

Chairperson
Stephen Brash
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Cumbernauld
G67 2ER

January 2009

Dear Sir/Madam

I -am writing on behalf of kildrum United Football Club to invite you and your team to our Annual Festival of Football which will be held at our home ground Cumbernauld Rugby Football Club

The dates of this year's festival are 13th -14th 20th - 21st June 2009

Please find enclosed an information pack supplying you with all the relevant details

Hope you can take time to have a look

Limited spaces left

Yours in sport

Stephen Brash

Additional Information

- **Each team will be responsible for the safety/first aid and supervision of their own team as per SYFA guidelines**
- **Each team should have the appropriate First Aiders and ratio of adults to children**
- **No alcohol is permitted within sports fields**
- **Each team is asked to discourage players from bringing valuables the organisers will not be held responsible for the loss personal or club possessions**
- **We would appreciate if teams could ensure all rubbish is deposited in bins provided**
- **The use of barbeques are not permitted**
- **Parking will be charged at £2 per car and £5 per minibuses
Per day**
- **All other activities are at participants own risk**
- **No boots are aloud in club house**
- **Thanks for your co-operation and we look forward to meeting your team at the Festival**

Application Form
7a side - 11 a side

June 13th-14th - 20th 21st

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I enclose

Team Registration fee of £.....being payment for a total ofTeams

Player registration fee of £.....being payment for a total ofplayers

Total Payment Enclosed £

Signed..... Date...../...../.....

Position at club.....

All payment is none refundable after 1st April 2009

Dear Coach

At the Kildrum Festival we believe everyone should be involved in making this a special day for the children. We would also like parents and supporters to enter into the true spirit of the Festival.

The Festival Format

Fun 4s: for kids age 4 and up (6 players)

7 a side: trophy free from ages 2000-1998 (10 players)

11 a side: competitive with finals 1997-1993 (16 players)

11 a side: all matches will be as per SYFA guidelines

7 a side 11 a side: All matches will be minimum 30 minutes, which will start and finish with a klaxon. Each team playing a minimum of 5 games

All teams must fill in a team sheet which will be provided

All players taking part will receive a memento of their day at our presentation after the day's games.

All teams must be on time ,so we would ask all teams to ensure they arrive at least 30 minutes before their first kick off to allow themselves time to register and make their way to the pitches. Kick off times to be approved

If possible could all teams please come in their kit as changing space will be limited?

We require all team coaches to make sure they inform there parents and supporters that the must stand at least 1 metre from the touchline to make things easier for the referees and the children.

Having fun and good sportsmanship is our main objective.

Yours in sport

Chairman

Soccer Sevens (8 years and beyond) Rules

- 1. The Field of Play**
The field of play and its characteristics are determined according to the attached diagram.
- 2. Goalposts**
Soccer Sevens goals (4.9 m x 1.8 m) will be used.
- 3. Teams**
Teams will comprise 6 outfield players plus a goalkeeper. Team squads may consist of up to 10 players with rolling substitutions used throughout the match. Players who have been substituted may return to the field of play as often as necessary. All team members should receive equal playing time where possible. In the event of an obvious mismatch, the weaker team, as jointly agreed by the respective team leaders, may field an extra player.
- 4. The Ball**
Size 4
- 5. Offside**
There is no offside rule.
- 6. Duration of the Game**
The duration of the game shall be 30 minutes which will start and finish with a klaxon. Flexibility should prevail. The Festival committee at their discretion can alter this in the event of poor weather conditions, pitch conditions or an obvious mismatch.
- 7. Match Supervisor**
A match supervisor will officiate from a designated area on the touchline or the field of play, no other adult will be allowed on the field of play. Match supervisors are not allowed to coach.
- 8. Kick-ins/Throw-ins**
Age groups 2000s should use kick-ins.
In the event of the ball going out of play, a kick-in will be awarded.
All other Age groups should take throw-ins.
In the event of the ball going out of play, a throw-in will be awarded
- 9. Re-start**
Play shall be re-centred after a goal has been scored with the opposing team at least 6 metres from the ball.
- 10. Equipment**
All players must wear shin-guards. Metal studs are suitable for grass fields only. Glasses may be worn provided they have safety frames and lenses.
- 11. Pass back**
The pass back law does not apply.
- 12. Penalty Kicks**
Penalty kicks shall be taken 7 metres from the goal line.
- 13. Goalkeepers**
Goalkeepers may kick or throw the ball out as preferred. However, in an effort to prevent long passes prevailing, they should be encouraged to restrict these to a minimum. Goalkeepers attempting to gather the ball by hand may not be challenged.
- 14. Coaches**
Team coaches will stand on the same side of the field.
- 15. Behaviour**

Team coaches should substitute players displaying unacceptable behaviour.

NOTE: At the end of every game, team coaches should encourage both teams to shake hands.

11-a-side Football Rules

- 1 The Field of Play**
The field of play and its characteristics are determined according to the Laws of the Game
- 2 Goalposts**
Goalposts should meet the requirements of the Laws of the Game.
- 3 Teams**
Teams will comprise 10 outfield players plus a goalkeeper. Team squads may consist of up to 16 players with rolling substitutions used throughout the match. Players who have been substituted may return to the field of play as often as necessary.
- 4 The Ball**
A size 4 ball should be used at ages.1996 - 1995
A size 5 ball should be used at all other age levels
- 5 Offside**
The offside law will apply.
- 6 Duration of the Game**
Each game shall consist of 2 x 15-minute periods. The Festival Committee will alter at there discretion to alter this in the event of poor weather conditions, pitch conditions.
- 7 Match Supervisor / Referee**
An Official Referee will be appointed with authority to enforce the rules of play and, considering the educational importance for the participants, ensure fair play.
- 8 Throw-ins**
Throw-ins will be taken as normal.
- 9 Re-start**
Play shall be re-centred after a goal has been scored.
- 10 Equipment**
All players must wear shin-guards. Metal studs are suitable for grass fields only. Glasses may be worn provided they have safety frames and lenses.
- 11 Pass back**
The pass back law will apply.
- 14 Coaches**
Team coaches will stand on the same side of the field.
- 15 Behaviour**
Team coaches will be asked to substitute players demonstrating unacceptable behaviour.

NOTE: At the end of every game, team coaches should encourage both teams to shake hands.

The rules for Development Football should be kept to a minimum except as provided within these rules. The laws of the game as stated by FIFA and the International FA Board shall apply subject to the following:

Four-a-side Football (up to 8 years)

- 1 The Field of Play**
The field of play and its characteristics are determined according to the attached diagram.
- 2 Goalposts**
Soccer Sevens goals (4.9 m x 1.8 m) or smaller will be used.
- 3 Teams**
Teams will comprise 4 outfield players with no goalkeepers. Team squads may consist of up to 6 players with rolling substitutions used throughout the match. Players who have been substituted may return to the field of play as often as necessary. All team members should receive equal playing time where possible.
- 4 The Ball**
A size 3 ball should be used.
- 5 Offside**
There is no offside rule.
- 6 Duration of the Game**
Matches should last approximately 15 minutes. The team leaders have joint discretion to alter this in the event of poor weather conditions, pitch conditions or an obvious mismatch.
- 7 Match Supervision**
A match supervisor will officiate from the side of the field.
- 8 Kick-ins**
In the event of the ball going out of play, a kick-in will be awarded.
- 9 Re-start**
On scoring a goal, the team that scores will retreat to the halfway line. The team conceding the goal will restart the game with a short pass.
- 10 Equipment**
All players must wear shin-guards. Metal studs are suitable for grass fields only. Glasses may be worn provided they have safety frames and lenses.
- 11. Coaches**
Team coaches will stand on the same side of the field.
- 12. Behaviour**
Team coaches should substitute players displaying unacceptable behaviour.

NOTE: At the end of every game, team coaches should encourage both teams to sha