

## **BRISTOL LADIES UNION FOOTBALL CLUB**

### **SUBSCRIPTIONS POLICY**

#### **SEASON 2011/2012**

#### **Preamble**

Bristol Ladies Union FC is an inclusive club, embracing all levels of ability, social standing, race and colour.

#### **Subscription policy**

The Club will charge players who actively participate in training sessions and representative matches for the club.

Subscriptions have been set at a level to contribute to operational costs including pitch hire, match officials, playing equipment and kit, league registrations, insurances, coaching courses.

The end-of-season presentation evening, social events and tournament entries will be self-funded through the members and/or fundraising.

As a general principal, members will be charged according to the amount they use the facilities. This means:

- There is no discount for Club officers or their children.
- There is no discount for siblings of existing members.
- There is no discount for members who have family members in other football clubs located at Coombe Dingle Sports Complex.
- There will be no maximum cap applied to the subscriptions paid in any one season.

#### **Remittance to the club**

Each team manager is responsible for collecting subscriptions and for passing them, on no greater than a monthly basis, to the Treasurer, and a completed team card detailing those who have paid to the Registrations Secretary.

#### **Payment of Subs**

The Club will accept payment of subscriptions by whatever means is best suited to each individual player and their parents or guardians. Payments can be made by individual session/match, weekly, monthly or annually. Monthly or annual payments have to be made in advance. Payments can be in cash, cheque or by bank transfer directly into the club's bank account.

#### **Non-payment of Subs**

If any player is in arrears by more than 2 weeks, then that player shall not be eligible to participate in any further training sessions or matches until the outstanding amount has been collected and the Club Treasurer informed.

#### **Waiver of subscriptions**

Any member may apply to the Management Committee, on the grounds of hardship, for their fees to be partially or wholly waived.

## **Club Season**

The club season will run between the dates of the Annual General Meetings. The playing season will start and end in accordance with League fixtures. If teams wish to play and/or train outside of the playing season (e.g. summer training at a paid-for facility, entering tournaments), they will either need to collect player subscriptions or make their own arrangements for payment. For the avoidance of doubt, Stoke Lodge Playing Fields is a paid-for facility.

## **2011/12 Season Subscriptions**

### **Juniors section - (Non-competitive)**

£4 per weekend training or playing session

### **Girls section - (Competitive)**

£10 Registration Fee (non-refundable, except by appeal to the Club's Management Committee)

£2 per training session and £3 per match

### **Seniors section - (Competitive)**

£15 Registration Fee (non-refundable, except by appeal to the Club's Management Committee)

£2 per training session and £3 per match

Concessionary rates are available on application to the Club's Management Committee.