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I am a Non-Executive Director with the Lincolnshire FA. Along with the other Directors, we have responsibility for the strategy and governance of the Association. I also have specific Safeguarding responsibilities to support the team and to champion safeguarding.

I come from a footballing family and it's always been a part of my life. I now work in the game, as the CEO of Scunthorpe United FC, which is itself a way of life. Football has given me plenty of highs and lows, but also a lot of opportunities to develop as an individual, to meet people, and to be a part of something that is so important to so many people.

There are moments when it hits home how much of a difference football can make when it unites and brings communities together, when it literally changes lives. Children play, grow and build confidence and begin to love the game and they then go on to become players, officials, coaches, volunteers at clubs and leagues and keep the sport thriving and the cycle going.

Football in Lincolnshire is full of opportunities to participate, watch, lead and support. In a time when we need to support each other more than ever with our well-being, it is a way to keep active and a way to find a sense of belonging.