CLUB AFFILIATION

The FA

ALL

2022-23 SEASON

Cheshire FA

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OVERVIEW

YOUR AFFILIATION ENSURES YOUR CLUB:



Is eligible to play in a Cheshire FA sanctioned League



Is eligible to enter our County Cup Competitions



Has validated personal accident and public liability insurance



Has access to Cheshire FA Match Officials



Is eligible to access Football Foundation Funding



Has access to the Whole Game System to manage club administration



PRICES & BENEFITS

	1-2 Teams	3-10 Teams	11-30 Teams	31+ Teams
Price	£60.00	£150.00	£250.00	£325.00
Key Account Management Service	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Access to Kitlocker discount	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Access to Bazookagoal discount	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Access to Teqball discount	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Access to Koolpak discount	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Access to Bubble Footie discount	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Access to Veo Technologies discount	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
Free access to The FA Digital Gym	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark
PL Insurance purchase through WGS	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark	\checkmark

Key Account Management Service

We are delighted this year to be offering an Account Management Service to process your Club's Affiliation. You will be contacted by your Account Manager to start the process and they will be your sole point of contact throughout affiliation to make the process more efficient. Any correspondence around affiliation should be sent as a reply to the initial email, to enable all correspondence to be centralised.



U5/U6 development centres are free and will not be counted in your total club fee



Disability-only clubs will be provided free affiliation



All disability football is free and will not be counted in your total team fee



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INSURANCE

PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE

CountyCover	£30	
CountyCoverPlus	£60	

Step 5 & below Clubs only

PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE - THE BENEFITS OF COUNTYCOVERPLUS

The difference between the two packages relate to the extent of protection provided in relation to legal liability claims arising from player v player incidents.

Countycover includes Player to Player' legal defence costs of up to £250,000 but excludes any damages or awards.

Countycover Plus extends to offer £10,000,000 cover for legal defence costs and awards in regards to player to player incidents. Countycover Plus helps protect the club as an entity and the committee members should a player to player claim be made against the club and a judge rules in favour of the injured player and awards damages to the injured player.

PERSONAL ACCIDENT INSURANCE

For the 2022-23 season, you will be required to purchase your Personal Accident insurance outside of the WholeGame System, and upload a copy of your certificate to your affiliation submission (Stage 5).

You must ensure you purchase the correct amount of cover for the number of teams and age groups as with previous years to ensure your affiliation is not held up.

Visit our recommended provider, Bluefin, here: <u>https://quoteandbuy.bluefinsport.co.uk</u> And watch their guidance video: <u>https://player.vimeo.com/video/552390129</u>

Important Notice for All Adult Clubs

Cheshire FA's mandatory minimum Personal Accident insurance cover for Adult Clubs will be Superior 120.

The main benefit of this cover is that players will have a minimum of £30 a week from the day of the injury paid to them when signed off work.

We have also a video which explains the benefits of PA insurance, which you can access here: <u>https://ngis.bluefinsport.co.uk/club-and-teams/personal-accident-insurance/</u>

KEY INFORMATION

SAFEGUARDING REQUIREMENTS

For Clubs with teams involving players who are between U6-U18

	FA DBS Check	Welfare Officer Course	FA Safeguarding Children	FA Safeguarding for Committee Members
Chair				
Secretary				
Club Welfare Officer				
Treasurer				
Manager/Coach			Best Practice	

Any clubs with 16/17-year-old players playing in their Open Age teams require an FA DBS Check to be completed for any Managers/Coaches involved with those teams.

Welfare Officer Course	CLICK HERE
FA Safeguarding Chuldren Course	<u>CLICK HERE</u>

FA Safeguarding for Committee Members <u>CLICK HERE</u>



KEY INFORMATION

U18 Players in Open Age Football

Clubs/Teams who have Under 18 players playing within their open age team(s) MUST have their Managers/Coaches/First Aiders DBS checked.

In order to ensure that teams are fully compliant, they have been advised to follow the below information:

- Larger Clubs who operate with both open age and youth teams will already have a Club Welfare Officer in place and therefore should approach DBS checking their open age officials using the same process your own club account with First Advantage Online Disclosures.
- However, single-team clubs/smaller clubs who operate solely as open age without a Welfare Officer, are allowed to go through the County FA to process their DBS checks.

For more information email: <u>Safeguarding@CheshireFA.com</u>



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KEY INFORMATION

DATA

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Your data is important to us because:

We highlight facility investment need with local authorities & the Football Foundation

We use it to inform our coach education calendar & course location

We direct football development interventions where there is a need

We report the amount of participation to The FA and Sport England

Please take care with the quality and accuracy of the information provided during this process.



*An average of 30 weekly players will equate to 3 teams being added within the Whole Game System







THE PROCESS

STAGES OF AFFILIATION

IN PROGRESS

This means that your Affiliation is open and ready for you to edit and submit. You will need to complete the following 8 stages before submitting your application:

- 1 Club Details
- 2 Club Officials
- 3 Club Grounds
- 4 Teams & County Cup Entries
- 5 Supporting Documents (Personal Accident Insurance & Public Liability Insurance)
- 6 Purchases, Membership Fees & NGIS Insurance can be purchased
- 7 Summary Page
- 8 Submit for Approval

SUBMITTED

At this stage, your Account Manager will review your Affiliation. This process can take several days depending on the size of your club. We will check your application to ensure that everything is present and correct. If anything is missing or incorrect we will place your Affiliation back into 'In Progress' and your Account Manager will email you with the alterations that you need to make.

FINAL CHECK

After payment, we will review your Affiliation.

COMPLETION

After the final check we will approve your Affiliation.

Once we have received your full payment, we will send you a confirmation email with your Affiliation number.

Until you receive this confirmation email, please note that you are NOT Affiliated.

Potential Hold Ups with your Affiliation

- Missing data grounds, coaches, leagues not listed.
- We are waiting on payment from the club
- Incorrect level of Personal Accident Insurance
- Committee Members without the Safeguarding for Committee Members Course (Youth Clubs Only)



Entry into the County Cups is selected within the Whole Game System Portal and will be added to your total invoice

Cup	Price	Cup	Price		
Senior Cup	£85	Amateur Cup	£40		
Ladies Cup	£40	Sunday Cup	£40		
Youth/Junior (Boys)	Price	Youth/Junior (Girls)	Price		
U13 Cup	£20	U13 Cup (9v9)	£20		
U14 Cup	£20	U14 Cup	£20		
U15 Cup	£20	U15 Cup	£20		
U16 Cup	£20	U16 Cup	£20		
U18 Cup	£20	U18 Cup	£20		
Disability Football Price					
Ability Counts Adult Cup FREE					
Ability Counts U16 Cup FREE					
Ability Counts U12 Cup FREE					

YOU CAN ENTER MORE THAN ONE TEAM FROM WITHIN YOUR CLUB INTO ANY COUNTY CUP COMPETITION



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PITCHPOWER

PitchPower is a new app from the Football Foundation to help sustain or enhance the quality of your grass pitches.

HOW IT WORKS

1 - Set up your PitchPower account

3 - Submit your info and receive your report

Three submission windows as follows: September - October, November - March, April - June. Your inspection needs to be submitted before the window closes, so aim to do it as early as you can. There must be four weeks between submissions. For more information or support please contact facilitydevelopment@cheshirefa.com

GET STARTED

2 - Carry out your pitch inspection







ASSESSMENT REPORT

ST ANDREWS SPORTS CLUB

This report has been compiled by the Grounds Management Association for §4 Andrews F.C. - ST ANDERWS SPORTS CLUB and Leicestershire & Rutland FA to see how support can be offerred in improving the standard of football pitches and level of maintenance across the area.

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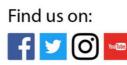
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OUR VALUES



CHAMPIONING AND ENSURING THAT FOOTBALL IS AVAILABLE AND SAFE FOR EVERYONE



COMMITTED TO CONTINUOUSLY IMPROVE AND BE TRANSFORMATIONAL IN WHAT WE DO



SET THE STANDARDS FOR RESPECTFUL BEHAVIOUR ACROSS THE GAME