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WICKHAM WANDERERS YOUTH F.C.
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Club Website

As you may be aware, the Club operates a website which contains news and details of any events that the Club is planning, as well as match reports.

The address of the website is : www.wickhamwanderers.co.uk

If you select the section headed up "Under 10's" you will find a comprehensive report on every match of the season so far. The site is updated weekly after each match.

The site also provides a direct link to the website of the Peter Houseman Youth League, which can be found at : www.phyl.co.uk

This site contains a section headed up "Boys Football" and if you then select the sub-heading of "Mini-Soccer" and then "Under 10's" you will find a copy of the latest League Table and results.

The U-10s also play in the South Chiltern Minor League and you can follow their progress at <http://www.yellowjersey.co.uk>, enter "Wickham Wanderers" in the "Find your team" box you'll get a link to the U-10's page.

Kingsmill Free Kit Offer.

You may be aware that Kingsmill Bakeries are running an offer to provide free kit for local Clubs. The Club has registered to participate in the offer.

Tokens will be printed on all Kingsmill loaves and packets of rolls, etc., between now and the end of August next year, so please could you collect as many tokens as possible, and let me have them from time to time, so that I can pass them on to the Committee, for the benefit of the Club.

Please encourage any friends, relatives and neighbours to save the tokens as well, since the more tokens that we can collect, the greater the benefits that can be claimed by the Club.

Child Protection Training Workshop.

The Football Association and the local Leagues are encouraging all Youth Clubs to provide training in respect of child protection measures. This training will be invaluable for anyone associated with the Club, and will undoubtedly prove useful for parents as well.

The Club has arranged a Child Protection Training Workshop at Kintbury Rangers F.C. on Friday, 28th November, between 6.00 pm. and 9.00 pm., and the aim is that at least one parent from each age group will attend, in order to gain the appropriate accreditation.

The Club will be covering the costs associated with the training, so if any parent wishes to attend and become a qualified Child Protection Officer, please let Colin know.

Hungerford Victorian Evening.

The Club will be running a fund-raising stall at the annual Hungerford Victorian Extravaganza evening on Friday, 12th December.

The intention is that we shall be running a Tombola, and therefore, we are endeavouring to collect contributions of bottles, tins, jars of sweets, and any other suitable prizes – and consequently, all contributions would be gratefully received.

In order that we can gauge the level of prizes on offer, we need to collate all contributions by the 1st December, so I would be grateful if you could let me have any donations and contributions before the match on Sunday, 30th November.

Wickham Wanderers F.C. – Six-a-Side Tournament.

The dates for the Club's Six-a-Side Tournament have been confirmed as Saturday, 15th May and Sunday, 16th May – so when you get your new 2004 diaries, please ensure that these are the first dates that you note in them !

As you may be aware, the annual Six-a-Side Tournament is the most significant fund-raising activity that the Club organises each year, and can raise anything between £2500 - £3500 which is obviously a major source of income for a small Club such as ours, and consequently, the success of the event determines the money available for purchasing new kit and equipment.

A little closer to the dates of the tournament, we shall be seeking volunteers to help out with programme selling, barbecue cooking, refreshment stall assistants, referees, etc., so any support that can be provided will be gratefully received.

If you have any queries, or require any further information on any matter relating to the Club, please contact Colin Head (Tel. : 01488 658017)
