





Dear Colleague,

## **Schools Union Cup Competitions**

In anticipation that we will have returned to some form of normality and that we will be able to play our great game can you please indicate if you wish to enter the Vic Young Schools Union Cup Competitions from September.

Please see the attachment with the relevant dates and entry form.

Following the slashing of the County budget by the RFU and a directive from the ERFSU it is now necessary, with regret, to charge a flat rate entry fee of £50 to hopefully cover the cost of facility hire, officials costs and trophies. This is a ball park figure covering ALL competitions and includes the 7's. Information regarding the 7's, the U.12 and U.13 Boys Festivals and the U.13 Girls Festival will be sent out early in the New Year. The only exception is Sixth Form Colleges and Colleges of Further Education for whom the entry fee is £10 to include the U.18 Cup and the 7's.

We no longer have the invaluable assistance of the three Community Rugby Coaches, as these were made redundant by the RFU, who organised the activities at the venues so well. It has therefore been decided to reduce from three to two venue for the U.14, U15 and U.16 Competitions and increase pitch availability (3) which should increase game time. One or two teams, dependent upon finances, will progress from these venues to the finals which may take place at one of the two RFU AGP.

It is hoped to organise the Boys U.12 and U.13 Festivals and the Girls U.13 Festival at one venue.

In order to facilitate the organisation of these events can you please return your entry form with your Cheque made payable to DCRFU to Erin Knott at the above address or complete a Bank transfer to the following account

HSBC Bank Stockton DCRFU General Account Sort Code 40-43-11 Account number 91040871

and email <a href="DCRFU@rfu.com">DCRFU@rfu.com</a> confirming payment.

Should you require an invoice please contact me on p.e.c@hotmail.co.uk

The closing date for entries is Wednesday 26th May

We look forward to receiving your entry.

John Pearson

Please return to Erin Knotts by 26<sup>th</sup> May 2021 at dcrfu@rfu.com





















## Cup Competitions 2021 -22

Under 18 Boys Wednesday 22nd September @ Venue to be confirmed Yes/No

Under 16 Boys Tuesday 28th September Yes/No

Ryton and Stockton

Final Tuesday 2nd November Venue to be confirmed

Under 15 Boys Tuesday 5th October Yes/No

Ryton and Stockton

Final Thursday 4th November Venue to be confirmed

Thursday 7th October Under 14 Boys

> Ryton and Stockton Yes/No

Final Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> November Venue to be confirmed

Girls U.15 Tuesday 12th October @ West Hartlepool Yes/No

U.18 Yes/No

School

Contact person

Contact email Mobile School











