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# A MESSAGE FROM THE HAMPSHIRE FA CHAIRMAN

### **JAMES PEARSON**



'On behalf of the Directors of Hampshire FA may I welcome you all to Front Lawn Community Hub for the final of the Girls U14 Hampshire FA County Cup sponsored by Savvy Accountancy Solutions.

It is with great pleasure that we extend a warm welcome to the players, officials and supporters of all of today's teams and also to today's match officials.

Obviously in these challenging times, we were unable to play this game at the end of the season as normal. However, we will do our best within the constraints laid down to ensure that you all have the most enjoyable day possible, we really appreciate your support in ensuring the match is played in a safe and secure way, the restrictions in place are for the safety of everyone.

Special thanks are also extended to Savvy Accountancy Solutions, today's competition sponsor.

Thank you for your support today. I hope you enjoy the game and will observe The FA 'RESPECT' programme.

Keep safe everybody!

Best wishes, James Pearson Chairman, Hampshire FA

### **COVID-19 UPDATE**

### PLEASE ENSURE THAT YOU ADHERE TO THE LATEST GOVERNMENT GUIDELINES



The UK Government has confirmed that organised sports, which include Steps 3-6 of the National League System [NLS], Tiers 3-6 of the Women's Football Pyramid [WFP] and outdoor grassroots football, can continue as an exemption to its latest planned measures in response to COVID-19.

Organised football activity is currently permitted at these levels but it is extremely important that clubs, players, coaches, match officials, league officials, volunteers, parents, carers, and facility providers continue to strictly follow both the UK Governments' latest guidance on COVID-19 and respective bespoke guidelines from the FA.

Re-starting the game at these levels has been a significant challenge for everyone involved and we must acknowledge the hard work, passion and commitment of the football family. However, it is vital that we all adhere to these guidelines and ensure it can continue in a safe and secure way.

As part of this exemption, The FA can also clarify that clubs at Steps 3-6 of the NLS and Tiers 3-4 of the WFP remain permitted to accommodate a phased and limited return of spectators if they follow the UK Governments' latest guidance on Covid-19 and The FA's guidelines for the NLS or WFP.

Clubs in the Regional NLS Feeder Leagues, Tiers 5-7 of the WFP and outdoor grassroots football also remain permitted to accommodate socially-distanced spectators but they too must adhere to the UK Governments' latest guidance on Covid-19 and The FA guidelines for outdoor grassroots football.

Supporters are the life force of our national sport and The FA hopes to see them return in greater numbers across the country as soon as it is safe and possible. However, we must continue to work together and play our part by following all the relevant guidelines if this is to become a reality.

The FA remains in consultation with the Department for Digital, Culture, Media & Sport, the Sports Grounds Safety Authority, leagues and competitions and will provide an update on the further returns of supporters – including scheduled pilot events – in due course.

Updated frequently asked questions on our COVID-19 guidelines can be accessed by clicking HERE



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### PLAYER PROFILES AFC PORTCHESTER



- 1 EVIE KODOM GOALKEEPER JOINED 2014 Once a reluctant keeper, Evie has gone from strength to strength in recent seasons. She has won numerous 'Girl of the Match' awards from the opposition this season. Without doubt, her highlight was the penalty save that got us to the final today. She repeated that effort in the League cup semi-final with another great save.
- 2 KELSEY-MAI PYE DEFENDER JOINED 2017 Kelsey is a composed defender who always seems to get in a tackle even when you think she is beaten. Calm and composed on the ball and works her socks off whatever challenge you give her. Scored her first goal for the club this season in the Hampshire Futsal Tournament. Apparently Kelsey was a great dancer until she swapped her dancing shoes for football boots!

### 3 – FREYA MCCALLUM – DEFENDER / MIDFIELD-ER – JOINED 2016

Freya is a tough tackling defensive midfielder. Winner of our most improved player last season, her game is going from strength to strength. Thrives in a competitive game. Freya is a consistent performer who also competes at Archery on a national level.

- 4 MOLLY BUNKER DEFENDER JOINED 2014 Molly is a natural athlete. Converted from midfield to defence this season, her strength, agility and bravery make her a formidable opponent for any attacker. An important and well-respected team member. Molly also represents Hampshire at Rugby, but I am trying to convince her that playing with a round ball is better.
- 5 AVA LINDASY DEFENDER JOINED 2020 Ava has joined our age group this season but has been with AFC Portchester for 3 years. She is obviously very happy to be eligible for this match! Playing up a year, Ava is a very talented all round player who has added to our creativity. Ava reads the game very well and has really strengthened our squad.

### 6 – CHLOE PARSONS – MIDFIELDER – JOINED 2014

Chioe is one of the youngest members of our team who has a fantastic eye for a pass and excellent ball skills. When Chloe plays well the team tends to play well and she has weighed in with some important goals and assists this season. Chloe has wonderful ball control when she is in full flight and tracks back well when required.

7 – AMBER LUFF – MIDFIELDER – JOINED 2014 Amber (or A-Dog as she doesn't like to be known), has a wonderful left foot, has enjoyed more of a central role this season and her all round game has made her one of our key players. A fantastic attitude and work-ethic makes Amber a real handful for opposing teams. She is tenacious and committed to the team.

8 – AMIE COOPER – FORWARD – JOINED 2016 Amie has been our top scorer for the last 3 seasons, her competitiveness, determination and blistering pace making her a handful for any defender. Amie's finishing has improved massively this season which has heloed her bag over 25 goals. Amie also competes at a high level in Gymnastics and we may get a back flip celebration if she manages to score today!

### 9 – JESS WILSON – MIDFIELDER / FOR-WARD – JOINED 2018

Jess is less experienced than some of the girls, but makes up for this with her attitude and commitment to learn in training which earnt her the 'Players Player' of the year award last season. Jess is a real pleasure to coach and has a great left foot which she used to score a key goal in the cup quarter-final.

12 – SOPHIE WHITE – DEFENDER – JOINED 2018 Sophie is a composed defender who uses her pace and strength well. The technical side of her game is coming along nicely this season. Her confidence has grown leaps and bounds this year as she is realising what a good player she is. Sophie has played a big part in getting us to the final with our defence only having conceded only 1 goal in the competition.

### 15 – AMBER JENKINSON – DEFENDER – JOINED 2020

Amber joined us this season from Horndean, where she was formerly a goalkeeper. Although playing up an age group, she has settled really well into the side, has a great attitude and is strong in the tackle.

#### 99 – HANNAH WALKER (CAPTAIN) – MIDFIELDER / FORWARD – JOINED 2014

Hannah is one of the original members of the team and has great control and awareness on the pitch. Hannah provides lots of assists with her range of passing and uses her ability to read the game, and her strength, very well on the field. She is a good leader for the girls on the pitch. It is not always easy having your Dad as the coach and I am immensely proud of her.

#### 10 – RHIANNA CADET-JENKINS – MIDFIELDER / FORWARD – JOINED 2016

Rhianna is a hard working attacking midfielder / striker, who weighs in with some important goals. Rhianna is a poacher around the box and works hard on her game in training. Watch out for her on set-pieces! Rhianna nailed her penalty into the top corner to help us get to the final. She scored the winning goal in the final at the Fawley tournament, so we are hoping she might repeat that feat today.

### 11 – MEGAN CUSACK – MIDFIELDER – JOINED 2017

Megan is an all action player with amazing athleticism. She has worked hard on her game this season and has become a real key player for the team. Megan would have been injured if the match had been played in March. She is now fully fit for todays match, and her tireless running will be very important to us.

#### **GIRLS WHO GOT US TO THE FINAL**

LAUREN ELLIS – DEFENDER – JOINED 2016 Lauren is an unflappable defender, who as well as being strong and tenacious, reads the game exceptionally well. She plays with a calmness and composure beyond her years and has been an outstanding performer for us this season. Lauren also has a wicked sense of humour that keeps us all on our toes.

### SOFIE HARRIS – MIDFIELDER / GOALKEEPER – JOINED 2019

Sofie joined us at the start of this season, stepping up an age group after performing well in the summer tournaments for us. Sofie has worked hard through the season and she has good technical ability and a good eye for a pass. Sofie is also a very able goalkeeper and our penalty shootout expert.

CAITLIN NORRELL – FORWARD – JOINED 2019 Caitlin rejoined the team this season after playing with a lot of the girls originally at Widbrook. Caitlin has a lot of technical ability, can play with both feet and is a threat to any opponent. She links up well with her team mates and if Caitlin has a good game, the whole team tends to as well. Caitlin is a football nut who is always playing, training or watching Pompey!

## PLAYER PROFILES AFC BOURNEMOUTH CST



#### **IMOGEN ROWLEY**

Strongest attribute: Team Player Favourite player: Ellen White Best moment in football: Winning player's player award

#### **HOLLY HUMPHREYS**

Strongest attribute: Never give up Favourite player: Son Heung-Min Best moment in football: Scoring the goal that took my team to the National Finals

#### AIMEE CLARKE

Strongest attribute: Pace
Favourite player: Lionel Messi
Best moment in football: Scoring winning
goal v Saints away with 30 seconds left to
play

### AIMEE LEGG

Strongest attribute: Team player and reading the game Favourite player: Steve Cook Best moment in football: Receiving managers player of the season award in the Under 12's

#### **YASMIN WALL**

Strongest attribute: Hard work and determination to improve
Favourite player: Lucy Bronze
Best moment in football: Winning the 2019
Hampshire Cup

#### **TEAH STONE**

Strongest attribute: Intercepting Favourite player: Virgil Van Dijk Best moment in football: Scoring a half volley and a header to win the cup final

#### **TALULLA O'BRIEN**

Strongest attribute: Ball Manipulation Favourite player: Lionel Messi Best moment in football: Getting scouted to trial for the AFC Bournemouth U10's, then getting in

### **LUCY COOPER**

and score
Favourite player: Lionel Messi
Best moment in football: I love playing upfront and scoring in important games, every
goal is a great moment for me!

Strongest attribute: My pace to beat players

#### MADDY CORNISH

Strongest attribute: Bravery and shot stopping
Favourite player: Karen Bardsley
Best moment in football: Making a diving save v Portsmouth at 2-2 then going on to win the game 3-2

#### **ORLAITH O'MAHONY**

Strongest attribute: Distribution
Favourite player: Karen Bardsley
Best moment in football: Getting into AFC
Bournemouth

#### **GEORGIA REEKS**

Strongest attribute: Through balls Favourite player: Josh King Best moment in football: Winning league playoff decider

#### **EMILY ADAMS**

Strongest attribute: Range of passing Favourite player: David Beckham Best moment in football: Captaining the team in the Hampshire Cup Final winning team of 2019

### INDIA GREGORY

Strongest attribute: Determination to succeed
Favourite player: Virgil Van Dijk
Best moment in football: Winning the Hampshire Cup

### **ANISHA MATHEMA**

Strongest attribute: Awareness
Favourite player: Kevin De Bruyne
Best moment in football: Playing Swindon
U15's and bouncing back to earn a draw

#### **SOPHIE MATTHEWS**

Strongest attribute: Playing long passes Favourite player: Josh King Best moment in football: Winning the Hampshire Cup two years in a row





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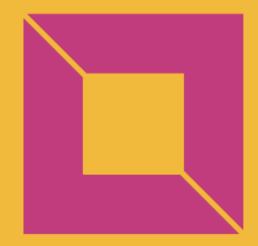


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Freya McCallum

Molly Bunker

**Ava Lindsey** 

**Chloe Parsons** 

**Amber Luff** 

**Amie Cooper** 

Jess Wilson

**Rhianna Cadet-Jenkins** 

Megan Cusack

**Sophie White** 

**Amber Jenkinson** 

Hannah Walker

**Imogen Rowley** 

**Holly Humphreys** 

**Aimee Clarke** 

Aimee Legg

**Yasmin Wall** 

**Teah Stone** 

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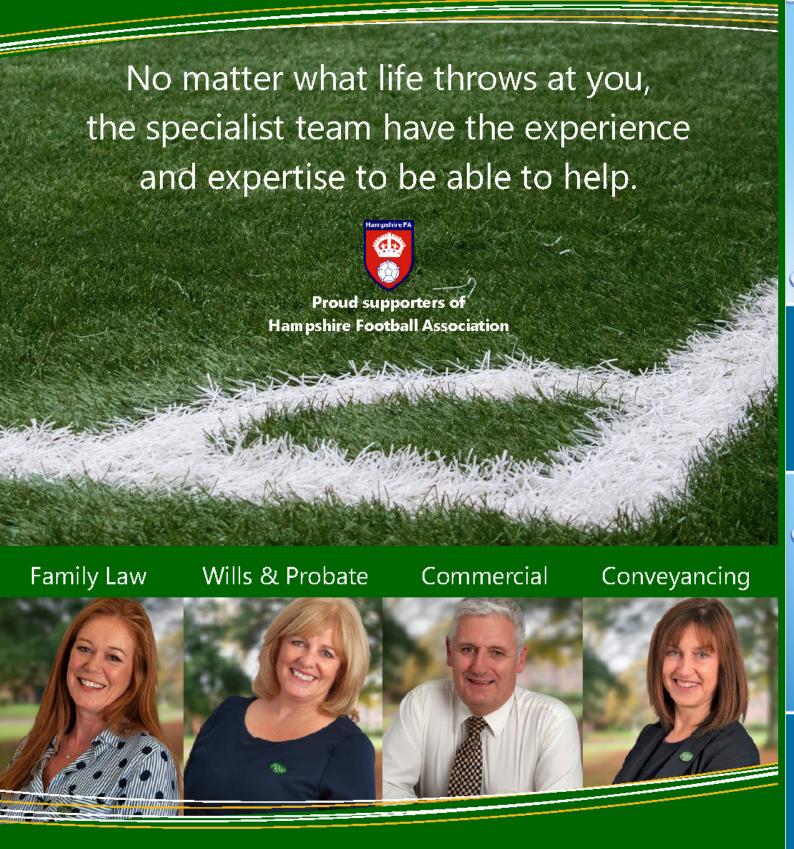
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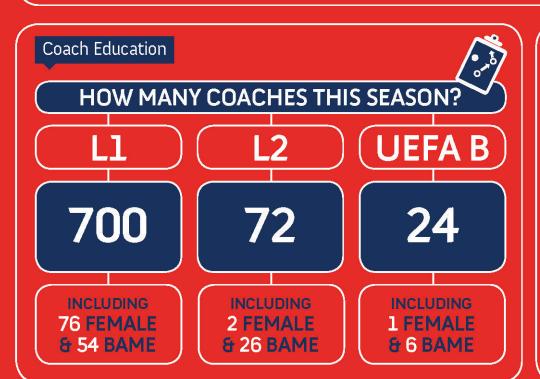
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### YOUTH

1,379 TEAMS 22,109 PLAYERS

### **MINI SOCCER**

1,129 TEAMS 10,746 PLAYERS

### **ADULTS**

1,099 TEAMS 29,847 PLAYERS

### Male

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### YOUTH

162 TEAMS 2,664 PLAYERS

### **MINI SOCCER**

39 TEAMS 726 PLAYERS

### **ADULTS**

56
TEAMS
1,456
PLAYERS

### Female

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Hampshire FA places a strong emphasis on marketing & communications; as such we have developed the media model with different tiers. Particular focus is recognising media agencies or freelancers as official media partners of the association.



