



# Belfast

## Youth Cup

Jordanstown University 10th & 11th August 2019  
Finals at Seaview 11th August 2019



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## THOMAS MCSTRAVICK

### Playing for the Future CIC Tournament Founder & Organiser

It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to the inaugural Belfast Youth Cup in partnership with Ulster University. We are delighted to welcome teams from right across the Island of Ireland, from Belfast to Dublin and beyond.

It is also with great pride that we welcome huge names in world football including Leeds United and newly promoted Premier League club Sheffield United. One of Scottish footballs most recognised clubs, Hibernian, have also signed up. This is great news for the tournament in our first year.

The support from our partner, Ulster University, has been superb and integral to the success so far. The facilities on offer are world class which fits perfectly with how we want this tournament to be. This is only year one and a lot of hard work is ahead, but we are determined to make this event something for the whole of Northern Ireland to be proud of. To do this we need the support from the wider community from sponsors, media, clubs and indeed local football fans. I urge you all to get behind this event.

I am delighted to be able to celebrate the achievements and commitment of some of Northern Ireland's leading football personalities in the naming of the various competitions in their honour:

- Liam Beckett MBE Cup
- Jim Shaw Shield
- Michael Boyd Plate
- Professor Raffaella Folli Bowl
- Julie Nelson Cup (Girls)

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all participating teams the best of luck and I hope you enjoy your experience at the first ever Belfast Youth Cup. I'm sure we will have many future football stars on show this weekend.



## DR NIGEL DOBSON

### Head of Sports Services Ulster University

## WELCOME

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome all competitors, coaches, officials, sponsors and spectators to the University of Ulster, Jordanstown campus for the first year of the new and exciting Belfast Youth Cup 2019. The event has grown through a close collaboration between the University & Playing for the Future CIC. This partnership includes the hosting of the Mid-Ulster Youth Academy, who base much of their development activity at Jordanstown during the year.

It is fantastic to be able to host an event of such quality at the University and I'd like to wish all of the teams the best of luck in the competition this weekend. We are delighted to see so many local teams and warmly welcome all who have travelled from different parts of the UK, Ireland and other parts of Europe.

We have recently completed a £1m upgrade of our outdoor pitches at Jordanstown and we hope this will help facilitate the quality of the football on display in both the boys & girls tournaments. The Belfast Youth Cup 2019 will also form part of our local community Open Day on campus, so there is lots of activity for all the family to enjoy.

Special thanks go to all involved in the organisation and delivery of the competition, the IFA, Antrim & Newtownabbey Council, Belfast City Council, Visit Belfast in particular. The Council has given this event significant levels of support for this events and we are really appreciative. Moreover, we thank Crusaders FC for the use of Seaview and its excellent ancillary facilities for the staging of the finals.

Thanks to all our sporting ambassadors who have agreed to have the competitions named after them. Finally I would also like to congratulate Thomas McStravick and his team and our University Sports Services team & our ground staff who have planned and organised the event, and wish all teams best of luck during the tournament itself.





## MICHAEL BOYD

**Head of football Development  
Irish Football Association foundation**

### FOOTBALL IS ALL ABOUT LEARNING

I was asked to write a few notes for the programme and to focus on the importance of football. For me, football is a journey of learning. When I was in primary school I dreamed of playing for Northern Ireland and being the star player at a world cup. As a child I was obsessed with football and I would play headers and volleys with my friends all day every day. We loved football so much we would come to school early to play games before the bell rang to start the school day. I was so obsessed with playing football I would come into school at lunchtime even if I was off sick just so I did not miss the game with my mates in the school yard! While in school I was always in good football teams and we won our 7aside league at Leadhill PS and then when I went to Grosvenor we won every football competition we were allowed to play in too. Outside of school I played for the mighty Willowfield Arrows first then later on the more successful Ledley! At Willowfield we were not the best team in the league but we were all best mates and we scrapped for each other on and off the pitch. Dawson Simpson was our manager and he motivated us to do our best. He was a great youth manager because he was more concerned with our happiness than he was about where we were in the league. He harnessed our love of the game and he let me play a couple of years up so I could be with my friends. He taught us to respect others and work as a team. This is what makes football and sport a great tool for development. With the right coaches and managers you learn to work hard, respect others and work as a team.

I was lucky to play in the Milk Cup as a kid and to play for NI U15s. I would go on to play for Glentoran Colts and Ards before ending up playing for Sirocco Works in the northern amateur league for 15yrs. All throughout my life I have used football as a hook to learn and develop. My best friends have all come through football. I did my degree dissertation and masters on football related subjects. I have been lucky enough to work in football for the last twenty years.

So what is important about football? Three key things are important about football. One, its about having fun and making lifelong friends. Two, its about learning, we will all have different journeys in football but if you follow your passion with an open heart and mind you will succeed. Three its about respect and teamwork. If you have respect for others and you can work with others in a team, you will do well in life.



## JULIE NELSON

Welcome to the inaugural Belfast Youth Cup and a special welcome to all girls' teams who are taking part in the Julie Nelson Cup.

With the Women's World Cup having just finished in France, having captivated millions of viewers worldwide, it is great to see so many young girls engaged with football in Northern Ireland and taking part in the Belfast Youth Cup today. I hope all players taking part this weekend will see it as a stepping stone in a lifelong love of sport and in particular football. We will all be watching to see which of these players are potential Northern Ireland internationals of the future.

I am proud and honoured to have the trophy for the girl's tournament named after myself and would like to put on my record my thanks to Thomas McStravick and Nigel Dobson for this honour.

I wish you all the best for the tournament and for the future and hope that everyone has a fun and enjoyable day here at the fantastic facilities at Ulster University's Jordanstown campus.

Yours in sport

Julie Nelson



## LIAM BECKETT

'The Belfast Youth Cup', I am humbled and indeed greatly honoured to be associated with the inaugural staging of the Belfast Youth Cup. Having spent a lifetime in football I am only too aware that the game for so many kids starts at grassroots level and that's why I am always delighted to throw my weight behind and support youth football tournaments, particularly those which are being staged by responsible people and especially those who have several years experience behind them. By providing a properly structured competition on a solid well thought out platform the organisers of the Belfast Youth Cup have given children from all walks of life the chance to compete in and enjoy what I consider to be the best game in the world in a properly supervised environment. Football at grassroots level also provides many kids with their first real opportunity to experience many important values in life, qualities such as discipline, team work, camaraderie, and of course the excitement, exhilarance and sheer enjoyment of competing. So first and foremost please let me commend Thomas McStravick and his team for working so hard and dedicating so much of their time and effort into making this a youth football tournament of the future. I am also well aware of the quality of teams entered in the competition and it's my intention to attend as many games as I possibly can. So all that remains is for me to wish all the teams, staff, and the organisers every success, have a happy and healthy tournament and I'll see you at the 'far post'.



## MID ULSTER YOUTH ACADEMY



Lucas Fry  
Charlie Rodgers  
Thom Beattie  
Luke McGerrigan  
Callum McWilliam  
Rory O'Donnell  
Brody Moore

Jamie Pedlow  
Ben Wilson  
Cooper Irwin  
Ryan Niblock  
Harry Greene  
Fabio So  
Bailey Magee

## LEEDS UNITED



Jack Robinson  
Jack Duke  
Miller Megson  
Isaac Bridge  
Max Rayner  
Deshaun Musgrave-Dore

Oliver Boast  
Loui Whitehead  
Harry Gray  
Mason Couch  
Finlay Gorman  
Oliver Wood

## SHEFFIELD UNITED



Hugo Bennet  
Thomas Dearden  
Tyler Parkin  
Theo Howard  
Hamzah Abdelouhand  
Junior Brown

Kylan Midwood  
Jack West  
Warren Taylor  
Zach Richards  
Leon Sloan  
Marcus McKernan



## CRUSADERS



Matthew Boyle  
Layton Morrow  
Ajay Crawford  
Patrick O'Hanlon  
Matthew Beattie  
Conáire Smyth  
Marcus Watson  
Josh McGookin

Jake McCready  
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Jaiden Nelson  
Adam Iza  
Billy Neely  
Cal Weatherup  
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Steven Daly  
Adam Mannix  
Matthew Long

Conor Burke  
James O' Mahony  
Surrinder Padam  
Charlie O' Riordan  
Robert O' Callaghan  
Cillian O' Keeffee  
Shay Hurley

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Thomas Murray  
Ben Herlihy  
David O'Connell  
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Rioghán O'Mahony  
Tadhg Curtin  
James Gordon  
Jamie Horgan  
Diamuid O'Donoghue  
James Nevin

## AISLING ANNACOTTY AFC



Kevin Fitzpatrick  
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Patrick Lonergan  
Hugh Dillon  
Joseph Nwankwo  
Daithí Casey  
Ben Faulkner

Charlie Campbell  
Oscar O'Donoghue  
Paddy Ryan  
Eoin Williams  
Ciaran Murphy

## CHERRY ORCHARD



Ali Topcu  
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Leon Hudson  
Jamie Fitzgerald  
Brandon Cleary

Max Kovalevskis  
Jude Dicker  
Baily Uzell  
Brandon Treacy  
Jay Brophy

## ATHENRY FC



Cathal Mannion  
Cian Hannon  
Cian Meehan  
Eoghan Cooley  
Eoin Doyle  
Ethan Mitchell  
Josh Kearns

Luc Griallias  
Luke Nokes  
Niall McCarthy  
Oran O'Shaughnessy  
Senan McDonnell  
Shay Brady  
Shay O'Driscoll

## HIBERNIAN FC



Cameron Watson  
Ollie Robertson  
Leo Evans  
Callum Townsley  
Cameron Neil  
Josh Beveridge  
Kian Muire

Caidan Marwick  
Finlay Brown  
Billy Stirling  
Finlay Cameron  
Reiss Downie  
Shay Gillon  
Harrison Shaw

## ROSARIO FC



Patrick Burke  
Alfie Mitchell  
Reece Bell  
Conan Bloomer  
Tiernan Boyes  
Noah Kidd

Conn Huston  
Hamza Alktiesh  
Brendan Seenan  
Reece Forsythe  
Jude Jenkins  
Matthew Heaney

## BALLINAMALLARD UNITED



Peter Garrity  
Rhys McGourty  
Matthew Wilson  
Matthew McCreesh  
Felix Rowland  
Regan Brynes  
Sam Morrison

Brandon Downey  
Ethan Byrne  
Callum St Ledger  
Liam Dillon  
Aaron Ellis  
Matthew Armstrong  
Oisín Keenan

## MAIDEN CITY



James Smallwoods  
Dara McKenna  
Torrin Smith  
Zach McAuley  
Robbie Cassidy  
Tiernan Brolly  
Sean O'Donnell

Callum McHale  
Shane Gillespie  
Dara McColgan  
Corey Lee McGavigan  
Christopher Spratt  
Harry Shields  
Ryan Arthur

## BALLYMENA UNITED



Daniel Barnes  
Matthew Hanna  
Rob Kelly  
Tyler Ritchie  
Shea Tully  
Daniel Smyth

Torin Hodgkinson  
Jonny Greer  
Josh Robb  
Matthew Brown  
Finn Penney  
Lucas Dawson White

## LOUGHGALL YOUTH



Sean Hamill  
Tom Irvine  
Kingsley Keogh  
Jacob Farr  
Will Beattie  
Eoghan Liggett  
Joel McAdam

Harry Gough  
Rhys McCreanor  
Daniel Willis  
Dylan Dowzell  
Matthew Johnston  
Daire McAreavey  
Josh Morrison

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Oisin Harrold  
Odhran Ryan  
Rowan McGroarty  
Declan Patton  
Shane Sweeney  
Josh Cullen  
Alex Cullen

Kieran Conaghan  
Liam McLaughlin  
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Kian Maynes  
Jack McLaughlin  
Jude Cargill

Jay Murray  
Scott Hamilton  
Oliver Wade  
Conor Foster  
Leo Snoddon  
Josh Martin  
Reo Crawford



## SHAMROCK ROVERS

Callum Kenna  
Sean Burke  
Max Sargent  
Jamie Fitzgerald  
Jack Browne  
Cian Kenna  
John Donohoe

Roshon Kuzhippilli  
Adam Gilson  
Charles Akinrintoyo  
Max Donnelly  
Harry Murray  
Leon McClaren  
Sean McDonald



## MERVUE UNITED

Kosta Radanovic  
Kalen Ainsworth  
Tom Clancy  
Philip Coyle  
Michael Gavajuc  
Michael Bradbury  
Dylan Rabbitte

Qudus Adelenwa  
Ben Moran  
Riley Stenson  
Mark Leahy  
Sean Nndi  
Callum Kirby



## GLENTORAN

Zak Robinson  
Cead McGrath  
Zak Johnston  
Cain Quinn  
Daniel Fox  
Mason Kincaid

Jack Faloona  
Oliver Peoples  
Darragh McCann  
Zach Johnston  
Rylan Stirling  
Henry Calvert





## Group A Fixtures

10th August 2019

Match No.	Team		Team	Result	KO time	Pitch
1	Ballinamallard United FC	V	Loughgall Youth		9:30am	1A
2	NIFDA	V	Leeds United		9:30am	1B
3	Crusaders Fc	V	Dungannon United Youth		10:30am	1A
4	Leeds United	V	Ballinamallard United FC		10:30am	1B
5	Dungannon United Youth	V	Loughgall Youth		11:30am	1A
6	Crusaders Fc	V	NIFDA		11:30am	1B
7	Ballinamallard United FC	V	Dungannon United Youth		1:00pm	1A
8	Leeds United	V	Crusaders FC		1:00pm	1B
9	Loughgall Youth	V	NIFDA		2:00pm	1A
10	Crusaders FC	V	Ballinamallard United FC		2:00pm	1B
11	NIFDA	V	Dungannon United Youth		3:00pm	1A
12	Loughgall Youth	V	Leeds United		3:00pm	1B
13	Ballinamallard United Fc	V	NIFDA		4:00pm	1A
14	Crusaders FC	V	Loughgall Youth		4:00pm	1B
15	Dungannon United Youth	V	Leeds United		5:00pm	1A

## Group B Fixtures

10th August 2019

Match No.	Team		Team	Result	KO time	Pitch
1	Ballymena United	V	Mid Ulster Youth Academy		9:30am	2A
2	Cherry Orchard	V	Shamrock Rovers		9:30am	2B
3	Douglas Hall AFC Cork	V	Mervue United		10:30am	2A
4	Shamrock Rovers	V	Ballymena United		10:30am	2B
5	Mervue United	V	Mid Ulster Youth Academy		11:30am	2A
6	Douglas Hall AFC Cork	V	Cherry Orchard		11:30am	2B
7	Ballymena United	V	Mervue United		1:00pm	2A
8	Shamrock Rovers	V	Douglas Hall AFC Cork		1:00pm	2B
9	Mid Ulster Youth Academy	V	Cherry Orchard		2:00pm	2A
10	Douglas Hall AFC Cork	V	Ballymena United		2:00pm	2B
11	Cherry Orchard	V	Mervue United		3:00pm	2A
12	Mid Ulster Youth Academy	V	Shamrock Rovers		3:00pm	2B
13	Ballymena United	V	Cherry Orchard		4:00pm	2A
14	Douglas Hall AFC Cork	V	Mid Ulster Youth Academy		4:00pm	2B
15	Mervue United	V	Shamrock Rovers		5:00pm	2A

## Group C Fixtures

10th August 2019

Match No.	Team		Team	Result	KO time	Pitch
1	St Kevin's Boys FC	V	Finn Harps		9:30am	3A
2	Aisling Annacotty AFC	V	Sheffield United		9:30am	3B
3	Athenry FC	V	Rosario		10:30am	3A
4	Sheffield United	V	St Kevin's Boys FC		10:30am	3B
5	Rosario	V	Finn Harps		11:30am	3A
6	Athenry FC	V	Aisling Annacotty AFC		11:30am	3B
7	St Kevin's Boys FC	V	Rosario		1:00pm	3A
8	Sheffield United	V	Athenry FC		1:00pm	3B
9	Finn Harps	V	Aisling Annacotty AFC		2:00pm	3A
10	Athenry FC	V	St Kevin's Boys FC		2:00pm	3B
11	Aisling Annacotty AFC	V	Rosario		3:00pm	3A
12	Finn Harps	V	Sheffield United		3:00pm	3B
13	St Kevin's Boys FC	V	Aisling Annacotty AFC		4:00pm	3A
14	Athenry FC	V	Finn Harps		4:00pm	3B
15	Rosario	V	Sheffield United		5:00pm	3A

## Group D Fixtures

10th August 2019

Match No.	Team		Team	Result	KO time	Pitch
1	Hibernian FC	V	Glentoran Academy		9:30am	4A
2	Linfield Academy	V	Leeds AFC Cork		9:30am	4B
3	Maiden City FC	V	East Belfast FC		10:30am	4A
4	Leeds AFC Cork	V	Hibernian FC		10:30am	4B
5	East Belfast FC	V	Glentoran Academy		11:30am	4A
6	Maiden City FC	V	Linfield Academy		11:30am	4B
7	Hibernian FC	V	East Belfast FC		1:00pm	4A
8	Leeds AFC Cork	V	Maiden City FC		1:00pm	4B
9	Glentoran Academy	V	Linfield Academy		2:00pm	4A
10	Maiden City FC	V	Hibernian FC		2:00pm	4B
11	Linfield Academy	V	East Belfast FC		3:00pm	4A
12	Glentoran Academy	V	Leeds AFC Cork		3:00pm	4B
13	Hibernian FC	V	Linfield Academy		4:00pm	4A
14	Maiden City FC	V	Glentoran Academy		4:00pm	4B
15	East Belfast FC	V	Leeds AFC Cork		5:00pm	4A

## Liam Beckett MBE Cup Fixtures

11th August 2019

Match	Team		Team	Result	KO time	Pitch
Semi-final 1	Winners of Group A	v	Winners of Group B		10am	1A
Semi-final 2	Winners of Group C	v	Winners of Group D		11am	1A
3rd & 4th place	Losers of SF1	v	Losers of SF2		12pm	1A
Final	Winners of SF1	v	Winners of SF2		4.30pm	Seaview

## Jim Shaw Shield Fixtures

11th August 2019

Match	Team		Team	Result	KO time	Pitch
Semi-final 1	Runners-up of Group A	v	Runners-up of Group B		10am	2A
Semi-final 2	Runners-up of Group C	v	Runners-up of Group D		11am	2A
3rd & 4th place	Losers of SF1	v	Losers of SF2		12pm	2A
Final	Winners of SF1	v	Winners of SF2		3.30pm	Seaview

## Michael Boyd Plate Fixtures

11th August 2019

Match	Team		Team	Result	KO time	Pitch
Semi-final 1	3rd place Group A	v	3rd place Group B		10am	3A
Semi-final 2	3rd place Group C	v	3rd place Group D		11am	3A
3rd & 4th place	Losers of SF1	v	Losers of SF2		12.30pm	3A
Final	Winners of SF1	v	Winners of SF2		2.30pm	Seaview

## Professor Raffaella Folli Bowl Fixtures

11th August 2019

Match	Team		Team	Result	KO time	Pitch
Semi-final 1	4th place Group A	v	4th place Group B		10am	3B
Semi-final 2	4th place Group C	v	4th place Group D		11am	3B
3rd & 4th place	Losers of SF1	v	Losers of SF2		12.30pm	3B
Final	Winners of SF1	v	Winners of SF2		2.30pm	Seaview



## Antrim & Newtownabbey Borough Council Knockout Cup Fixtures

Round	Team		Team	Result	KO time	Pitch
Quarter-final 1	5th Placed team in Group A	v	6th Placed team in Group B		10am	4A
Quarter-final 2	5th Placed team in Group B	v	6th Placed team in Group A		11am	4A
Quarter-final 3	5th Placed team in Group C	v	6th Placed team in Group D		10am	4B
Quarter-final 4	5th Placed team in Group D	v	6th Placed team in Group C		11am	4B
Semi-final 1	Winners QF1	v	Winners QF2		12pm	4A
Semi-final 2	Winners QF3	v	Winners QF4		12pm	4B
3rd & 4th place	Losers of SF1	v	Losers of SF2		1pm	4B
Final	Winners of SF1	v	Winners of SF2		1.30pm	Seaview

## PITCH MAP





## TOURNAMENT FORMAT

The tournament will be organised and facilitated by Playing for the Future C.I.C on 10th & 11th August 2019. Age: u11's (2008) Born on or after 1st January.

### Team Entry:

- Event is invite only.
- Team entries accepted with full payment only. We reserve the right to exclude teams from the competition if payment hasn't been received once entry has been submitted online.
- Boys section will be limited to 24 teams only.
- The draw for the tournament will take place on Wednesday 19th June 2019 @ 7pm, Ulster University Jordanstown.
- Each club who have been invited and accepted into the event will receive an invite to attend the draw.
- The organising committee reserves the right to change the draw up to the time of kick off.
- Where a team withdraws and the organising committee are able to get a replacement team the new team will simply replace the withdrawing team in the draw.
- No refunds will be given to any team withdrawing at any stage.

### Format:

- The tournament will take the format of a Mini Soccer games playing 9v9. Each team are permitted to have a max of 5 subs.
- Group games are 15 mins ew with 5 mins at half time.
- Finals games are 20 mins ew with 5 mins at half time.
- Group games will be played on Saturday 10th August 2019.
- Finals will be played on Sunday 11th August 2019.
- There will be four groups with six teams in each group.
- Each team will play each other once in the group.
- Five competitions = Cup, Shield, Plate, Bowl & Knockout cup

### Format:

- 1st placed teams = semi-final of the Cup
- 2nd placed teams = semi-final of the Shield
- 3rd placed teams = semi-final of Plate
- 4th placed teams = semi-finals of Bowl
- 5th & 6th placed teams = QF Knockout Cup

- All winners and runners up will receive medals
- Group games and finals will take place at Ulster University Jordanstown on the grass pitches
- Refreshments and hot food will be available to purchase on the day from external providers
- The organising committee reserve the right to change the format of the event right up to and including kick off.

### Liability:

- The organising committee or venue owners will not accept responsibility for any loss, injury or death of any player/coach/club official taking part or involved in the Tournament.

### Registration:

- Each player on each team list must conform to the age group that applies to the tournament
- Each club will be held responsible for making sure that all their players are of the correct age. To clarify a point, players can be younger than the age group they are entered into but not older
- See above for squad sizes
- Teams will be required to check-in with their coordinator no later than 45 minutes before the first kick off time for the tournament. The coordinator will be placed at your given pitch and recognised wearing a high visibility vest

- If a team is late for check-in they may not be allowed to check in. If a team is aware that they will arrive late they should phone the organisers to inform them of the situation and they will be advised accordingly. We cannot guarantee that we will be able to accommodate this
- If a team is refused registration for any reason no refund will be payable.

#### **Proof of Age:**

- Each team must be able to provide proof of age for each player that is registered for their team on the day if requested to do so by the organisers at any stage during the tournament. Acceptable forms of identification will be a valid passport, birth certificate or league ID badges (Photocopies are accepted)
- Failure to provide proof of age will deem the said player ineligible
- Any player that is found to be ineligible will result in the child being disqualified from taking part in the tournament
- Any player found to be ineligible during play will be automatically disqualified from any further participation in the tournament. The organising committee reserves the right to take further action against any offending teams.

#### **Matches:**

- All pitch sizes will be 80x50 yards
- Each team will be permitted to have nine (according to age group) players on the field of play with one player clearly marked as the goalkeeper
- Rolling substitutions will be permitted. The referee has to be notified in order to stop play
- Each team should be at the allocated pitch for their match 5 minutes before the kick off time. Failure to do so may result in missing out on a match and therefore losing points. We also reserve the right to deduct points
- In all cases the match balls will be provided by the organising committee and will be size 4 Teams will be free to bring their own balls and use them for warming up but in all cases the balls provided by the organising committee will be used during the matches
- Where the team kits colours clash the team first of the fixture list will wear bibs. Each team is responsible for bringing their own bibs

- Referees will be provided by the organising committee. Their duties during the tournament will be the administration of the laws of the game and discipline issues and time keeping
- The goalkeeper must not be in possession of the ball for more than 10 seconds. Any infringement of this results in a direct free kick 2m outside the area
- All games should be played in a fun and sporting manner
- The offside rule will not be used
- Keepers are not permitted to handle back passes from player in the same team.
- Warm ups & warm downs are not permitted on the field of play; this is to facilitate the smooth running of the tournament. They are however permitted on areas not used for the tournament.

#### **Fair Play:**

- The organising committee would like to see players, coaches, club officials & supporters offer encouragement to ALL players, not just players from their team, and applaud sporting acts and good play.

#### **Miscellaneous:**

- The organising committee reserves the right to make changes and amend these rules to allow the smooth running of the tournament. Any rules changes or amendments will be communicated to the participating teams as soon as possible
- The organising committee reserves the right to report all matters to the NI Boys Football Association for further sanctions if the organising committee deems it to be necessary
- The organising committee will arrange for photographers and/or videographers to attend the Tournament for publicity purposes. It will be each clubs responsibility to inform the organising committee in writing if any child is not to be photographed or filmed at least 1 week prior to the tournament. If no information of this type is forwarded to the organising committee the assumption will be made that all photography/filming is permitted



- All teams who participate in the tournament agree to co-operate fully with all publicity surrounding the event including any sponsors of the tournament
- Any person(s) who, the organising committee has not authorised, takes photographs or video film is liable to all legal consequences that may arise. The organising committee will not accept responsibility for any person not authorised by Playing for the Future C.I.C
- By applying to enter and /or taking part in this tournament it is deemed that each club accepts, and informs all players, coaches, team officials and supporters of, all rules set by the organising committee and agree to any sanctions by the organising committee.

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