



# November 2011

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## Junior Coaching

BWJFC wish to inform all our members that it has been brought to our attention that it appears that someone has been using the good name of the club and our mailing lists in attempting to set up various coaching sessions that have nothing to do with BWJFC. We are aware that all of our Academy players and players from our younger sections have had an unsolicited approach, it is of course down to the parents or guardians to decide where you take your children training but we must advise you that BWJFC do not condone unsolicited approaches from people seeking personal gain and we would like to reiterate that these sessions have nothing at all to do with BWJFC and are not covered by our insurance policies.

BWJFC have a long standing and excellent reputation for junior coaching that has been established over many years under the guidance of FA approved coaches.

## Sporting Evening

What a cracking evening was enjoyed by over 300 people in attendance at our annual sporting dinner held at the consort suite Thurcroft. We were entertained by our guest speaker Paul Merson our very own Honorary Vice President Jimmy Carol all held together by our MC for the evening John Gwynne from Sky sports, we have set ourselves a real problem for next year?? How do we beat it? Any ideas let us know. The main purpose of the evening was to raise funds that allow BWJFC to deliver the fantastic facilities that our members enjoy and we were not let down, ask your manager for details.

## Club Commitment

Despite the fantastic support for the Sporting evening mentioned above it is essential that BWJFC have the full support and effort of all our sections and members and not just the same members who support BWJFC at every opportunity. The Executive Committee has noted that not all sections are fulfilling their obligations and supporting the club, whilst at the same time wanting and getting the same facilities as everyone else. We are monitoring everyone's effort connected to the club; ask yourself a question why should BWJFC support you if you don't support us?

## Academy

Our renowned junior football academy is progressing well at the Aurora on Friday's at 6pm, numbers are growing and it is great to see young stars of the future enjoying themselves and coming off with a smile.

After the Xmas break we will be looking to recruit a management team for next year's under 7,s if interested contact Justin Carpenter our Academy Director.

## Annual Subs

The second installment of the annual subscriptions is due by the end of November, please can you do your best to make your payment prompt, we held an Executive committee meeting November 6<sup>th</sup> where club finances were discussed, after including the proceeds of our sporting dinner BWJFC we are slightly behind where we would like to be at this stage of the season, the club is firmly positioned but would appreciate prompt payment.

## Respect Discipline

Sheffield and Hallamshire have asked us to bring to your attention that it is forbidden for any person to enter the field of play unless you are a player or a referee; anyone found entering the field of play will be punished by a hefty fine and suspension from games. Respect barriers are there to ensure that they provide on field safety for players and officials, please uphold that principle.

## Xmas Dinner

We are looking at holding a Xmas dinner with entertainment provided by the unbelievably talented Stephanie King Stage Show, this is purely for your enjoyment and is a great evening where you will be wined, dined and entertained for just £30 per head, the date is December 3<sup>rd</sup>, let us know very quickly as there is only 3 weeks before the date, contact ether your manager or Glynn Perry to book your place.

## Tote Numbers

Each week every paying member of the club is entered into a tote draw where they the chance to win up to £50, from the next edition of the newsletter the winners for the month will be printed here, be lucky.

## The Phoenix

The Phoenix have distributed membership cards as their year starts in October, to enjoy your subsidized drinks please have this ready when asked by the bar staff. The Phoenix are also pleased to announce that new caterers have taken over the franchise, it is the same company who ran the renowned restaurant at the Brecon Hotel, they promise a varied menu superbly presented, why not give them a chance, enjoy.