

## **AMBLESIDE UNITED KENDAL UNITED**

























# WELCOME MESSAGE

#### Welcome to the Westmorland Flooring Stadium!

Today, Kendal Town Football Club hosts Ambleside United and Kendal United Under-10s for a PlaySafe match that promises to be a fantastic event!

We extend our gratitude to Carlisle United, Kendal Town, and Workington AFC for generously donating stadium use during the next few weeks. This initiative highlights the crucial role of safeguarding in football.

A big thank you to everyone who participated in the PlaySafe competition this season.

### **Tonight's Referee**

Mr Cameron Field



## WELCOME

# AMBLESIDE UNITED

#### **TEAM NEWS**

- 1 Sam Kilner
- 5 Andrei Dumitrascu
- 6 Will Bamforth
- 7 Felix Burt
- 8 Joshua Hallatsch-Price
- 9 Zach Stephenson
- 10 James McAleese
- 11 Robin Stabi Kelly
- 12 Judah Basham
- 17 Oskar Stanley
- 19 Theo Aynsley

Ambleside United Junior FC U10s were thrilled to win this season's Playsafe competition and are really excited to play a match and be the game mascots. Coming through the tunnel is going to be a special highlight for our players so please cheer them on loudly!

Thank you so much to both the Westmorland FA and Kendal Town for giving Ambleside this amazing opportunity to play Kendal Utd Juniors.

Our Chairman Dan always speaks fondly of his memories playing his first game here, so he has first hand knowledge of what a brilliant experience this will be for our young players.

Finally, a huge thank you to our players young and old for giving their all, week in week out. To our coaches, assistants, parents and other volunteers who work tirelessly for our players, both on pitch side and behind the scenes, we couldn't do it without you. Together they make Ambleside United JFC an amazing club and what grassroots football is all about.

We wish everyone a fun, enjoyable and safe evening! **Dan - Chairman & Ailsa - CWO** 





### WELCOME

# KENDAL UNITED

#### **TEAM NEWS**

- 1 Jax Prickett
- 4 Maxillian Domanski
- 5 James Armstrong
- 7 Freddie Jamieson
- 8 Yoan Radko Hristov
- 9 Finley Oates
- 10 Edison Wilson
- 11 Leo Sofinski
- 12 Dylan Young
- 17 Ben Sainsbury
- 18 Oliver Robinson

Kendal United are delighted that our U10 team won the Playsafe competition.

We would like to thank all the parents and carers from across the club who completed the online training. We'd also like to thank the County FA for the opportunity and the fantastic work they do.

We are sure the team will really enjoy playing on Parkside Road, the big match atmosphere and the opportunity to be mascots in the Senior cup final.

I would also like to take this opportunity to pass on my thanks to all the volunteers, players and parents that contribute to making Kendal United such a great club.

Stefan Grabek Club Secretary



# PLAY SAFE



Last season Westmorland FA ran a similar competition. The game was played before the Senior Cup Final, between Kirkby Stephen and Kendal United under 7's! A great end to end fixture, with plenty of goals, wild celebrations and enthusiasm.

Everyone enjoyed the game but the highlight for the players was walking out to the Champions League music!







## HOW WE GOT HERE

First of all thank you! Thank you every parent, carer, grandparent, coach or volunteer that took the time to complete the Parent's and Carer's safeguarding course. This season we have seen a huge increase in positive behaviour at football clubs and these courses surely help us all create a safe environment.

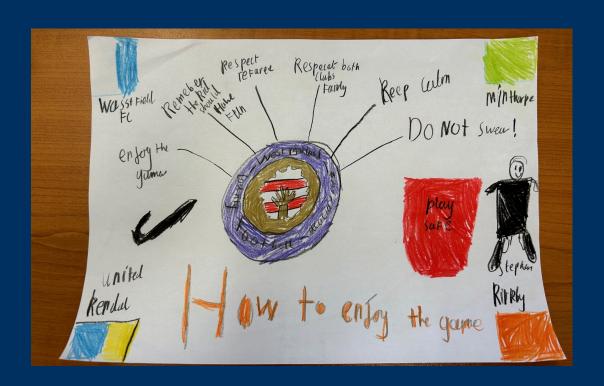
The PlaySafe campaign was a huge success and when proposed to Carlisle United, Kendal Town and Workington AFC we soon realised we could make this a success.

There was a huge amount of work behind the scenes, we had to order over three thousand bingo cards to distribute to players, liaise with FA IT so we could record the data from the course and then logistically deliver the card to all parents in our mini soccer clubs.

During this process we also delivered meetings and spoke to team managers and club officials about the importance of the course.

Both county FA's can honestly say we are so pleased with the response.

If you haven't completed the course and would like too, please scan the QR Code.



# PLAY YOUR PART IN SAFEGUARDING

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility – but are you clear about the vital role you can play?

Safeguarding is about creating safe environments and preventing children from experiencing harm or abuse. Put simply, safeguarding refers to measures we take to protect our children – and keep them safe and well. Whether that's your kids, the opposing players or even the ref, every young person has the right to enjoy football.

This short safeguarding for parents course is designed to help you to make an informed choice about the football setting you enrol your child in. It starts by explaining the importance of safeguarding in football and the child-centred approach the game takes.

It will then guide you through questions you should ask to ensure the club or venue where your children play football has the correct safeguarding policies, people and practices in place.

The course also highlights signs that should concern you – and how to report these concerns. Please scroll down if you want to read about the course in more detail. Ultimately, we want you to make informed choices about where your children enjoy our great game.

The FA is doing everything it can to create safe and positive environments wherever your children play football. This course will enable you play an active role towards achieving that goal. Thank you in advance for taking it.





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