

# Subs & Fees Policy

2023/24 Season



## 1. Why do we need subs?

All the officials, managers and coaches are volunteers; however, we still have to collect subs to cover the expenses we incur as a Club. Without subs, quite simply Vulcan Football Club would not exist. To ensure your son / daughter is able to train and then play at the weekend, we incur costs many thousands of pounds a year.

## 2. What do the subs pay for?

Some of the main expenses we have are;

- Pitch hire for winter training on artificial pitches
- Club house and all associated utility. maintenance and cleaning costs
- Maintenance of venues and pitches including paying for the mowing, fertilising, weeding, overseeding.
- Vulcan football pitch hire from the council and school venues
- Referees' fees
- Insurance
- League Affiliation fees
- Liverpool Country Football Association Affiliation
- Renewal of football equipment
- Kits and clothing
- Paying for volunteers' football professional development and coaching courses
- Presentation nights, trophies and prizes
- Treats for the players

All subs and signing on fees contribute to paying for the items and services on this list.

## 3. What if I cannot pay my subs?

If you are unable to pay subs or owed fees, please speak to your lead coach or contact our Treasurer as soon as possible at [treasurer@vulcanjuniorsfc.co.uk](mailto:treasurer@vulcanjuniorsfc.co.uk) to discuss your circumstances.



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#### 4. What happens if I do not pay my subs or registration fee?

Your child is not fully registered (and therefore insured) if they have not paid their registration fee. This is required before taking part in any club football activity.

We require all subs to be paid across the a 12 month period from June each year. Any player that falls in to arrears of more than one month's subs will be temporarily suspended until outstanding amounts are paid.

Your lead coach or treasurer will contact you if we have a record of missed payments and prompt you for payment.

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#### 5. What happens if a player leaves or a team folds?

- Subs will be payable until the final match and/ or training session took place, irrespective of whether you attended or not.
- you will also be required to return Vulcan badged kit. Kit is the property of the club and not team or individual irrespective of who pays for it. It has a value and thus non return may lead to a debt that will prevent a player signing for another club until settled. Named kit may not be returned.

Please note: Under FA and League rules, a player who leaves a club owing money is banned from registering and playing for any other team until their balance is settled. A player, who intends to leave a club for another midseason, needs the permission of the club he/she is currently registered with. This will not be given until all financial matters are settled.

#### 6. What are the club fees?

Current fees 2023/24

Signing on fee: £20.00

Monthly fee payable for 12 months: £17.00

Discounts are available to families who have more than one child playing for Vulcan. The first child pays full subs as per above, siblings registering thereafter will pay £12.75 a month payable over 12 months.



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