

PENICUIK ATHLETIC YOUTH FOOTBALL CLUB NEWSLETTER



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U18 GIRLS HIGHS AND LOWS



Unfortunately, our 18 Girls were unable to replicate last year's success and lost in the Scottish Youth Challenge Cup Final last month. However, they have won the Midlothian Young Peoples Award in Sport & Physical Activity and they have also won their league, not a bad season after all. This team has sadly reached the end of their journey with the PAYFC thanks to all the coaches for all their hard work and we wish the players all the best in ventures new.

INSUSPORT SCOTTISH YOUTH CUP VENTURES



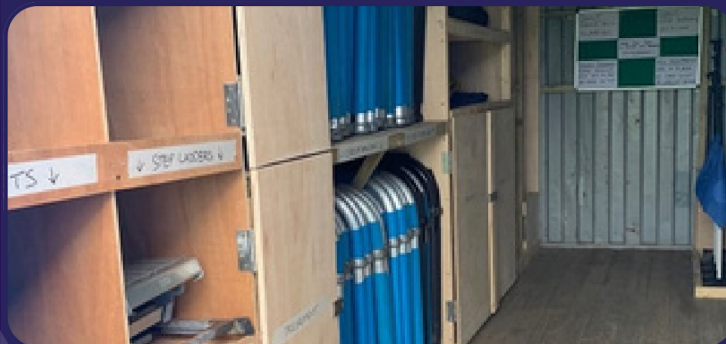
An exciting tournament where our players can compete against some of the best teams in the Scotland. Well done to our 2011 Gold and 2008 teams who both bowed out in the 4th round this season where the tournament opens up country wide.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS ON THE MOVE



We will be moving to the Royal Hotel for our monthly meetings from January. We are kindly being provided use of the function room free of charge. A fantastic gesture from this local business to support our club and help reduce ongoing costs.

EQUIPMENT OFFICER



Steven Finlayson will undertake the role of Club Equipment Officer. The duty of this role will be to routinely inspect and inventory PAYFC equipment within containers at Bog Road Playing Fields and Beeslack High School. He will act as a point of contact for the reporting of any equipment issues and can be reached at 2014boys@payfc.co.uk. This excludes teams' individual equipment such as cones, balls and bibs, which should continue to be requested through the procurement process.



WOULD YOU LIKE TO SHOP FOR PAYFC?

We are still looking for

A NEW HEAD OF PROCUREMENT,
with our current post holder at
the club a gradual handover and
ongoing support is available
email_vice-chair@payfc.co.uk
if interested or for further details



SANTA CAN STOP AT THE SWAP SHOP

We have a range of clothing and boots available free to our players and families.

These have been donated to the club. You can see what is available on Team APP and if you are interested,

please contact
2016boys@payfc.co.uk

WALKING FOOTBALL



Just a reminder for those who may be a little less mobile there is walking football at Ladywood Leisure Centre as part of our lifelong participation pathway. If you are interested in taking part, please contact

info@ladywoodleisurecentre.co.uk
or 01968 678473

FOCUS ON THE GIRLS SECTION



Look out for details of an open trial we will be holding for Under 8 Girls during the winter break. A focus for the club is to increase female participation in the younger ages and build a complete pathway from Under 8 to Under 18.

VOLUNTEER GOALKEEPER VACANCY

The club are looking for a volunteer goalkeeper to train our keepers we can provide support and training.

If this is something that interests you, please contact coach

coachcoordinator@payfc.co.uk



SUBSCRIPTION INCREASE

Just a reminder to increase your subscription fees if not already done so to the new amounts detailed in earlier communications.

We will be doing an audit to establish who still needs to increase payments.



COMMITTEE

FUNDRAISING PLANS

Our new committee fundraisers Monika and Alisha are working on some ideas such as a 'Favours Scheme' and running a 'Bonus Ball' so look out for details of each in time.

If you would like to get involved or have ideas, please email fundraising@payfc.co.uk



*Best Wishes from PAYFC
We wish you all an enjoyable festive season
and hope you all enjoy some well-earned rest and family time.
We look forward to welcoming you all back in January.*