



SUMMERTOWN STARS · AFC

CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM 2008/2009

PLAYER S SURNAME :

PLAYER S FIRST NAME:

TEAM MANAGER:
AGE GROUP

SCHOOL:

DATE OF BIRTH :

NEW MEMBER
REGISTRATION?

ADDRESS :

POSTCODE :

TEL (HOME) :

TEL (MOBILE) Necessary In case of Emergency. Please supply more than 1 number if available.

EMAIL ADDRESS (1) :

EMAIL ADDRESS (2) :

DOES YOUR CHILD HAVE ANY MEDICAL CONDITION THAT THE CLUB SHOULD BE AWARE OF ? IF YES , PLEASE DETAIL :

This is for information purposes only. The Club cannot be held responsible or otherwise for administering any medical treatment

I ENCLOSE A CHEQUE FOR £

Cheques only please, no cash. Please make all cheques payable to **Summertown Stars AFC**

FEES

Membership subscription for the 2008/2009 season is

(i) £60 for all age groups.

(ii) New members up to including Under 15s must complete the FA online course (note 1)

(iii) Parents/Guardians who are on Income Support will be entitled to free membership if they can provide original HM Revenue & Customs documentation to support their claim (note 2)

Note 1: This is an FA online course that takes a maximum of 30 minutes and can be accessed at:
<http://www.thefa.com/GrassrootsNew/FA Learning/SoccerParent/>

This is a very useful online course that guides each parent through their important responsibilities as Full Members of Summertown Stars AFC. Everyone that completes the course and achieves the pass mark can immediately print off an accredited certificate directly from the website.

Note 2: In the unlikely event that those parents/guardians who do not receive Income Support have serious financial hardship , they should discuss this with the Manager concerned and then apply to the Club's Committee for free or reduced membership. Each case will be judged on its merits.

All applications must have a signed declaration agreeing to the Club's Code of Conduct as it relates to players and parents (please see overpage)

Checklist (For administrator only):

- Online Soccer Parent Certificate for all U7s and new members upto U15
- Signed declaration
- Correct subscription cheque
- Registration Card (for under 9s and above)
- Proof of age (copy of birth certificate or passport for all new OMBL registrations)
- Passport photo (Under9s, 12s,14s)
- Signed OMBL Team registration sheet with contact detail
- Player and Parent detail provided on database spreadsheet

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PLAYERS

Players are the most important people in the sport. Playing for the team, and for the team to win, is the most fundamental part of the game. But not winning at any cost – Fair Play and respect for all others in the game is very important.

A. Obligations towards the game A player should:

1. Make every effort to develop their own sporting abilities, in terms of skill, technique, tactics and stamina.
2. Give maximum effort and strive for the best possible performance during a game, even if his team is in a position where the desired result has already been achieved.
3. Set a positive example for others, particularly young players and supporters.
4. Avoid all forms of gamesmanship and time-wasting.
5. Always have regard to the best interests of the game, including where publicly expressing an opinion on the game and any particular aspect of it, including others involved in the game.
6. Not use foul or inappropriate language.

B. Obligations towards one's own team. A player should:

1. Make every effort consistent with Fair Play and the Laws of the Game to help his own team win.
2. Resist any influence which might, or might be seen to, bring into question his commitment to the winning team.

C. Respect for the Laws of the Game and competition rules. A player should:

1. Know and abide by the Laws, rules and spirit of the game, and the competition rules.
2. Accept success and failure, victory and defeat, equally.
3. Resist any temptation to take banned substances or use banned techniques.

D. Respect towards Opponents A player should:

1. Treat opponents with due respect at all times, irrespective of the result of the game.
2. Safeguard the physical fitness of opponents, avoid violence and rough play, and help injured opponents.

E. Respect towards the Match Officials. A player should:

1. Accept the decision of the Match Official without protest.
2. Avoid words or actions which may mislead a Match Official.
3. Show due respect towards Match Officials.

F. Respect towards Team Officials: A player should:

1. Abide by the instructions of their Coach and Team Officials, provided they do not contradict the spirit of this Code.
2. Show due respect towards the Team Officials of the opposition.

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS /SPECTATORS

A parent's / spectator's expectations and attitudes have a significant bearing on a child's attitude towards players/ Officials/Managers/Spectators.

Parents and Spectators of SSAFC must always be positive and encouraging towards all of the children not just their own.

Parents/Spectators should therefore:

- Applaud the opposition as well as your own team.
- Avoid coaching the child during the game.
- Not to shout and scream.
- Respect the referee's decision
- Give attention to each of the children involved in football not just the most talented.
- Give encouragement to everyone to participate in football.

DECLARATION

(i) We have read and agree with the Summertown Stars AFC Club's Code of conduct as it relates to Playing Members and Parents/Spectators

(ii) We have read the Club's policy on insurances available on the Club's website (note 3)

(iii) We agree with the Club's policy on permitting playing members to be photographed for Club publicity purposes

(PARENT/GUARDIAN as a VOTING MEMBER *)

(PLAYING MEMBER)

* Note 3: As parent/guardian you are signing as a Voting Member of Summertown Stars AFC and are entitled to one vote at the Club's Special and Annual General Meetings. Please refer to the www.summertownstars.org.uk website for details of the Club's Constitution and your entitlement as a Voting Member and details regarding the Club's insurance policy (see 'Handbook' section).