

CLUB PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

NAME OF CLUB

All partners main contact names and telephone numbers:

CONTACT NAME(S) AND ADDRESS(ES) OF PARTNER(S)
e.g. club, school, local authority, other(s)

CONTEXT

The agreement forms part of the NAME OF CLUB strategy in which the partners are: NAME(S) OF PARTNER(S)

OBJECTIVES

- To promote junior participation in NAME OF SPORT within the NAME OF DISTRICT
- To promote links between the NAME OF PARTNER(S) and the club, providing appropriate opportunities for further development and participation to those young people who may be interested.
- To give the club the fullest possible opportunity to present its programmes to possible new members.
- To optimise the provision of coaching expertise and leadership in the sport of NAME OF SPORT, at club level.

CORE PRINCIPLES

All activities will be conducted within the framework of a recognised Safeguarding Policy and agreed minimum operating standards in relation to safeguarding and protecting children, young people and adults at risk.

All activities will be run in accordance with NAME OF SPORT governing body guidelines, particularly relating to coaching and officiating qualifications and safe practices.

All activities will operate in accordance with a code of conduct appropriate to NAME OF SPORT, to be agreed between the partner(s) and the club, and in accordance with NAME OF SPORT governing body's best practice, particularly relating to behaviour, clothing, warming-up and cooling-down, safe use of appropriate equipment, preparation and planning, and the provision of positive feedback.

In the interests of equity, all activities will be accessible to all young people in the partnership and appropriate to their abilities. Particular attention should be made to promotion and charging policies, which should attract, encourage and accommodate young people:

- With physical, intellectual and sensory impairments and with multiple and profound impairments.
- From both genders.
- From ethnic minorities.
- From disadvantaged communities.



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THE PARTNER'S COMMITMENT

Ensure that NAME OF SPORT is offered to all its performers.

To support the promotion and development of NAME OF SPORT at NAME OF CLUB, subject to the regulations of the club constitution.

Designate a member as Liaison Officer with responsibility for:

Giving first consideration for the use of its facilities for NAME OF SPORT activities to NAME OF CLUB.

Collaborating with the club and the county association where appropriate to support programmes such as coach education.

THE CLUB'S COMMITMENT

Appoint a named coach or official as the club's youth Liaison Officer, with responsibility for:

- Advising partner(s) about all relevant activities, particularly those aimed at attracting junior participation.
- Ensuring that all club members referred by its partner(s) are welcomed to the club and allocated to an appropriately qualified coach.
- Collaborating with its partners in developing its NAME OF SPORT provision, particularly in respect of appropriate equipment and coaching.
- Keeping the partner's Liaison Officer advised of club members' progress.

Assist NAME OF PARTNER in the development of its NAME OF SPORT programme, copying all the relevant information for press releases to the partner's Liaison Officer for the benefit of all club members by:

- Helping to run the partner's out-of-hours programme.
- Helping to arrange competition officials for major partnership events.
- Arranging external visits to the club which may help to raise the profile of the sport, e.g., by inviting local and national sporting ambassadors to the club.
- Maintain the widest possible programme of coaching and competition, so that young people of all abilities have the opportunity to take part at their own level.
- Maintain a structure of charges designed to encourage junior participation regardless of economic circumstances.

PROGRAMME

Weekly coaching between the months of MONTH and MONTH. Events during MONTH.

Other programme activity e.g., coach education, Adults Older Than Teachers programme.

TARGETS

NUMBER of children to become junior members of the club within 12 months of the start of the programme.

Number of partners representatives to become qualified as assistant coaches/coach level 1.

RESOURCES

NAME OF PARTNER(S) will provide SPECIFIED facilities.

NAME OF CLUB will provide coaching expertise, with access to the county governing body support where required.

Additional finance for items LIST OF ITEMS will be sought through the NAME OF DISTRICT and the National Lottery 'Awards for All' programme.

REVIEW

The working of the agreement will be reviewed on an annual basis through a meeting of the liaison officers of the partner(s) and the club, normally in June of each year. The agreement will be renewable from the 1st September each year.

Signed:

Date:

Position:

For Name of Partner(S)

Signed:

Date:

Position:

For Name of Club

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