



BUNTINGFORD TOWN FC

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BUNTINGFORD TOWN FOOTBALL CLUB (BTFC) Players' Agreement and Code of Conduct

Effective 1st July 2013

Conduct

You agree to act in a responsible way at BTFC matches, training and social events. Your behaviour, be it verbal, physical or by any other means (such as social networking websites), is to be such that it will not reflect badly on BTFC.

Player Registration

Upon joining the club you confirm:

- You have not played for or previously signed or registered for any other club in any competition that BTFC competes in during the current season (unless going through the appropriate transfer process).
- You are not currently registered with the Football Association as a contract player at any other club.
- You are not currently under any FA or County FA Suspension.
- You have resolved all financial obligations to any previous clubs.

NB. Should BTFC incur any costs (eg League or FA fines) because you fail any of the above criteria the club reserves the right to pass those costs onto you.

Fees

BTFC operate a 'pay-to-play' system.

- Following registration an initial one-off payment of £25 is required. This is used by the club towards training and player insurance costs.
- A match fee of £5 for every game in which you take part is to be made to your manager after the game.

NB. Any fines incurred by you during the season (eg for red and yellow cards) must be repaid within 7 days of being informed that the club has received the relevant documentation.

Availability

You agree to inform your team manager or coach in good time if you cannot attend a match or training.

Equipment

You agree to arrive for games and training with appropriate equipment and refreshments. You agree to return all kit that belongs to BTFC after matches and should you leave the club.

Condition

You agree to be in a good mental and physical condition for BTFC activities. Anyone influenced by alcohol and/or drugs will not partake in any activity. Players with medical conditions should inform their coach/manager giving details of the condition and clearly labelled medication that you agree the manager/coach can administer as per your prior instruction in the case of an emergency.

Insurance

BTFC has purchased Personal Accident Insurance for **all registered players**. This policy exceeds the minimal requirements specified by the Herts FA; however, members are strongly advised to confirm that it meets their individual needs, and if it does not, take out alternative personal insurance in case of injury.

Fundraising Support & Initiatives

You agree to make best efforts to support the club's fundraising & social efforts and are also encouraged to make full use of 'The Bury'. You agree to support initiatives of BTFC and the FA, for example, the 'Respect' programme.

Contact Information

You agree to provide and keep updated all contact details to BTFC via the Club Secretary, email sec@buntingfordtownfc.com.

All members of Buntingford Town FC are required to abide by the Buntingford Town FC Players' Agreement and Code of Conduct.

All players registering for Buntingford Town FC are therefore understood to have agreed to the terms & conditions within this document.

Chairman: Chris Thurgill **Treasurer:** Steve Hume **Secretary:** Chris Thurgill **Fixture Secretary:** Dean Howard

Committee Members: Graham Bonner, Steve Hutchings, Richard Morris, Laurence Salmon, Brian Simmons, Phil West.

President: Frank Mott. **Vice Presidents:** Malcolm Batchelor, Jennie Keeling, Richard Morris.