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## NUTLEY FC NEWSLETTER OCTOBER '22



Welcome to our first Nutley FC newsletter. We hope to send out a few of these each season. We hope you've enjoyed the start of the season. It seems to have gone very well in terms of team spirit, organisation and results - long may it continue. The Adults team is second in their league and the U13s are first in theirs. The U10s and U8s (shown above) are non competitive but rest assured they're doing brilliantly.

### COME AND JOIN THE BACKROOM

**Girls Football Coach** - we would love to start a regular primary school age girls only 'wildcats' session. If you fancy taking on this role our existing coaches and the club would support you and pay for your FA training.

**Youth Secretary** - work with junior members to ensure their voices are heard. Perhaps you could set up a youth group with regular meetings and suggestions box, and to bring these ideas to the committee. These meetings could be a couple of times per season for each junior team.

**Community Secretary** - responsible for organising social events to bring all club members together to enhance relationships within the club and with the local community (perhaps parties, quiz night, end-of-season do).

**Fundraising Secretary** - obtaining additional funds, such as grants or sponsorship.

**Environmental leader** - suggest ways of identifying, reducing & offsetting resource usage.

**Groundskeepers** - help maintain the playing surfaces at Fords Green - maybe paint the lines or use the tractor to groom the surface - training and support provided!

We are a friendly and supportive bunch of volunteers. Please do think about joining us. You will be rewarded by a sincere thanks from the club, a warm glow for yourself and some good karma coming back your way! If you are interested then please contact our wonderful secretary Ben Scott on [secretary@nutleyfc.co.uk](mailto:secretary@nutleyfc.co.uk) or 07886 270219.

## **WELFARE**

Just in case you're not sure, our fabulous welfare officer is Fiona Barrett. She can be contacted on 07866 006934 and [welfare@nutleyfc.co.uk](mailto:welfare@nutleyfc.co.uk).



The Club's policies can be viewed on our Rules page. Parents and carers are encouraged to take the short free FA course of Safeguarding Awareness for Parents and Carers.

#### **DEFIBRILLATOR**

The football club and Fords Green Management Committee have recently replaced the pads and battery in the defibrillator at the Pavilion. These parts have to be replaced every few years. Given that this defibrillator has already been used in anger once it is well worth the investment.

#### **PAVILION SPRUCE UP**

The pavilion building is looking a little tired and in need of some TLC. We're hoping to get together a working party to do some odd jobs - a bit of painting, replacing some drainpipe sections, etc. We're thinking of Sunday 30th October at 11:00. If you're willing to help please send a message to Gavin at [chair@nutleyfc.co.uk](mailto:chair@nutleyfc.co.uk) or 07884 435639.



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