



PLEDGE PROJECT

WHAT IS THE PLEDGE PROJECT?

Disability football is one of the game's greatest secrets and we need your support to promote and increase the opportunities across the county.

Can you help spread the word about disability football across Cambridgeshire?

WHY MAKE A PLEDGE?

Cambs FA want to get as many people playing football as we can. Many grassroots players, clubs, managers and parents are unaware of disability provision, and by promoting the opportunities in the county it may lead to a player with a disability joining a club.

WHO CAN MAKE A PLEDGE?

All Cambs FA affiliated youth and adult clubs are invited to make a pledge, regardless of whether your club currently offers disability football. We would especially like to involve clubs who do not currently have any disability provision, and are keen for the club to get involved.

HOW TO MAKE A PLEDGE?

Pledges don't have to cost a lot of money and require very little time to complete but could have a huge impact on local football.

Discuss with your club how you could support the pledge and get in contact to discuss further.

Once agreed, contact **Football Development Officer (Disability), Sarah Hudson** at **Sarah.Hudson@cambridgeshirefa.com**



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PLEDGE PROJECT LEVELS

RAISING AWARENESS (BRONZE)

- Display and share current opportunities in the country via your club
- Audit the players within your club who have disabilities
- Plan to develop club facilities for players & spectators with disabilities

INCLUSIVE OPPORTUNITIES (SILVER)

- Put a coach through the coaching disabled footballers course
- Put a coach through an autism workshop
- Host a disability specific CPD workshop for your club
- Provide coaching opportunities for individuals with disabilities
- Create a club disability football development group
- Host a disability festival with the support of the County FA.

DISABILITY SPECIFIC OPPORTUNITIES (GOLD)

- Apply to host recreational disability football at your club
- Set up a youth or adult team at your club
- Set up an impairment specific team at your club
- Promote the England Talent Pathway to eligible players at your club



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PLEDGE PROJECT REWARDS

BRONZE

- Advertisement and publicity for your club via the County FA
- A pledge project certificate to display at the club
- Invitations to CPD events

SILVER

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- A pledge project certificate to display at the club
- Invitations to CPD events
- Club support from an FA Coach Mentor
- Bursaries for FA coaching courses

GOLD

- Advertisement and publicity for your club via the County FA
- A pledge project certificate to display at your club
- Invitations to CPD events
- Club support from an FA Coach Mentor
- Discounts for coaching courses
- An equipment pack for the team
- A complete first aid kit from Discount Football Kits