

COBHAM COLTS F.C.



NEWS LETTER NO. 3

To start our News Letter for the new 2008/2009 season we would like to welcome all our new players, parents and friends and hope they enjoy their time with the Club.

As you see from all the paper work you have filled in for the start of the season the Club is aiming to go for the Chartered Standard Award, we have already sent off part of the paper work for this and we will keep you updated on the progress. Brian Badrick is our Club Welfare Officer and should you or the boys have any questions his telephone Nos is 07969255774

Phil our U15s Manager has set up a Cobham Colts Website and we will need all Parents/Guardians permission to have photos and names printed on it – If you have not already signed this form please let Anne know – the website is www.cobhamcoltsfc.co.uk.

The Club/Cobham Sports Association Fee is now due – although a good number of you have already paid, this is just a reminder for those who haven't. Please pass to Anne. The Sports Pavilion will be having a face-lift at the start of the season, when a larger kitchen and storage space will be added so please be careful with any building work going on. As soon as this is finished we hope to cook burgers, hot dogs etc, for which we will need your help. It would be nice if each team will help with this.

Our Club has always had a good reputation for discipline and sportsmanship, **PLEASE** we ask you all to encourage the boys at all times, not to have a go at the referee and the use of foul language **MUST not** be used at any time. Should any parents be found guilty of the above I am afraid the club will have no option but to ban them from coming to matches and a possibility of suspending their son from playing for the club. The FA has set up a 'Respect campaign' which all parents/guardians will be receiving correspondence about. All spectators please keep well behind all the white lines. Very shortly all spectators will have to be on one side of the pitch and the Managers and Coaches on the other side.

Remember the Managers are the ones in charge of the boys on the pitch during the game, they do not want parents on the line also telling them what to do. All boys to change in to their kits at the Club House before the game and after the game, and please no kits to be taken home separately. It would be nice to see you all in the club house, and get to know all the other Club members.

Please note NO Sunday is classed as free, as the league could bring a game forward at any time. If you are not

available at any weekend please let your Manager know a.s.a.p.

Do not forget your Managers still need your help every weekend by marking pitches, putting the nets up, washing kits etc. Please give them your support.

Is there anyone who would like to have a go at a refereeing course please let us know, The club badly need more referees to cover all our home games, so how about having a go!! We are also hoping to hold a First Aid Course in the club house, is there anyone who would like to come on this course? Please give us a ring if so.

When coming into the Car Park at the Club House please be careful and please park sensibly as you all know there are a lot of cars and not many spaces. I am sure if we park neatly we can get more cars in.

There is a Parent Form on the kentfa.com/Development website that any parent can have a go filling in, and when finished you will be able to print a certificate out. If you do this please let me have a copy of the certificate this will also help with the Chartered Award.

Do not forget the club have available polo shirts, sweat shirts, fleeces, (all sizes) woolly hats a few of which I have in stock, if you would like to see them please ask.

Fleece - 9/10, 11/12, XS, Small, Med, XL
Hooded Sweat Shirts – 9/10, 11/12, XS, Small, Med.
Caps £5.50 Woolly Hats - £5.50

Please also note that if you wish to take photographs/videos at matches permission must be given by the opposition.

We hope to have fund raising events during the season which we hope you will support, but should you like to organize any event please let Anne know, and also if you know anyone who would like to sponsor your team as we are hoping to get the boys some waterproof jackets.

If you have any questions or would like to add to a news letter please give us a call. ☎

Would you like a holiday in Spain – look on the notice board in the Club House for details?

As always we hope that all the boys, win or lose, enjoy their football season, please encourage them all. Many thanks

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