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## **YOUTH SUPER SOCCER SIXES**

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2010**

Dear

Marshfield Football Club is pleased to invite you to take part in our inaugural Youth Super Soccer Six a Side Tournament.

Fully sanctioned by Somerset FA, this will be an exciting youth tournament played in the right spirit and it is hoped a wide number of clubs will be represented at the event. We will also have food and beverages being served on the day as well as some entertainment.

The competition will be hosted on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at Withymead Playing Fields in Marshfield and will have a morning and afternoon session:

- Morning: 9.30am – 1.00pm                      U9, U10, U11
- Afternoon: 2.00pm – 5.30pm                    U12, U13, U14

Please find enclosed Tournament Rules and a Team Application Form. If you would like to be a part of this event and wish to enter a team (or teams) please complete the application form and return as soon as possible. Teams will be accepted on a “first come first served” basis and the closing date for applications is Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April.

Once we have all the applications further specific information will be sent out.

We hope you will be a part of our tournament in May and if you would like to discuss any part of the event or would like further information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully,

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Event Organiser  
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**APPLICATION FORM – \*\*\*ONE PER TEAM ENTERED\*\*\***

**Name of club:**.....

**Age Group entered:**.....

**Team Colours:**.....

**Contact name:**..... **Tel No:**.....

**Address for correspondence:**.....

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**E-mail address:**.....

**Payment @ £20 per team:**.....

Please return all correspondence and payment to:

Ben White  
Marshfield FC  
18 Home Barns  
High Street  
Marshfield  
SN14 8JN

\*\*\*Please note: If you wish to enter teams for other age groups within your club please photocopy this form and complete one form per team.\*\*\*



## SIX A SIDE TOURNAMENT RULES 2010

### GENERAL RULES:

1. The tournament will be governed according to the rules and regulations of the Somerset Football Association.
2. All teams entering the tournament must be affiliated to their own Football Associations.
3. The tournament organisers and management committee decision will be final pending any disputes, protests and complaints.
4. The tournament organisers will not be held responsible for any injury to any person caused during the tournament.
5. Supporters and team officials must not encroach onto the playing area during matches.
6. All incidents of misconduct occurring during the tournament will be reported by the match referee to the relevant County Association.
7. In the event of the tournament or part of the tournament being cancelled monies will be refunded equally amongst all teams after expenses incurred have been deducted.

### PLAYING & MATCH RULES:

1. In the event of a colour clash the team named second in the match shall change colours.
2. Each team to consist of six players, plus up to two substitutes. Rolling substitutes are allowed.
3. No player can play in two age groups on the same day.
4. All players must be under their respective age limits as at midnight on 31<sup>st</sup> August 2009.
5. Any team playing an ineligible player will be disqualified.
6. Each game to be of 4 minutes each way except for the final which will be 6 minutes each way. (U9s and U10s managers are responsible for ensuring their players are rotated and play for no more than 60 minutes on the day.)
7. No offside rules will be enforced.
8. Goal kicks must be taken by a place kick from the goal line.
9. In 'Open Play' the Goalkeeper must return the ball into play with a throw out. The goalkeeper can handle anywhere in the goal area.
10. Normal rules of football will otherwise apply.
11. Shin pads must be worn.
12. If a player is booked in two different games they will be banned from the next game. If a player receives a third booking they will be banned for the remainder of the tournament.
13. Any player sent off in a game will not be allowed a substitute during the rest of the game. Player will also be banned for the remainder of the tournament.
14. In League games - 3 points for a win, 1 point for a draw.
15. If a team fail to appear an automatic 1 - 0 win will be awarded.
16. (a) The top four teams in each age group league will qualify for the knockout stages – semi-finals and final.  
(b) The top team will play the fourth placed team. The second placed team will play the third placed team.
17. Group qualifiers will be decided by:
  - (a) Highest points won – 3 points for a win, 1 point for a draw.
  - (b) Goal difference if teams are level on points.
  - (c) Greatest number of goals scored by a team if (b) is identical
  - (d) If (c) is identical it will be on the result of the group match between the teams.
  - (e) If (b), (c) and (d) are identical, goals conceded.
  - (g) Where teams are level and both qualify, the qualifier will be decided by the toss of a coin.
18. If scores are level in the knockout stages, the winner will be decided by 2 minutes each way extra time. If scores still level then penalties will take place: 3 for each team followed by Sudden Death if required.
19. The age group winner shall be that which wins the final match.
20. The decision of the referee in all matters relating to the interpretation of the laws of the game will be final.
21. Any playing matters not covered by these rules will be dealt with by the Tournament Organisers.

Marshfield Football Club is committed to all aspects of the Football Association's Fair Play in Football scheme – please ensure these are followed at all times.