

Weekly Communication No.1

Sunday 19th November - Home Fixture - versus Lymm U13's - meet at 1000am at Moss Farm

PLEASE CONFIRM AVAILABILITY

We will have an hours training session as we have 3 new players starting  
Probably after the game we will need to complete the following administration issues:  
Photographs - Please bring a passport photograph if possible (or I will bring down a digital camera) as we have been asked for passport photos this year in line with Cheshire RFU policy. We are ready to produce laminated sheets for each team BUT the coverage of photos per team is patchy. Cheshire Cup matches are looming shortly for the junior teams, this year Cheshire RFU are likely to be getting tougher on their guidelines, be warned, we do not want to apologise to angry parents who have travelled to Caldby on a wet and cold November day because you can't play because you don't have your RFU photos cards?

As coaches we owe a duty of care to each player so we need player details in case of emergency. Please ensure that we have all Registration Forms (Forms are in the club shop or can be downloaded off the web site).

Annual subscription payment for those who have still not paid are required

Training

Now that we have developed back into a stronger squad of 20 players, Steve and myself are both prepared to start training on a Tuesday evenings.

We are planning the first session to be on Tuesday 28th November ..... we seek your views.

Map to get to Next Away Game

Map: TBD

Club website: TBD

Report from Last Game (sent to Simon Bridle for the Northwich Guardian)

Sunday 12th November - Away Fixture - versus Whitchurch U13's - 1100am Kick Off

Northwich U13's travelled away to face a strong looking Whitchurch squad. Northwich started the game well with most of the game in the Whitchurch half. The home team then laid on a spell of intense pressure leading to a try followed by an excellent conversion. In the second half, the Northwich forwards took charge and after many strong runs Chris Sheppard eventually broke through the strong defence to score under the posts, he then converted his own try. The game ended a draw with key notable performances coming from Will Mitchell and Jordan Byrne for their excellent tackling.

Forthcoming Fixtures

Sunday 26th November - Cheshire Cup Match - Home Fixture - versus New Brighton U13's - meet at 1000am at Moss Farm

Tuesday 28th November - Training - meet 1830pm at Moss Farm

Sunday 3rd December - Home Fixture - versus Helsby U13's - meet at 1000am at Moss Farm

Tuesday 5th December - Training - meet 1830pm at Moss Farm

Sunday 10th December - Match to be arranged - could be Lymm U13's again away

Tuesday 12th December - Training - meet 1830pm at Moss Farm

Sunday 17th December - Home Fixture - versus Winnington Park U13's -  
meet at 1000am at Moss Farm  
Sunday 24th December - No Match or Training  
Sunday 31st December - No Match or Training  
Sunday 7th January - Training - meet 1015am at Moss Farm  
Sunday 14th January - Home Fixture - versus Rhyl U13's - meet at 1000am at  
Moss Farm  
Tuesday 16th January - Training - meet 1830pm at Moss Farm  
Sunday 21st January - Away Fixture - versus Stockport U13's - convoy meets at  
Moss Farm at 0900am or Stockport RFC at 1000am

#### Other News - Rugby Shirts

The good news is that most of the much awaited new shirts have finally arrived. We will receive the long sleeve shirts on Monday, so I would suggest that the younger age groups wait until next week (7's - 9's) unless they want a short sleeved shirt. Cost is £25 up to and inc 32" chest and £30 for all larger sizes. Families buying 3 or more shirts at one time will be offered a discount of £10 off the overall cost of the 3 or more shirts. Also, anyone buying a new shirt will be able to get 30% discount on a pair of original logo'd shorts (£7 instead of £10). For the next couple of weekends I believe that the shop will have a branch in the back room of the club house where the ladies will sort out the new shirts. Teams will be invited along one a time to try and prevent a mass rush.

#### Latest Contacts List

Please find the latest Contact list for Coaches, Support and Players. Can you please confirm that the details attached are correct.

I add the new players and RFU Registration Numbers to the list in the next week.

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