



October 2009

Welcome to the first newsletter of the season. We would like to take this opportunity to welcome any new families to the club and to wish all our teams a very successful and enjoyable season.

We held our first Management Committee meeting on Thursday 1st October 2009. Please find below items discussed that we feel maybe of interest to parents and players.

Registrations

Our 2 Registration Secretaries successfully completed over 250 registrations during the summer. The other members of the committee would like to thank Sarah Hardcastle and Fran Everest for all their hard work up against some very tight deadlines. Well Done Ladies!

Rain Jackets

Our Kit Co-ordinator, Karl Hardcastle, will be ordering in TJFC rain jackets this season. Karl is intending to order the jackets in a variety of sizes and once received will be available for immediate purchase at the Pavilion. They will not be personalised but they will be available much earlier in the season. We will keep you informed when the order is received. We are also considering purchasing 'skins' which will also be available at the Pavilion. Thanks Karl.

TJFC Kit

You are kindly reminded that TJFC issued kit is for matches only and should not be worn for training sessions.

Old TJFC Kit

Karl has reported that there is a large amount of old TJFC kit stored at the pavilion. In the past we have donated this to children in Africa. If anyone knows of any overseas teams that would benefit from the kit please see either Karl or Reg at the Pavilion. TJFC is happy and proud to support any worthwhile cause.

Dads Football

Are you interested in playing football on Monday evenings between 8-9pm at Tonbridge School? If so contact Alan Curtis (Under10's) who will happily give you more details

Courier Newspaper Reports

We are pleased to announce that Andy Whitaker has kindly agreed to submit reports for inclusion in the local press. The newspaper reports will raise the profile of the club within the community and the other members of the committee would like to thank Andy for taking on this role once again.

Fiesta

Now a distant memory but Reg has asked me to pass on the thanks of all the committee to all those who helped at our annual fundraising event. The weekend was, once again, extremely successful and could not have taken place without the support of our parents. And for those of you who like to forward plan the date for next year 17th/18th July 2010!!

Respect Campaign

As part of this campaign, you will notice that an extra line has been drawn along the sidelines of each pitch. Please stand behind it, as it then makes it much easier for the referee to control the game.

Assistant Referees Training

We are hoping to run an Assistant Referees course for any interested parents. If you would like to take part please advise your team manager. The managers are grateful for the help of their parents in this role.

Suggestions Box

Reminder - The suggestion box in the Pavilion is for your use. Any comments or suggestions you may have will be heard at future committee meetings.

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