

Pitches and training

The club will provide pitches for each team to play matches and also training facilities of 1 hour per week during the Autumn/Winter period.

Information about pitches

Pitches will be hired from Horsham District Council (for the boys teams this will be via the league), Slinfold Football Club, St John's Primary School and Holbrook Primary School. Whilst they will be maintained by the various providers there's no guarantee they will be cut or marked out every week, especially in times of adverse weather.

During periods of rain or snow, the pitches will be inspected and possibly closed if waterlogged. It is our responsibility to adhere to any requests to postpone games if the pitches are unplayable and/or likely to be damaged if played on.

Please note: Inspections are usually made on Friday mornings and you will be notified if the pitches are closed. However, should they be deemed playable, do not automatically assume that this will still be the case in the morning if there is rain overnight. Early morning inspections are advised and remember, we may be charged for repairs to any pitch we damage.

Directions

Each venue will have a document designed featuring a map, directions and our respect policy – this can be shared with your opposition when planning home fixtures

Training facilities

During the autumn and winter months, each team will use The Bridge. In order to keep our bookings, we usually maintain regular slots and the various teams move through these with the older teams training later than the younger ones.

Please ensure the following:

- Teams should vacate the training areas promptly for the following bookings
- Players wear correct footwear (astro shoes or trainers – no studs or blades)
- Litter should be removed from site
- Parking restrictions adhered to

Winter training will commence in October and finish at the end of March. Spring and summer training is usually in Horsham park and areas are unallocated (and are very much on a first come first served basis).

Note: Please avoid using the goal areas for training so as to preserve the pitches for match days.

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