

AFC Chellaston Club Reg Fees, Subs and Kit Policy

AFCC Reg Fee and Subs 2023/2024

Club Registration Fee	<u>One Team</u> £25.00	<u>Training only</u> £12.50	<u>Two Teams</u> £37.50
Subs - Standing Order due:	<u>One Team</u>	Training only	<u>Two Teams</u>
1st September 2023	£25.00	£12.50	£37.50
1st October 2023	£25.00	£12.50	£37.50
1st November 2023	£25.00	£12.50	£37.50
1st December 2023	£25.00	£12.50	£37.50
1st January 2024	£25.00	£12.50	£37.50
1st February 2024	£25.00	£12.50	£37.50
1st March 2024	£25.00	£12.50	£37.50
Total Subs for season	£175.00	£87.50	£262.50

Why do we need subs?

Although most of our club officials, managers and coaches are volunteers we need to collect subs to cover the expenses we incur as a club. Without subs, quite simply AFC Chellaston Football Club would not exist.

To ensure all our teams can train and then play at the weekend costs over £100,000 a year.

To help reduce your subs we collect sponsorship, host 8 days of hugely successful tournaments and apply for as many grants as we can but this will never fully cover the costs.

What do the subs pay for?

All subs and registration fees contribute to paying for the items and services below. Some of the main expenses we have are:

- Insurance
- League affiliation fees
- Player registration fees
- Referees' fees
- Pitch hires from various venues for matches
- Pitch hires for winter training on artificial pitches
- End of season trophies
- Purchase and renewal of football equipment and coaches matchday equipment
- DBS (safeguarding) Checks
- Volunteers' coaching, first aid and safeguarding courses
- Coaches Jackets and training tops
- Match kit missing kits replacement
- Long and medium term investments, such as storage containers
- AFC Chellaston are currently the largest football club in Derbyshire and as such requires a huge amount of administration, due to this we currently contract two part time members of staff who work tirelessly for the club.



Registration Fees

Registration fees are invoiced ahead of the season. They are offset towards the start of the season to help with the clubs cashflow as many big expenses occur towards the start of the season. Please help us by paying your registration fee withing 14 days of the invoice being issued so that the player is covered by the club's insurance to participate in training/matches/friendlies. Please quote the invoice number as the payment reference as this is the quickest way for your payment to be allocated.

Outstanding registration fees will result in the player (or their parent/guardian for U18s) being sent an email by the club requesting payment.

After two weeks of the account not being settled from the date of the email, the player will be suspended until the appropriate payments are made.

No player will be allowed to play for the club until the registration fee has been paid.

Subs

Subs invoices will be raised in August. The subs can be paid in full at the start of the season or in seven monthly instalments by standing order starting 1st September through to 1st March. Please help us by paying your subs on time each month so that the player can participate in training/matches. Please quote the invoice number as the payment reference as this is the quickest way for your payment to be allocated.

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Match Kit

Upon joining the club, Managers will liaise with the club's admin team and request a pair of match shorts and a pair of match socks. They may also request an additional match shirt if they have no spares.

If necessary, shorts can be swapped for a larger size free of charge provided the original shorts are still fit for use.

Players are only issued one pair of socks, once they have outgrown these, replacement socks can be purchased from the club.

Training Kit

We stock a range of training kits on site at Chellaston Park. Please check with us via email <u>football@afcchellaston.co.uk</u> for any sizes you require. Alternatively, kit can be purchased directly with TAG Sportswear via the AFCC Players Portal on their website.



Termination

In the event of a player leaving and after speaking to the coach, please email the club at <u>football@afcchellaston.co.uk</u> specifying the future leaving date and ideally providing some feedback on why they wish to leave.

- Subs will be payable until the final leaving date, irrespective of whether you attended sessions leading up to this date or not.
- You will also be required to return any non-self-funded AFC Chellaston kit in your possession. Any kit paid for by sponsors or directly by the club remains property of the club and must be returned to either the coach or handed in at The Crossbar. The kit has a value and thus non return may lead to a debt that will prevent a player signing for another club until settled.

This also applies in the event of a team folding.

Please note that a player who leaves a club owing subs or kit will be issued a warning letter and if the debt is not settled within two weeks the club will enact the FA Debt Recovery Service which could lead to the suspension of the player from any FA Football related activities in England until the debt is settled.

If you are having difficulty paying the subs you should inform your team manager and email <u>football@afcchellaston.com</u> We are passionate about people playing football and may be able to help.