45.75 x 27.45	60x40	54.9 x 36.6	12x6	4
	Under 11	9v9	70x40	64 x 36.6	80x50	73.15 x 45.75	16x7	4
10	Under 11	9v9	70x40	64 x 36.6	80x50	73.15 x 45.75	16x7	4
	Under 12		70x40	64 x 36.6	80x50	73.15 x 45.75	16x7	4
11	Under 12	9v9	70x40	64 x 36.6	80x50	73.15 x 45.75	16x7	4
	Under 13	11v11	90x50	82.3 x 45.75	100x60	91.44 x 54.9	21x7	4
12	Under 13	11v11	90x50	82.3 x 45.75	100x60	91.44 x 54.9	21x7	4
	Under 14		90x50	82.3 x 45.75	100x60	91.44 x 54.9	21x7	4
13	Under 14	11v11	90x50	82.3 x 45.75	100x60	91.44 x 54.9	21x7	4
	Under 15		90x50	82.3 x 45.75	110x70	100.58 x 64	24x8	5
14	Under 15	11v11	90x50	82.3 x 45.75	110x70	100.58 x 64	24x8	5
	Under 16		90x50	82.3 x 45.75	110x70	100.58 x 64	24x8	5
15	Under 16	11v11	90x50	82.3 x 45.75	110x70	100.58 x 64	24x8	5
	Under 17		100x50	91.44 x 45.75	130x100	118.87 x 91.44	24x8	5
	Under 18		100x50	91.44 x 45.75	130x100	118.87 x 91.44	24x8	5
16	Under 17	11v11	100x50	91.44 x 45.75	130x100	118.87 x 91.44	24x8	5
	Under 18		100x50	91.44 x 45.75	130x100	118.87 x 91.44	24x8	5
	Open Age		100x50	91.44 x 45.75	130x100	118.87 x 91.44	24x8	5

For 2018/19 season the league will run the following formats:

Age Group	Format	Max Squad Size	Minimum Pitch Sizes		Maximum Pitch Sizes		Recommended Goal Sizes in feet	Ball Size
			Yards	Metres	Yards	Metres		
Under 8	5v5	10	30x20	27.45 x 18.3	40x30	36.3 x 27.45	12x6	3
Under 9	5v5	10	30x20	27.45 x 18.3	40x30	36.3 x 27.45	12x6	3
Under 10	7v7	14	50x30	45.75 x 27.45	60x40	54.9 x 36.6	12x6	4
Under 11	7v7	14	50x30	45.75 x 27.45	60x40	54.9 x 36.6	12x6	4
Under 12	9v9	14	70x40	64 x 36.6	80x50	73.15 x 45.75	16x7	4
Under 13	9v9	14	70x40	64 x 36.6	80x50	73.15 x 45.75	16x7	4
Under 14	11v11	16	90x50	82.3 x 45.75	100x60	91.44 x 54.9	21x7	4
Under 15	11v11	16	90x50	82.3 x 45.75	110x70	100.58 x 64	24x8	5
Under 16	11v11	16	90x50	82.3 x 45.75	110x70	100.58 x 64	24x8	5

If a club is unable to provide a pitch to fit the criteria above they must seek approval from the competition to use an alternative pitch.

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

(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 3 days of receipt of the notification. Upon receipt of the Club's consent, or upon its failure to give written objection within 3 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.

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 31st March except by special permission of the Management Committee.

(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 records 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 5 Competition Matches for that Team in the current Playing Season.

(M) A Team shall not include more than [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11] Players who has/have taken part in [] 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(s) is /are [].

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).

(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 1st August 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 7 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. Shirts must be numbered.

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.

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 & 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 & 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 & Under 14	25	35	100	150	Any varieties including one season long league table
Under 15 & Under 16	25	40	100	150	Any varieties including one season long league table
Under 17 & 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 4 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 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).

Each team may apply for a maximum of 3 free match days during the season in question. Applications must be made directly to the Secretary, giving at least 14 days' notice of the free date required, along with details of the team involved. Consideration of such requests for fixtures scheduled in after Easter will only be granted in exceptional circumstances and subject to the ability to fit remaining fixtures in the playing season.

(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 4 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.

(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 Secretary, the Competition Referees Appointments Secretary, the secretary of the opposing Club and the Match Officials.

(iii) 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 (Fixtures) 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.

(iv) 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.

(v) 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.

For Under 12s - 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.

For Mini-Soccer (including U11) - any number of substitutions may be used at any time with the permission of the referee. 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 all age groups where numbers are reduced for a game due to availability the number of substitutes may rise by the same figure to maintain the same match day squad size. Similarly where numbers for a game are increased, but still within the maximum format allowed, the number of substitutes must decrease by the same amount.

In Youth Football only, the referee shall be informed of the names of the substitute Players not later than 15 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 shall wear an armband and shall have a responsibility to offer support in the management of the on-field discipline of her teammates. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff.

REPORTING RESULTS

21. (A) The 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 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.

(NOTE: This process MUST be completed via The FA Full-Time system)

(B) The Home Club shall notify the result of each Competition Match to the Secretary, via The FA Full-Time SMS, by 7pm for a Saturday match & 11pm for a mid-week match. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine in accordance with the Fines Tariff

(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.

(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.

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 a Team withdrawing from the Competition before completing 75% of its fixtures for the Playing Season all points obtained by or recorded against such defaulting Team shall be expunged from the Competition table. For the purposes of this Rule 22 (D) 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) Where assistant referees are not appointed each Team shall provide a Club assistant referee. Failure to comply with this Rule will result in a fine (in accordance with the Fines Tariff) being imposed on the defaulting Club.

(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 the determination of the Local Authority or the owners of a Ground, which must be accepted.

(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 before/immediately after 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. 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.

(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.

(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) Match Officials shall be supplied, each season, with a copy of the Competition Rules free of charge.

SCHEDULE A

FEES TARIFF		
RULE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	MAXIMUM FEE
4 (A)	CLUB ENTRY FEE	£10.00
4 (B)	CLUB/TEAM ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION	£60.00
4 (C)	DEPOSIT	£50.00
7 (C), 7(E)	PROTEST/APPEAL FEES	£25.00
18 (D)	PLAYER REGISTRATION FEE	No Charge
18 (H)	TRANSFER FEE	£5.00
23 (E)	REFEREE FEES	£25.00 – U15-U18 £20.00 – All other age groups <i>(Inclusive of travel expenses)</i>
23 (E)	ASSISTANT REFEREE FEES	£19.00 – U15-U18 £16.00 – All other age groups <i>(Inclusive of travel expenses)</i>

FINES TARIFF		
RULE NUMBER	DESCRIPTION	MAXIMUM FINE
2 (G)	FAILURE TO AFFILIATE	£10.00
2 (I)	FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH FA INITIATIVES	£10.00
2 (K)	UNAUTHORISED ENTRY OF TEAMS INTO COMPETITIONS	£10.00
3	FAILURE TO OBTAIN CONSENT FOR A CHANGE OF CLUB NAME	£10.00
4 (C)	FAILURE TO PAY A DEPOSIT	£10.00
4(E)	FAILURE TO PROVIDE AFFILIATION NUMBER/DETAILS FORM	£10.00
5 (E)	COMMUNICATIONS CONDUCTED BY PERSONS OTHER THAN NOMINATED OFFICERS	£25.00
6 (H)	FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH AN INSTRUCTION OF THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE	£50.00
6 (I)	FAILURE TO PAY A FINE WITHIN REQUIRED TIMEFRAME	DOUBLE THE ORIGINAL FINE UP TO £100.00
8 (H)	FAILURE TO BE REPRESENTED AT AGM	£50.00
9	FAILURE TO BE REPRESENTED AT SGM	£50.00
10	FAILURE TO SUBMIT THE REQUIRED WRITTEN AGREEMENT OR TO NOTIFY CHANGES TO SIGNATORIES	£25.00
11 (A)	FAILURE TO PROVIDE NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL BEFORE DEADLINE	£25.00
11 (B)	FAILURE TO COMMENCE/COMPLETE FIXTURES	£25.00
13 (A)	FAILURE TO SUBMIT THE REQUIRED WRITTEN AGREEMENT REGARDING THE TROPHY	£25.00
16 (A)	FAILURE TO HAVE THE REQUIRED INSURANCE	£100.00
16 (B)	FAILURE TO HAVE THE REQUIRED INSURANCE	£100.00
18 (A)	FAILURE TO CORRECTLY REGISTER A PLAYER	£25.00

18 (B)(iii)	FAILURE TO HAVE THE REQUIRED NUMBER OF REGISTERED PLAYERS PRIOR TO THE PLAYING SEASON COMMENCING	£10.00
18 (F)	REGISTERING OR PLAYING FOR MULTIPLE CLUBS OR INACCURATE COMPLETION OF A REGISTRATION FORM	£25.00
18 (G)(ii)	REGISTRATION IRREGULARITIES	£25.00
18 (M)	FIELDING MORE THAN THE PERMITTED NUMBER OF PLAYERS WHO HAVE PARTICIPATED IN SENIOR COMPETITIONS MATCHES	£100.00
18 (N)(i)	PLAYING AN INELIGIBLE PLAYER	£100.00
18 (O)(i)	FAILURE TO GIVE PRIORITY TO SCHOOL ACTIVITIES	£50.00
19	FAILURE TO NUMBER SHIRTS	£10.00 (per shirt, up to an aggregate maximum of £30)
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	£50.00
20 (C)	FAILURE TO PROVIDE DETAILS OF A FIXTURE	£10.00
20 (D)	PLAYING MATCH WITH LESS THAN REQUIRED NUMBER OF PLAYERS	£10.00
20 (E) (i) & (iii)	FAILURE TO PLAY FIXTURE	£50.00
20 (H)	NO CAPTAIN'S ARMBAND	£10.00
21 (A) & 21 (C)	LATE RESULT NOTIFICATION FORM	£20.00*
21 (B)	FAILURE TO PROVIDE RESULT	£20.00*
21 (D)	PUBLISHING RESULTS/GRADING TABLES FOR FIXTURES INVOLVING U7S, U8S, U9S, U10S OR U11S	£50.00
23 (C)	FAILURE TO PROVIDE CLUB ASSISTANT REFEREE	£10.00
23 (E)	FAILURE TO PAY MATCH OFFICIALS' FEES AND EXPENSES	£25.00
23 (F)	FAILURE TO PAY MATCH OFFICIALS WHERE A MATCH IS NOT PLAYED	£25.00
23 (H)	FAILURE TO PROVIDE REFEREE'S MARK	£10.00

* Fines for offences under Rules 21 (A), (B) & (C) will have a stepped approach upto the stated maximum:

- First offence = warning
- Second offence = £10
- Third & subsequent offences = £20

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RULES FOR CUP COMPETITIONS

Normal League Rules will apply except for the following

1. If the score remains tied at the end of normal time, the match shall be decided by the taking of kicks from the penalty mark in accordance with FIFA Regulations. This includes group game matches.
2. Where a match has been postponed or abandoned with neither club at fault, the match shall be replayed at a time to be determined by the League. Matches postponed or abandoned through the fault of one or both clubs shall be dealt with as the League shall determine, which may include the removal of the club or clubs from the competition and or a fine.
3. Players participating in the semi-final or final matches must have previously played for the same club's team at least four times in the current season (League, League Cup & County Cup matches apply). A player, who has played in a competition for one team, shall be ineligible to play for a different team in the same competition during the same season.
4. Where a club is found guilty of fielding an unregistered or otherwise ineligible player in a league cup tie they shall be fined and/or otherwise dealt with at the discretion of the League including removal from the competition if they won the tie.
5. Where Assistant Referees are appointed the costs shall be shared between the clubs (except for Finals). Fees for Assistant Referees will be:
 - U16 & U15 - £19 (inclusive of travel)
 - All other Age Groups - £16 (inclusive of travel)
6. Matches shall be played on the ground of the club first drawn, unless the League shall otherwise order. The final tie shall be played on a ground selected by the League.

DIRECTORY OF CLUBS

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Charter Standard Community Club

- Club Secretary** Craig Renfrew
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- Under 15** **Ground** - Creasey Park CFC, Creasey Park Drive, DUNSTABLE, LU6 1BB
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Tony Rawlinson (07799 793452 - bigt83@live.com)
- Under 13** **Ground** - Creasey Park CFC, Creasey Park Drive, DUNSTABLE, LU6 1BB
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Allan Webb (07968 416645 - alber22@msn.com)
- Under 12** **Ground** - Creasey Park CFC, Creasey Park Drive, DUNSTABLE, LU6 1BB
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Team Secretary - Sherrie Fisher (07768 646263 - se.fisher@btinternet.com)
Manager - Michael Francis (07915 399602 - mjfrancis01@gmail.com)

AYLESBURY UNITED LADIES & GIRLS [U-B&B2082 - Berks & Bucks FA] *Charter Standard Club*

- Club Secretary** Catriona Cameron
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- Under 16** **Ground** - Fairford Leys Football Pitches, Andrews Way, Aylesbury, HP19 8AW
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - GREEN & WHITE, GREEN, GREEN
Manager - John Reid (07824 312631 - joncreid1@gmail.com)
- Under 12 Greens** **Ground** - Fairford Leys Football Pitches, Andrews Way, Aylesbury, HP19 8AW
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - GREEN & WHITE, GREEN, GREEN
Manager - James Byrne (07887 502976 - james_byrne12@hotmail.com)
- Under 12 Whites** **Ground** - Fairford Leys Football Pitches, Andrews Way, Aylesbury, HP19 8AW
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - GREEN & WHITE, GREEN, GREEN
Manager - Jonathan Bishop (07931 857598 - Bishop.78@icloud.com)
- Under 11 Greens** **Ground** - Fairford Leys Football Pitches, Andrews Way, Aylesbury, HP19 8AW
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - GREEN & WHITE, GREEN, GREEN
Manager - Paul Robinson (07470 134910 - paulr7385@gmail.com)

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Under 14	Ground - Allen Park, Old Ford End Road, BEDFORD, MK40 4LY Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & BLACK STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK Manager - James Muir (07734 425992 - jim.mu1r@yahoo.co.uk)
Under 12 Blacks	Ground - Allen Park, Old Ford End Road, BEDFORD, MK40 4LY Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & BLACK STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK Manager - John Frost (07878 553533 - frost3320@hotmail.co.uk)
Under 12 Blues	Ground - Allen Park, Old Ford End Road, BEDFORD, MK40 4LY Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & BLACK STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK Manager - Paul Roberts (07985 876577 - paul.roberts@santander.co.uk)
Under 11	Ground - Allen Park, Old Ford End Road, BEDFORD, MK40 4LY Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & BLACK STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK Manager - Kathryn Martin-Harris (07412 014064 - kathrynmh76@gmail.com)
Under 10 Blackbirds	Ground - Allen Park, Old Ford End Road, BEDFORD, MK40 4LY Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & BLACK STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK Manager - Scott Dora (07769 205572 - scottyd9370@msn.com)
Under 9 Bluebirds	Ground - Allen Park, Old Ford End Road, BEDFORD, MK40 4LY Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & BLACK STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK Manager - Louie Mcanulty (07754 400432 - lmcanulty07@gmail.com) Coach - Rebecca Lenton 07500 453785 beckylenton@sky.com
Under 9 Kingfishers	Ground - Allen Park, Old Ford End Road, BEDFORD, MK40 4LY Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & BLACK STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK Manager - Andre Benjamin (07722 162273 - andrebenjamin442@gmail.com) Coach - Nina Regolo (07794 634904 - ninaregolo@icloud.com) Coach - Rebecca Fhalora (beccafhalora@hotmail.co.uk)
Under 8	Ground - Allen Park, Old Ford End Road, BEDFORD, MK40 4LY Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & BLACK STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK Manager - Martin Trinder (07759 794667 - martin@trinder.biz)

BIGGLESWADE UNITED [U-BED1466 - Bedfordshire FA]

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Under 9	Ground - Eagle Farm Road Recreation Ground, Eagle Farm Road, BIGGLESWADE, SG18 8JH Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED, NAVY, RED Team Secretary - Julie Ford (07957 178076 - julie.swain@hotmail.co.uk) Manager - Natasha Rolt (07949 406726 - njrolt@gmail.com)

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Charter Standard Community Club

Club Secretary Nichola Martin
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Manager - Paul Slater (07557 397930 - paul@le-stars.com)

CHESHAM UNITED GIRLS [U-B&B2269 - Berks & Bucks FA]

Charter Standard Community Club

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Under 12 **Ground** - Brushwood School, Brushwood Road, CHESHAM, HP5 3DW
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - CLARET & BLUE, CLARET & BLUE, CLARET & BLUE
Manager - Henry Milner (07956 035660 - henry_milner@hotmail.com)

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Charter Standard Club

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Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - SKY BLUE w. ROYAL TRIM, SKY BLUE, SKY BLUE
Manager - John Waller (07725 095123 - johnbgfreg@outlook.com)
Assistant Coach - Jason Cox (furztondon@sky.com)

Under 15 **Ground** - Brooklands Community Sports Pavilion, Countess Way, Brooklands, MILTON KEYNES, MK10 7HN
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - TBA
Manager - Gary Taylor (07957 548416 - garytaylor999@btinternet.com)
Assistant Coach - Jason Hirst (07943 747568 - Jhirst1974@aol.com)

Under 13 **Ground** - Broughton Pavilion, Tanfield Lane, MILTON KEYNES, MK10 9NJ
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Team Secretary - Jo Bott (07870 805023 - jobott@sky.com)
Team Secretary - Fergus Simond (07702 143851 - fergus.simond@gmail.com)
Manager - Claudio Scarlata (07920 831318 - claudiocbfc@gmail.com)

Under 11 **Ground** - Broughton Pavilion, Tanfield Lane, MILTON KEYNES, MK10 9NJ
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Christopher Humble (07484 887841 - chrishumble17@aol.com)

DUNSTABLE UNITED [U-BED1546 - Bedfordshire FA]

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Under 12 **Ground** - Newton Recreation Ground, Luton Road, DUNSTABLE, LU5 4JU
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & BLACK STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK
Manager - Ian Spaul (07708 293844 - spaul.8@live.co.uk)

EB LIONS AFC [U-BED1520 - Bedfordshire FA]

Charter Standard Development Club

Club Secretary Helen Potton
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Under 14
Ground - Edlesborough Green, The Green, Edlesborough, DUNSTABLE, LU6 2JF
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - BLACK & WHITE STRIPED, RED, RED
Manager - Paul Manley (07921 939077 - paulmanley1@hotmail.com)
Assistant Coach - Ann-Marie Manley (07789 631765 - annmariemanley@hotmail.com)

Under 12
Ground - Holmans Field, School Lane, EATON BRAY, LU6 2DT
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - BLACK & WHITE STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK
Team Admin - Jo Able (07967 308421 - greigjo@hotmail.com)
Manager - Penny Pataky (07487 774165 - penelopeep26@gmail.com)
Assistant Manager - Richard Potton (07947 611510 - rpotton@gmail.com)

FC BIGGLESWADE YOUTH [U-BED1576 - Bedfordshire FA]

Charter Standard Club

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Ground - Dunton Recreation Ground. Horeshore Close, DUNTON, SG18 8RP
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - BLACK & RED, RED, RED
Team Secretary - Claire Renforth (*Details as per Club Secretary*)
Manager - Glenn Renforth (07933 500889 - renforthg@gmail.com)

FC CASTLETHORPE YOUTH [U-B&B2285 - Berks & Bucks FA]

Club Secretary David Pears
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Under 14
Ground - Castlethorpe Sports Ground, Thrupp Close, Castlethorpe,
MILTON KEYNES, MK19 7PL
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - BLUE & MARRON STRIPED, BLUE, BLUE
Manager - David Pears (*Details as per Club Secretary*)
Coach - Mark Stanton (mark.stanton@me.com)

FLITWICK EAGLES [U-BED1559 - Bedfordshire FA]

Charter Standard Community Club

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- Under 16 Blues** **Ground** - Flitwick Football Centre, Ampthill Road, FLITWICK, MK45 1BA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & WHITE STRIPED, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - John Cole (07711 823274 - john.cole1@me.com)
- Under 16 Whites** **Ground** - Flitwick Football Centre, Ampthill Road, FLITWICK, MK45 1BA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & WHITE STRIPED, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Paul Brennan (07940 524286 - paulmbrennan@virginmedia.com)
- Under 13** **Ground** - Flitwick Football Centre, Ampthill Road, FLITWICK, MK45 1BA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & WHITE STRIPED, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Ian Noble (07827 938192 - FlitwickEaglesGirls@outlook.com)
- Under 12** **Ground** - Flitwick Football Centre, Ampthill Road, FLITWICK, MK45 1BA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & WHITE STRIPED, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Geoff Springall (07503 881077 - geoff4355@sky.com)
- Under 11** **Ground** - Flitwick Football Centre, Ampthill Road, FLITWICK, MK45 1BA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & WHITE STRIPED, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Stephen Close (07736 741795 - closesj@gmail.com)
- Under 10** **Ground** - Flitwick Football Centre, Ampthill Road, FLITWICK, MK45 1BA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & WHITE STRIPED, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Russell Shaw (07784 867921 - russshaw1@ntlworld.com)
- Under 9** **Ground** - Flitwick Football Centre, Ampthill Road, FLITWICK, MK45 1BA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & WHITE STRIPED, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Matthew Large (07398 103128 - Matlarge273@gmail.com)
- Under 8** **Ground** - Flitwick Football Centre, Ampthill Road, FLITWICK, MK45 1BA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & WHITE STRIPED, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Kevin Farr (07954 672248 - kevin.farr@betterhealthcare.co.uk)

GREAT DENHAM [U-BED1498 - Bedfordshire FA]

- Club Secretary** Frank Fender
01908 210457 - 07846 747833
f.fender@sky.com
- Under 12** **Ground** - Great Denham Pavilion, Queen Eleanor Drive, GREAT DENHAM, MK40 4SQ
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE
Manager - Neil McConnell (07818 445196 - neil.mcconnell@me.com)

GREAT HORWOOD [U-B&B2392 - Berks & Bucks FA]

Charter Standard Club

- Club Secretary** Darren Sirett
01296 713234 - 07798 653170
darren_sirett@hotmail.com
- Under 16** **Ground** - Great Horwood FC, Winslow Road, GREAT HORWOOD, Buckinghamshire, MK17 0RD
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - BLACK & BLUE STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK
Team Secretary - Darren Sirett (*Details as per Club Secretary*)
Manager - Paul Wills (07765 933122 - paul@erpland.co.uk)

KEMPSTON ROVERS GIRLS & LADIES

Charter Standard Community Club

[U-BED1518 - Bedfordshire FA]

Club Secretary

Doreen Moon
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[johndoe1960@sky.com](mailto: johndoe1960@sky.com)

Under 16

Ground - Hillgrounds Playing Fields, Hillgrounds Road, KEMPSTON, MK42 8QG
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & WHITE STRIPED, BLACK & RED, BLACK & RED
Manager - Ian McLaren (ian.mclaren@bedsfire.com)
Coach - Aidan Diffey (07471 942307 - aidand89@me.com)

Under 15

Ground - Hillgrounds Playing Fields, Hillgrounds Road, KEMPSTON, MK42 8QG
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & WHITE STRIPED, BLACK & RED, BLACK & RED
Team Admin - Nicola Herring (m.sexton3@ntlworld.com)
Manager - Armando Esposito (07972 798402 - mando21@sky.com)

Under 14

Ground - Hillgrounds Playing Fields, Hillgrounds Road, KEMPSTON, MK42 8QG
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & WHITE STRIPED, BLACK & RED, BLACK & RED
Manager - Richard Garnham (07939 098234 - richard.garnham@sky.com)

Under 13

Ground - Addison Howard Park, Bedford Road, Kempston, BEDFORD, MK42 8AP
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & WHITE STRIPED, BLACK & RED, BLACK & RED
Manager - Lisa Young (07739 554993 - lisakarenyoung@hotmail.co.uk)

Under 11

Ground - Hillgrounds Playing Fields, Hillgrounds Road, KEMPSTON, MK42 8QG
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & WHITE STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK
Team Secretary - Iain Burnapp (07767 292723 - burnapp@btinternet.com)
Manager - Julia Surman (07999 880709 - julia.surman@outlook.com)
Manager - Emily Surman (07546 054077 - emily.n.surman@gmail.com)

Under 10

Ground - Hillgrounds Playing Fields, Hillgrounds Road, KEMPSTON, MK42 8QG
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & WHITE STRIPED, BLACK & RED, BLACK & RED
Team Secretary - Iain Burnapp (07767 292723 - burnapp@btinternet.com)
Manager - Ann-Marie White (07975 840579 - a-mw@hotmail.co.uk)

LEIGHTON TOWN YOUTH

[U-BED1483 - Bedfordshire FA]

Charter Standard Development Club

Club Secretary

Nick Freeman
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Under 11

Ground - Astral Park Sports & Community Centre, Johnson Drive,
LEIGHTON BUZZARD, LU7 4AY
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & WHITE STRIPED, RED, RED
Manager - Jo Martindale (07881 614252 - jomartindale@hotmail.co.uk)
Coach - Nick Burley (07717 343232 - n.burley@gmail.com)

- Club Secretary** Chris Haybittle
07950 531627
gc_addict@hotmail.com
- Under 14** **Ground** - Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, LEIGHTON BUZZARD, LU7 9PL
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - NAVY BLUE & YELLOW, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE
Manager - Alexander Hughes (07891 045920 - spursalex@gmail.com)
- Under 13** **Ground** - Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, LEIGHTON BUZZARD, LU7 9PL
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - NAVY BLUE & YELLOW, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE
Manager - Paul Scott (07909 251848 - paul02672003@yahoo.com)
- Under 12** **Ground** - Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, LEIGHTON BUZZARD, LU7 9PL
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - NAVY BLUE & YELLOW, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE
Manager - Georgia Carey (07809 622535 - georgiacarey98@gmail.com)
- Under 11** **Ground** - Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, LEIGHTON BUZZARD, LU7 9PL
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - NAVY BLUE & YELLOW, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE
Manager - Brian Edwards (07789 866680 - brian_edwards21@btinternet.com)
- Under 10** **Ground** - Leighton United FC, Stanbridge Road, Tilsworth, LEIGHTON BUZZARD, LU7 9PL
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - NAVY BLUE & YELLOW, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE
Manager - Geoff Bishop (07776 186896 - Geoff.bishop@gmx.co.uk)

LUTON ALLSTARS LIONESSES

[U-BED1650 - Bedfordshire FA]

- Club Secretary** Mohammed (Praviz) Khan
07872 310664
ibrahimkhan@live.co.uk
- Under 14** **Ground** - Stockwood Park, Farley Hill, LUTON, LU1 5NY
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & BLUE STRIPED, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE
Manager - Myles Maddix (07722 339629 - myles.maddix4@gmail.com)
- Under 12** **Ground** - Luton Regional Recreation Ground, St. Thomas' Road, LUTON, LU2 7UX
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & BLUE STRIPED, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE
Manager - James Cooper (07393 606289 - james.cooper346@yahoo.co.uk)
Coach - Tychique Ciamala (07588 441604 - tychiquemc@hotmail.com)
- Under 9** **Ground** - Luton Regional Recreation Ground, St. Thomas' Road, LUTON, LU2 7UX
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - TBA
Team Secretary - Myles Maddix (07722 339629 - myles.maddix4@gmail.com)
Manager - Mark Britten (Details TBA)
Coach - Osaze Obazuaye (Details TBA)

LUTON CELTIC YOUTH

[U-BED1565 - Bedfordshire FA]

- Club Secretary** Matt Butler
07854 618019
lutoncelticyouth@gmail.com
- Under 15** **Ground** - Caddington Sports & Social Club, Manor Road, Caddington, LUTON, LU1 4HH
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - GREEN & WHITE HOOPED, GREEN, GREEN & WHITE
Manager - Kevin Geary (07846 745425 - kevin.geary@talktalk.net)
Assistant Manager - Stephen McInerney (07817 213839 - stephenmcinerney@hotmail.co.uk)

LUTON TOWN LADIES [U-BED1519 - Bedfordshire FA]

Club Secretary	David Baker 07955 025605 lutontownlfc@hotmail.co.uk
Under 16	Ground - Lancaster Avenue Recreation Ground, Lancaster Avenue, LUTON, LU2 7AD Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ORANGE, NAVY BLUE, ORANGE Manager - Chris Chew (07981 102754 or isulkwhenilose@gmail.com)
Under 14	Ground - Lancaster Avenue Recreation Ground, Lancaster Avenue, LUTON, LU2 7AD Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ORANGE, NAVY BLUE, ORANGE Manager - Paul Matthews (07946 588022 - paulmatthews@thinkpositive.co.uk)
Under 12	Ground - Lancaster Avenue Recreation Ground, Lancaster Avenue, LUTON, LU2 7AD Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ORANGE, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE Manager - Kimberley Newns (07794 408075 - kimmy.newns987@gmail.com)
Under 11	Ground - Lancaster Avenue Recreation Ground, Lancaster Avenue, LUTON, LU2 7AD Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ORANGE, NAVY BLUE, ORANGE Manager - Nathaniel Griffiths (07891 183081 - nrgriffiths@yahoo.com)
Under 10	Ground - Lancaster Avenue Recreation Ground, Lancaster Avenue, LUTON, LU2 7AD Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ORANGE, NAVY BLUE, ORANGE Manager - Darren Wilfort (07730 077789 - darrenthelions@aol.com)
Under 8	Ground - Lancaster Avenue Recreation Ground, Lancaster Avenue, LUTON, LU2 7AD Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ORANGE, NAVY BLUE, ORANGE Manager - Abi Young (07787 201837 - Abigaleyoungh@hotmail.co.uk)

MID BEDS TIGERS [U-BED1539 - Bedfordshire FA]

Charter Standard Development Club

Club Secretary	Karen Hemmings 07403 479069 midbedstigers@gmail.com
Under 13	Ground - Sandye Place Academy, Park Road, SANDY, SG19 1JD Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ORANGE, BLACK, ORANGE Manager - Marcus Nicholls (07715 523672 - yiddo43@yahoo.co.uk)

MILTON KEYNES CITY [U-B&B2519 - Berks & Bucks FA]

Charter Standard Club

Club Secretary	Sharon Hollywood 01908 566414 - 07780 974643 secretary@mkcityfc.com
Under 15	Ground - Tattenhoe Lane Playing Fields, Tattenhoe Lane, MILTON KEYNES, MK3 7RB Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ORANGE & WHITE, ORANGE & WHITE, WHITE Manager - Gemma Taylor (07507 706006 - gemma.taylor@mkcityfc.com)
Under 14	Ground - Tattenhoe Lane Playing Fields, Tattenhoe Lane, MILTON KEYNES, MK3 7RB Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ORANGE, ORANGE, WHITE Team Secretary - Steve Barber (07712 151510 - admin-crystals@mkcityfc.com) Manager - Ian Elverson (07725 744934 - i.elverson@outlook.com)
Under 11	Ground - Tattenhoe Lane Playing Fields, Tattenhoe Lane, MILTON KEYNES, MK3 7RB Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ORANGE, ORANGE, WHITE Team Secretary - Emma Bigg (07793 713379 - emmabigg@aol.com) Manager - Edward Chidley (07562 004775 - eddiechidley@hotmail.co.uk)

MORETONVILLE JUNIOR [U-B&B2452 - Berks & Bucks FA]

Charter Standard Community Club

- Club Secretary** Anita Wise
01280 817436 - 07916 148472
mjfc_secretary@hotmail.co.uk
- Under 16** **Ground** - University Playing Field, Buckingham Road, Gawcott, BUCKINGHAM, MK18 4JD
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & BLACK. BLACK, BLACK
Manager - Eric Suttill (07944 034477 - eric@suttill.com)
Assistant Manager - Tina Doo (07787 125512 - tina@anymal.co.uk)
Coach - Paul Longstaff (07874 895613 - support@pdlcomputers.com)
- Under 14** **Ground** - University Playing Field, Buckingham Road, Gawcott, BUCKINGHAM, MK18 4JD
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & BLACK. BLACK, BLACK
Team Secretary - Emma Fielding (07955 716190 - efielding23@gmail.com)
Manager - Alistair Murray (07525 815401 - amurray6@hotmail.com)
Assistant Manager - Sebastian Fielding (07899 986339 - seb.fielding@vectordesign.co.uk)
Assistant Coach - Matthew Braddock (mattb7@btinternet.com)
- Under 13** **Ground** - University Playing Field, Buckingham Road, Gawcott, BUCKINGHAM, MK18 4JD
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & BLACK. BLACK, BLACK
Manager - Guy Revis (07894 719818 - guy.revis@btconnect.com)
Coach - Matthew Ogle (07989 467850 - matt.ogle@s4asports.co.uk)
- Under 11** **Ground** - University Playing Field, Buckingham Road, Gawcott, BUCKINGHAM, MK18 4JD
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & BLACK. BLACK, BLACK
Manager - Mark Cruse (07887 640193 - mc@daroli.co.uk)
Assistant Manager - Jason Homer (07774 865596 - jason.homer1787@yahoo.co.uk)
Coach - Richard King (07763 148009 - randkking@btinternet.com)

NEWPORT PAGNELL TOWN [U-B&B2219 - Berks & Bucks FA]

Charter Standard Community Club

- Youth Secretary** Julie Ford
01908 218893 - 07736 469943
jules@nptfc.co.uk
- Under 13 Swans** **Ground** - Willen Sports Ground, Willen Road, Newport Pagnell, MK16 0DG
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - GREEN & WHITE, WHITE, WHITE
Manager - Jason Hayler (07789 264547 - jasonhayler@tiscali.co.uk)
- Under 9 Swans** **Ground** - Willen Sports Ground, Willen Road, Newport Pagnell, MK16 0DG
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - GREEN & WHITE, WHITE, WHITE
Manager - Paul Berry (07530 624886 - paulberry007@gmail.com)
Coach - Lee Donald (07714 140914 - ldonald1@msn.com)

PITSTONE & IVINGHOE JUNIOR [U-B&B2155 - Berks & Bucks FA]

Charter Standard Club

- Club Secretary** Amanda Kingswell
07786 981726
a.kingswell@btinternet.com
- Under 12** **Ground** - Pitstone Sports Pavilion, Marsworth Road, PITSTONE, LU7 9AP
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - TBA
Team Secretary - Roz Roberts (07835 069333 - rozorcauley68@gmail.com)
Manager - Barry Roberts (07753 208675 - barry.roberts13@hotmail.co.uk)

SHEFFORD SAINTS [U-BED1599 - Bedfordshire FA]

Club Secretary Paul Humphryes
07791 719098
secretarysheffordsaintsfc@outlook.com

Under 13 **Ground** - Henlow Church or England Academy, Church Road, HENLOW, SG16 6AN
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & WHITE, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Adrian Tomlin (07779 157773 - adriantomlin@yahoo.co.uk)

Under 11 Reds **Ground** - Shefford Sports Club, Hitchin Road, Shefford, SG17 5JD
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & WHITE, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Warren Sparrow (07793 626358 - wsparrow@nevillespecialprojects.co.uk)

Under 11 Whites **Ground** - Shefford Sports Club, Hitchin Road, Shefford, SG17 5JD
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & WHITE, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Paul Richmond (07714 614722 - prichmond20@aol.com)

SHENLEY [U-B&B2035 - Berks & Bucks FA]

Charter Standard Club

Club Secretary Melissa Smith
07592 908095
melissasmith@sky.com

Under 13 Panthers **Ground** - Long Meadow School, Garthwaite Crescent, Shenley, MILTON KEYNES, MK5 7XX
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - PURPLE, PURPLE, PURPLE
Team Secretary - Harriet Neal (07908 134801 - harriet.neal@sky.com)
Manager - Harry Gray (07450 114214 - harry_gray3@btinternet.com)

STOPSLEY UNITED [U-BED1572 - Bedfordshire FA]

Club Secretary Karen Sinclair
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Under 9 Pink Sox **Ground** - Raynham Way Recreation Ground, Raynham Way, LUTON, LU2 9SH
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE
Manager - Robert Smith (07941 453837 - rachel.lane4@ntlworld.com)

STOTFOLD JUNIOR [U-BED1608 - Bedfordshire FA]

Charter Standard Community Club

- Club Secretary** Andrew Bainbridge
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secretary@stotfoldjuniorfc.co.uk
- Under 13** **Ground** - Arlesey Road Playing Fields, Arlesey Road, Stotfold, SG5 4HE
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - AMBER, BLACK, BLACK
Manager - Neil Orpin (07967 629089 - Dobman@hotmail.co.uk)
- Under 12** **Ground** - Arlesey Road Playing Fields, Arlesey Road, Stotfold, SG5 4HE
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - AMBER, BLACK, BLACK
Manager - Mahfuzar Rahman (07775 910778 - fuzzrahman@btinternet.com)
- Under 11** **Ground** - Arlesey Road Playing Fields, Arlesey Road, Stotfold, SG5 4HE
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - AMBER, BLACK, BLACK
Team Secretary / Assistant Manager - Sharon Sharp (07817 842867 - rs.sharp@hotmail.com)
Manager - Luke Murray (07722 315180 - luke_muzza@icloud.com)
Manager - Chris Murray (chris.stotfoldjfc@googlemail.com)
- Under 10** **Ground** - Arlesey Road Playing Fields, Arlesey Road, Stotfold, SG5 4HE
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - AMBER, BLACK, BLACK
Team Secretary - David Cherney (07947 910810 - cheners555@yahoo.co.uk)
Manager - John Clark (07957 392439 - JEClark1977@hotmail.com)
- Under 9** **Ground** - Fox & Duck, 149 Arlesey Road, Stotfold, SG5 4HE
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - AMBER, BLACK, BLACK
Manager - Matthew Heneghan (07528 859032 - matty.sjfc@aol.com)
- Under 8** **Ground** - Fox & Duck, Arlesey Road, Stotfold, SG5 4HE
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - AMBER, BLACK, BLACK
Manager - Steven Newman (07812 102954 - sjfc.stevenewman@gmail.com)

TATTENHOE [U-B&B2315 - Berks & Bucks FA]

Charter Standard Development Club

- Club Secretary** Matt Aris
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matt.aris@hotmail.co.uk
- Under 16** **Ground** - Tattenhoe Sports Pavilion, Holborn Crescent, Tattenhoe, Milton Keynes, MK4 3EQ
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & WHITE, RED, RED
Manager - Katie Watkins (07740 092961 - katie@watkinsmk.co.uk)
- Under 14** **Ground** - Westcroft Pavilion, Cranbourne Avenue, Westcroft, MILTON KEYNES, MK4 4ET
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & WHITE, RED, RED
Manager - Larissa Mellor (07557 749910 - larissa.mellor@yahoo.co.uk)
Coach - Chris Nash (07557 658821 - chrishash0303@yahoo.co.uk)
- Under 12** **Ground** - Tattenhoe Sports Pavilion, Holborn Crescent, Tattenhoe, Milton Keynes, MK4 3EQ
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & WHITE, RED, RED
Manager - Matthew Parr (07860 229984 - matthew.parr@live.co.uk)
Coach - Joseph Colton (07961 072506 - joetlc123@gmail.com)

THAME GIRLS [U-OXF0954 - Oxfordshire FA]

Charter Standard Community Club

Club Secretary Ian Bottomley
07532 132975
ian.bottomley04@btinternet.com

Under 12
Ground - Meadow View Park, Tythrop Way, Thame, OX9 3RN
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & BLACK, BLACK, BLACK
Manager - David Collinson (07980 210923 - oakcolly@hotmail.com)
Coach - Laurence price (07901 716051 - laurenceprice74@gmail.com)

TOWCESTER TOWN [U-NHA1526 - Northamptonshire FA]

Charter Standard Community Club

Club Secretary Samantha Hurrell
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towcestertownfc@secretary.net

Under 15 Vixens
Ground - Greens Norton Community Centre, Towcester Road, Greens Norton, TOWCESTER, NN12 8BL
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - TBA
Manager - Edward Brown-Forde (07752 746669 - edforde1970@gmail.com)

WATLING [U-BED1508 - Bedfordshire FA]

Charter Standard Club

Club Secretary Ashley Pead
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ash.pead21@hotmail.co.uk

Under 16
Ground - Creasey Park CFC, Creasey Park Drive, Dunstable, LU6 1BB
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - RED & BLACK STRIPED, BLACK, BLACK
Manager - John Murray (07752 711226 - johnmurray6@sky.com)

WESTONING [U-BED1593 - Bedfordshire FA]

Charter Standard Development Club

Club Secretary David Wing
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sec.westoningfc@btinternet.com

Under 12
Ground - Silsoe Community Sports Centre, Chestnut Avenue, SILSOE, MK45 4GP
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - YELLOW & NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE
Manager - Melissa Wing (07593 620885 - melissa.wing8@gmail.com)

WILLEN [U-B&B2059 - Berks & Bucks FA]

Charter Standard Club

Club Secretary Kelly Williams
01908 397029 - 07745 252784
clubsecretary@willenfc.com

Under 13
Ground - Willen Pavilion, Portland Drive, Willen, MILTON KEYNES, MK15 9JP
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - WHITE, NAVY BLUE, NAVY BLUE
Manager - Frankie Smith (07970 874590 - frankiersmith@me.com)
Assistant Coach - Martin Chamberlain (martinchamberlain1@sky.com)

WINSLOW UNITED JUNIORS [U-B&B2254 - Berks & Bucks FA]

Charter Standard Club

Club Secretary Lisa Thurnell
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lisa@vintagecarradiatorcompany.co.uk

Under 13
Ground - Richard Roper Playing Fields, Lenborough Road, Gawcott, BUCKINGHAM, MK18 4JG
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - YELLOW, BLUE, YELLOW
Manager - Adria Reed (07939 498936 - adriareed@hotmail.co.uk)
Assistant Coach - James Lansdown (07834 985766 - james_lansdown@hotmail.co.uk)

WIXAMS WANDERERS [U-BED1542 - Bedfordshire FA]

Charter Standard Club

Club Secretary Andrew Fridkin
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League Secretary Ben Henry
07817 065086
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Under 12 Diamonds
Ground - Wixams 3G, Green Lane, Wixams, MK42 6DA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - YELLOW, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Stuart Falconer (07799 133337 - stuart.falconer@sifcarpentry.com)
Coach - Colin Sharpe (07859 069555 - csharpe@centralbeds.ac.uk)

Under 11 Wildcats
Ground - Wixams 3G, Green Lane, Wixams, MK42 6DA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - YELLOW, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Michael Taylor (07854 527541 - michaelljtaylor@googlemail.com)

Under U8 Blue Devils
Ground - Wixams 3G, Green Lane, Wixams, MK42 6DA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - YELLOW, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Craig Barrington (07932 415674 - craig.barrington83@hotmail.com)

Under U8 Red Devils
Ground - Wixams 3G, Green Lane, Wixams, MK42 6DA
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - YELLOW, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Andrew Smith (07590 627066 - ansmith@challneyboys.co.uk)

WOBURN & WAVENDON (LIONESSES) [U-BED1574 - Bedfordshire FA] *Charter Standard Club*

- Club Secretary** Hellen Woodcock
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wwfcclubsec@gmail.com
- Under 15** **Ground** - Aspley Guise Common, West Hill, Aspley Guise, MILTON KEYNES, MK17 8DX
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - CLARET & BLUE STRIPED, CLARET & BLUE, CLARET & BLUE
Manager - Guy Lavis (07966 392030 - guylavis@gmail.com)
Assistant Coach - Jeremy Hall (jez29my@gmail.com)
Assistant Coach - Matthew Fisher (matfish92@gmail.com)
- Under 13** **Ground** - Ridgmont Lower School, High Street, Ridgmont, BEDFORD, MK43 0TS
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - CLARET & BLUE STRIPED, CLARET & BLUE, CLARET & BLUE
Manager - Anthony Hincks (07593 875980 - tonyhincks@gmail.com)
Coach - Dean Martin (07718 517002 - deanmartinmk@gmail.com)
Assistant Coach - Gary Brazenell (gbrazenell@gmail.com)
- Under 12** **Ground** - Bow Brickhill Pavilion, Rushmere Close, Bow Brickhill, Milton Keynes, MK17 9JB
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - CLARET & BLUE STRIPED, CLARET & BLUE, CLARET & BLUE
Team Secretary - Rupert Greyling (07904 503005 - thegreylings@yahoo.co.uk)
Manager - Thomas Williams (07712 163220 - tomwilliams.ptsm@hotmail.co.uk)
Assistant Coach - James Ayres (Jamesayres123@btinternet.com)
- Under 11** **Ground** - Wavendon Recreation Ground, Walton Road, Wavendon, Milton Keynes, MK17 8AF
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - CLARET & BLUE STRIPED, CLARET & BLUE, CLARET & BLUE
Manager - Danny Hayter (07572549738 - dannyhayter63@sky.com)
Assistant Coach - Zoey Didlick (07762061091 - zoeygazeley@yahoo.co.uk)
- Under 10 Blues** **Ground** - Wavendon Recreation Ground, Walton Road, Wavendon, Milton Keynes, MK17 8AF
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - CLARET & BLUE STRIPED, CLARET & BLUE, CLARET & BLUE
Manager - Jay Makwana (07808 767961 - jmakwana@me.com)
Assistant Coach - Darren White (07887 246500 - dwhitey85@aol.co.uk)
- Under 10 Clarets** **Ground** - Wavendon Recreation Ground, Walton Road, Wavendon, Milton Keynes, MK17 8AF
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - CLARET & BLUE STRIPED, CLARET & BLUE, CLARET & BLUE
Manager - Wesley Williams (07931 641587 - wesleythomaswilliams@hotmail.com)
Assistant Coach - Andrew Perkins (07584035573 - andy_perkins@hotmail.co.uk)
- Under 8** **Ground** - Wavendon Recreation Ground, Walton Road, Wavendon, Milton Keynes, MK17 8AF
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - CLARET & BLUE STRIPED, CLARET & BLUE, CLARET & BLUE
Manager - Ben Bowley (07921 779781 - ben.bowley@rightmove.co.uk)
Assistant Coach - Stuart Whiting (07720 513640 - stuart.whiting@sky.com)

WOOTTON RANGERS YOUTH [U-BED1630 - Bedfordshire FA]

- Club Secretary** Simon Netherton
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simon@snetherton.plus.com
- Under 11** **Ground** - Wootton Recreation Ground, Church Road, Wootton, Bedford, MK43 9EU
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE & BLACK, BLACK, BLACK
Manager - Chris Hawkins (07443 487380 - c7hawks84@gmail.com)
- Under 10** **Ground** - Wootton Recreation Ground, Church Road, Wootton, Bedford, MK43 9EU
Kit (Shirts, Shorts, Socks) - ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE, ROYAL BLUE
Manager - Matt Grabham (07725 303279 - mattgrabham@icloud.com)

REFEREES

Bedfordshire Teams

Referees are appointed to League and Cup matches (U16-U12 only) via the Bedfordshire FA Central Appointments System. All queries to Mike Desborough - mike.desborough@bedfordshirefa.com or 07803 623374

Other CFA Teams

Clubs will be required to make their own referee appointments in line with Bucks Girls League Rules. These can be qualified or unqualified depending on availability.

Referee details are not included in this handbook. Each time a referee is appointed to a fixture, the relevant Team Administrators will receive an email giving contact details for the appointed official.

CUP FINALS & TROPHY EVENTS 2017-18

U16 League Cup Final - Wednesday 14th March 2018 @ Kempston Rovers FC

Tattenhoe 4 - 4 Biggleswade United
Tattenhoe won 2-1 on Penalties

U15 League Cup Final - Wednesday 21st March 2018 @ Creasey Park Stadium, Dunstable

Watling 0 - 5 EB Lions AFC

U14 League Cup Final - Saturday 24th March 2018 @ Allen Park, Bedford (Bedford Girls FC)

Woburn & Wavendon (Lionesses) 1 - 5 Kempston Rovers Girls & Ladies

U13 League Cup Final - Saturday 28th April 2018 @ Leighton United FC

Luton Town Ladies 5 - 0 Bedford Girls

U12 League Cup Final - Saturday 28th April 2018 @ Leighton United FC

AFC Dunstable 2 - 1 Flitwick Eagles Whites

Trophy & Plate Event 1

- **U11 Trophy Winner** - Wixams Wanderers Diamonds
- **U11 Plate Winner** - Luton Allstars Lionesses
- **U10 Trophy Winner** - Wootton Rangers Youth
- **U10 Plate Winner** - Flitwick Eagles
- **U9 Trophy Winner** - Luton Town Ladies

Trophy & Plate Event 2

- **U11 Trophy Winner** - Luton Town Ladies
- **U11 Plate Winner** - Flitwick Eagles
- **U10 Trophy Winner** - Aylesbury United Ladies & Girls
- **U10 Plate Winner** - Leighton Town Youth
- **U9 Trophy Winner** - Flitwick Eagles
- **U9 Plate Winner** - Woburn & Wavendon (Lionesses)

Trophy & Plate Event 3

- **U11 Trophy Winner** - Luton Allstars Lionesses
- **U11 Plate Winner** - AFC Dunstable
- **U10 Trophy Winner** - Wootton Rangers Youth
- **U10 Plate Winner** - Wixams Wanderers Wildcats
- **U9 Trophy Winner** - Luton Town Ladies
- **U9 Plate Winner** - Woburn & Wavendon (Lionesses)