



NEWSLETTER

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DEAR MEMBERS...

I hope you have been enjoying the weeks of uninterrupted football since the start of the season. We have a record number of teams (47!) at youth level this season with over 550 players taking part in Football Club activities every week. That doesn't happen by chance and so my thanks go to our Committee who have put a huge amount of time and effort in over the summer and since the start of the season to provide all of the elements that enable our players to play! Special thanks go to Ben Purple who retired this summer as Facilities Officer after 4 years on the Committee. I would also like to thank our coaches and other volunteers who provide a safe and positive environment for our players to develop and enjoy their football. On that note the FA have recently launched a new initiative called Play Safe and I would encourage you to look at the content via the links provided below. As a Club we all have a responsibility for the welfare of our children.

CLUBHOUSE

We hope to start construction in the New Year with a target date of completion in time for Season 2022-2023. We need more help with various aspects of the project (see below!) so please have a think about how you might be able to help and get in touch!

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING

As part of the Clubhouse project we need to make some changes to how the Club is set up and run. Essentially we need to become an incorporated entity - a limited company so the Club can enter into contracts without liability falling onto Committee members. To do this we will hold a SGM on Monday 06 December at 8pm (on Zoom - details will be sent out beforehand).

PRESENTATION DAY - 18 JUNE 2022

We really hope to be able to run a 'normal' presentation day at the end of this season. Please put the date in your diaries - it will run from 12pm

LEGAL HELP NEEDED

The project to develop the new Clubhouse is reaching a crucial stage Over the coming months we will be finalising our grant funding, leases and construction contracts. We are looking for legal support to help the Football Club with the project, ideally on voluntary/pro bono basis. We anticipate that only a limited amount of support will be needed. If you are a lawyer and you or your firm may be able to help please get in touch by contacting our project lead Claudio at claudio.veritiero@gmail.com

Miles Briggs

WWFC Chairman

NEWS & EVENTS

Welcome...
to our new Treasurer **Steve Whittle** and our new Facilities Officer **Aaron Grey**

WHEATHAMPSTEAD WANDERERS FC

SGM

**Monday 6th December
8pm via Zoom**

All Welcome!

PRESENTATION DAY 2022

*Saturday
18h June
12pm*

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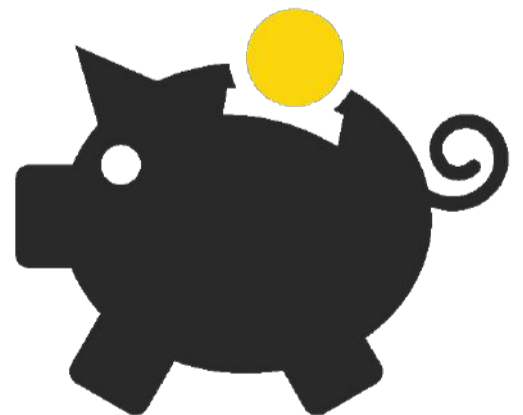
MAKE FOOTBALL SAFE. WE ALL HAVE A PART TO PLAY.



Wheathampstead Wanderers FC is lending its full support to Play Safe – a national FA-led campaign to raise awareness of the importance of safeguarding in football. Play Safe is being run in partnership with the NSPCC and has the full backing of the Premier League, EFL, Barclays FA Women's Super League and the FA Women's Championship. It's also supported and being run across every other level of the game. The main element of Play Safe is a series of short films which emphasise the importance of clubs such as ours having safeguarding as an everyday reality. The films also explain to parents/carers and children themselves know what to do if they feel unsafe or worried, because nothing matters more than making sure football is safe for everyone, especially children and young people. You can see these films and find more information on Play Safe on our website or using the following link www.TheFA.com/PlaySafe

FUNDRAISERS NEEDED!

We currently looking for volunteers to organise and run some fundraising events over the coming months. It would be great if we could find a small team who could work together to plan general fundraising as well as specific events. Monies raised will go towards furnishing the new clubhouse and helping to keep membership fees down. Please contact me at milesbriggs@hotmail.com if you are able to help.



OUR LADIES TEAM ARE LOOKING FOR NEW PLAYERS TO JOIN THEM FOR TRAINING ON THURSDAY EVENINGS & TRAINING/MATCHES SUNDAY AFERNOONS. PLEASE CONTACT SAM AT SAMFOOTY465@GMAIL.COM IF YOU ARE INTERESTED.



PLEASE CONTINUE TO CHECK BACK TO OUR WEBSITE REGULARLY FOR COVID-19, NEWS AND INFORMATION UPDATES...

www.wheathampsteadwanderersfc.co.uk

