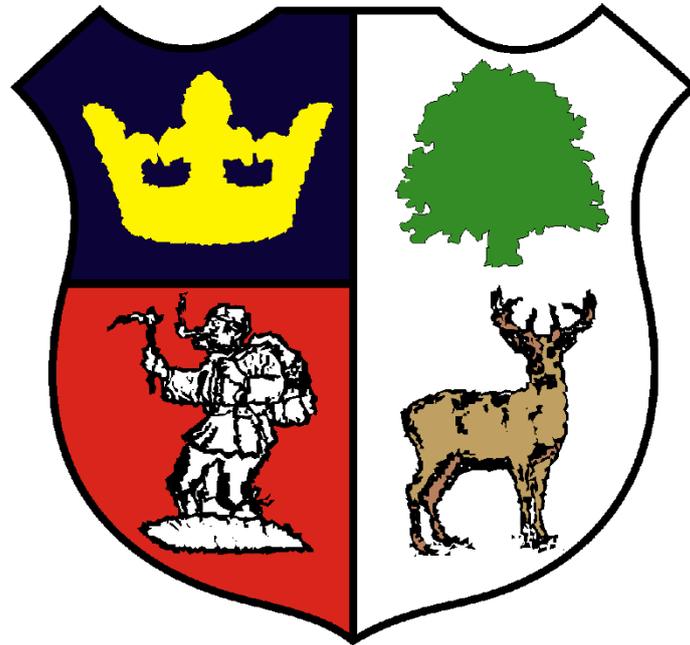


CINDERFORD TOWN



YOUTH FC

Cinderford Town Youth Football Club

Player Welcome Pack

Season 2018/19

Affiliated to the following league



Cinderford Town Youth Football Club

Cinderford Town Youth Football Club is a Youth Football Club based in the Forest of Dean with primary goal of developing players capable of playing in Cinderford Town AFC's first team who currently play at Southern League Level.

The club is an FA Charter Standard Club, meaning that we have to prove year on year that we are run in the correct manner both on and off the pitch, providing children with a safe and engaging environment allowing them to develop to their full potential.

Cinderford Town Youth FC Committee Members

Cinderford Town Youth FC is a committee run club. Below are the members of the committee, they are often at training so feel free to approach them with any issues or email the committee direct at committee@cinderfordtownyouthfc.co.uk



Sid Martin
Chairperson



Jane Ferson
Vice Chairperson



Richard Wilkins
Secretary



Debbie Wilkins
Treasurer



Andy Cottrell
Club Welfare Officer



Danny Poole
Committee Member



Steve Blaby
Committee Member



Royston Baldwin
Parent Liaison Officer

Player Membership

This season the club have changed their policy on training and match fees in order to make it easier on everyone as well as decrease the amount of hours club volunteers spend on chasing outstanding money. As such there will be no set match and training fee but an annual Membership fee which can be paid either Annually, Bi-Annually or Monthly via standing order. Membership fees are payable by all players in order to remain as part of the club.

The following is included within the membership fee...

- Player Registration
- Player Insurance
- Trophies at the end of the season
- All Training Fees
- All Match Fees

Fees also cover hidden costs including pitch hire, referee costs, equipment, pitch marking and more.

Monthly fees will be by Standing Order only (unless pre-agreed with the treasurer) and should run from August 1st until April 1st, a total of 9 months. **If a member falls behind on payments then their membership will cease (unless pre-agreed with the committee) and they will be unable to train or take part in matches.**

Membership Fees

Junior Membership – Under 5s, Under 6s, Under 7s			
	Annual Fee	Bi-Annual Fee	Monthly Fee
	-	-	£10

General Membership – Grassroots League Teams			
Group Type	Annual Fee	Bi-Annual Fee	Monthly Fee
Non-Competitive <i>Under 8s – Under 11s</i>	£130	£65	£15
Competitive <i>Under 12s – Under 16s</i>	£145	£73	£17

Premier Membership – Junior Premier League Teams			
	Annual Fee	Bi-Annual Fee	Monthly Fee
	£240	£120	£28

Child Welfare

Child welfare is taken very seriously by the club, any incidents which you feel should be reported should be done immediately.

28 Day Rule

Leagues generally operate with a 28 day rule, this means that games can be moved if 28 days notice is given. Please can you let your coach know of any holidays or dates you can't make throughout the year as soon as possible. This allows us to postpone games if we have a few players unavailable.

Within 28 days, games cannot be moved and the team may receive a 3-point deduction and fine if they don't have the players to field a team. Obviously, we want to avoid that so please just keep coaches updated on your availability in advance if possible.

Training Kit

Training kit is available to purchase direct from our Club Shop on the Macron Gloucester website. If you would like sizing samples then please do not hesitate to get in contact with your coach who can request if from the club.

To purchase training kit and match day tops, please visit www.cinderfordtownyouthfc.co.uk and click on the Club Shop option on the menu

GDPR

Cinderford Town Youth FC take individual data protection very seriously. By completing the Player Registration form you agree that the club have the right to store your personal data and that of the player. This personal data will only be stored for as long as the player remains a member of the club, once membership ceases all documents will be destroyed.

Sponsorship

The club are always looking for sponsors for kits and training tops, if you can sponsor or know someone who can sponsor kits or training tops for your team then please make your coach or the committee aware



Club Rules

Players cannot be signed to another Club in the same League, players **MUST** receive permission from the committee to play for another club in a different league and should prioritise Cinderford fixtures.

Managers/Coaches are only responsible for children whilst they remain on the designated site. All children must be brought and collected by an appropriate adult, unless specific written consent from the parent/guardian has been received by the Club.

Please advise in advance (24hrs ideally) if you cannot make training or will be late. **For matches always arrive at the ground no later than 20 minutes before kick-off unless pre agreed.**

Although every care will be taken, site exits are not secured and Managers/Coaches cannot be responsible for children who leave the site without first notifying them.

Please accept that **no player has an automatic right to play the position he/she wants.**

All Cinderford Town Youth FC participants including Parents/Guardians/Spectators will be required to adhere to the code of conduct guidelines and any participant behaving unacceptably will receive a formal warning. Any participant receiving more than two such warnings may be excluded from attending any further activities for a period decided by the Committee.

Unacceptable behaviour includes, but is not limited to, swearing, smoking, deliberately endangering others and disrupting activity sessions, but also includes behaviour that the Club feels is inappropriate and/or affects the enjoyment of the Club by other children.

Parents, players, spectators, children, coaches, managers and any other official of Cinderford Town Youth FC must adhere to the FA Respect campaign. Those not adhering could face disciplinary action.

Shin pads **MUST** be worn for all training sessions and matches. Each player must provide their own shin pads and football boots. **Any player failing to wear shinpads will not be allowed to train or play in that match.**

Any player issued with team kit, will be held responsible for any loss / damage caused and will be invoiced by the club. Should a player leave the Club, the kit (unless paid for by the player themselves) must be returned to the team manager as it remains the property of Cinderford Town (Youth) FC. **KIT SHOULD NOT BE WORN TO TRAINING OR OUTSIDE OF GAMES!**

Any child regularly not attending training or matches, for no apparent good reason, could lose their place within the Club. It is up to a Manager/Coach to decide what is reasonable. However, any decision to remove a child from their team will be first discussed with the child's parent(s) and second, be approved by the Committee.

In the event of any dispute between a parent, player, coach or manager, all parties should in the first instance seek to resolve the issue/concern privately via a face to face meeting. If an agreement cannot be reached then the party with the grievance should refer the matter to the Committee. The Committee's decisions will be viewed as final.

SOCIAL MEDIA: Any player, parent, guardian or carer seen to be making defamatory comments about the club, coaches, other players, club officials, match officials, the league, opposition or the FA will be asked to meet with the committee and could be asked to leave the club.

IMPORTANT: Any player incurring Gloucestershire FA punishments/fines may be asked to meet with the Committee to explain their behaviour and may receive a formal warning and **WILL** be required to pay the fine.





CINDERFORD TOWN
YOUTH FOOTBALL CLUB

STANDING ORDER INSTRUCTION

To: _____ **BANK**

Sort Code: -

Account No:

Account Name: _____

Please pay to:- Cinderford Town (Youth) Football Club
Lloyds Bank Plc
Cinderford
Sort Code: 30 – 66 – 77
Account No: 39927860

The sum of £ ___ on the first (1st) day of every month from 1st August 2018 for a total of 9 payments.

Signed: _____

Name: _____

Dated: ___ / ___ / _____



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Parental Consent and Player Registration Form (Season 2018/19)

Please complete **ALL SECTIONS** using **BLOCK CAPITAL**

PLAYER'S DETAILS:			
First Name		Last Name	
Team Age Group (i.e. Under 12s)		Date of Birth:	
Home Address (inc. Postcode)			
Parent/Guardian Name		Relationship to Player:	
Email Address			
Home Tel No		Mobile Tel No	
Alternative Contact Name (in emergency)		Alt. Contact Tel. No	
School Name		School Year from Sept '18	
CONSENT STATEMENT – Playing / Photos / Medical:			
<p>Playing Consent: I agree that the above-named child may take part in football training and matches organised by Cinderford Town (Youth) FC. I understand that while involved, he/she will be under the control and care of the Team Manager and/or assistants, and/or other adults approved by the Club committee, and that, while the staff in charge of the team will take all reasonable care of the children, they cannot necessarily be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury suffered by my child during, or as a result of, the activity. I have read, understood and agree to comply with the Club Rules (provided in the Welcome Pack) and understand that the information given above will be treated confidentially.</p>			
<p>Photo Consent: I understand that photographs or film may be taken during the training sessions and at matches and other club events for media coverage and/or publications to advertise future football events. I consent to allow photographs of the player to be taken for use on the Club website, newspaper articles etc. Note: we cannot be held responsible for photos taken by others at club events</p>			
<p>Medical consent: My child is in good health and I consider him/her capable of taking part in the Club training sessions/matches. Should the need arise; I hereby give my consent for the administration of any medical treatment if deemed necessary by a qualified medical practitioner. I give consent for the administration of First Aid by an appropriately qualified person, in accordance with the information I have provided on this sheet. I give my consent for my child to be taken to hospital in an emergency.</p>			
Parent / Guardian Name:		Relationship to Child:	
Parent Signature:		Date:	
MEDICAL INFORMATION:			
(Medical conditions including details of disability/allergies/dietary requirements/travel sickness etc...)			
Doctor's Name:		Tel. No:	

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The FA Respect Programme

Young Players	Spectators and Parents/Carers
<p>We all have a responsibility to promote high standards of behaviour in the game. As a player, you have a big part to play. That's why The FA is asking every player to follow a Respect Code of Conduct.</p> <p>When playing football, I will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Always play to the best of my ability • Play fairly – I won't cheat, complain or waste time • Respect my team-mates, the other team, the referee or my coach/manager <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Play by the rules, as directed by the referee • Shake hands with the other team and referee at the end of the game <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listen and respond to what my coach/team manager tells me • Talk to someone I trust or the club welfare officer if I'm unhappy about anything at my club. <p>I understand that if I do not follow the Code, any/all of the following actions may be taken by my club, County FA or The FA.</p> <p>I may:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be required to apologise to my team-mates, the other team, referee or team manager • Receive a formal warning from the coach or the club committee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be dropped or substituted • Be required to pay any fines incurred by yellow and red cards <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be suspended from training • Be required to leave the club. <p>In addition:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • My club, County FA or The FA may make my parent or carer aware of any infringements of the Code of Conduct • The FA/County FA could impose a fine and suspension against my club. <p>Social Media</p> <p>Players should never put anything defamatory about other players, about coaches, the club, opposition, club officials, referees, the league or the FA on any social media sites including but not limited to Facebook, Twitter, Snapchat and Instagram. Any players seen to be doing this will be asked to meet with the committee and could result in the player being asked to leave the club.</p>	<p>We all have a responsibility to promote high standards of behaviour in the game.</p> <p>This club is supporting The FA's Respect programme to ensure football can be enjoyed in a safe, positive environment. Remember children's football is a time for them to develop their technical, physical, tactical and social skills. Winning isn't everything.</p> <p>Play your part and observe The FA's Respect Code of Conduct for players at all times.</p> <p>I will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remember that children play for FUN • Applaud effort and good play as well as success <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Always respect the match officials' decisions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remain outside the field of play and within the Designated Spectators' Area (where provided) • Let the coach do their job and not confuse the players by telling them what to do • Encourage the players to respect the opposition, referee and match officials <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Avoid criticising a player for making a mistake – mistakes are part of learning • Never engage in, or tolerate, offensive, insulting, or abusive language or behaviour. • Never put anything defamatory about coaches, other players, the club, opposition, club officials, referees, the league or the FA on any social media site including but not limited to Facebook, Twitter, Snapchat and Instagram. This will result in the person involved being brought in front of the club committee and possibly asked to leave the club along with any dependants. <p>I understand that if I do not follow the Code, any/all of the following actions may be taken by my club, County FA or The FA.</p> <p>I may:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be issued with a verbal warning from a club or league official • Be required to meet with the club, league or GFA Welfare Officer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be required to meet with the club committee • Be obliged to undertake an FA education course • Be obliged to leave the match venue by the club • Be requested by the club not to attend future games • Be suspended or have my club membership removed • Be required to leave the club along with any dependants.

I confirm that I have read and agree to abide by this Code of Conduct.	
Player's Name:	
Player's Signature:	
Date:	
I confirm that I have read and agree to abide by this Code of Conduct.	
Parent/Guardian's name:	
Relationship to Child:	
Signature of Parent/Guardian:	
Date:	

Note: in accordance with FA Rules, this signed page will be retained by the Club Welfare Officer

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