

# Rotherham & District Sunday Football League ( Founded 1966 )

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## APPLICATION FORM

(Form to be completed in **BLOCK** CAPITALS)  
(As with all correspondence you are advised to keep a copy for your records)

### SEASON 2009/2010

Affiliated to  
Sheffield &  
Hallamshire  
C.F.A.

### TEAM DETAILS

**TEAM:**

(complete if your Club has more than one team, i.e. A or B)

**CLUB:**

\* IF YOUR CLUB HAS CHANGED OR IS TO CHANGE ITS NAME DURING THE CLOSE SEASON PLEASE STATE YOUR OLD NAME BELOW

### **SECRETARY:**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Home No:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Mobile No:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Post Code:** \_\_\_\_\_  
PLEASE PROVIDE MOBILE NO. & EMAIL IF POSSIBLE, THIS WILL HELP LEAGUE TO IMPROVE SERVICE TO YOU

### **MESSAGES:**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact No:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Position:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

For **MESSAGES**, only name persons connected with your Team who have **AGREED** to take messages on your behalf.  
THE MESSAGE CONTACT IS IN ADDITION TO THE SECRETARY.

### **DECLARATION:**

Chairman (Sign) \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Contact No:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Post Code:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Treasurer (Sign) \_\_\_\_\_ **Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Contact No:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Post Code:** \_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary (Sign)

"We have been provided with a copy of the Rules and Regulations of the Rotherham & District Sunday Football League and do hereby agree for and on behalf of the said Team of Club to, if elected and accepted into Membership, conform to those Rules and Regulations and to accept, abide and implement the decisions of the Management Committee of the League, subject to the right of appeal in accordance with Rule 16".

## **GROUND DETAILS**

FIRST CHOICE GROUND & LOCATION:

SECOND CHOICE GROUND & LOCATION:

\* Please enter a second choice ground, this will only be used in extreme circumstances in the latter part of the season to ease fixture backlog.

## **TEAM COLOURS**

1<sup>ST</sup> CHOICE  
SHIRTS:

2<sup>ND</sup> CHOICE  
SHIRTS

1<sup>ST</sup> CHOICE  
SHORTS:

2<sup>ND</sup> CHOICE  
SHORTS

1<sup>ST</sup> CHOICE  
SOCKS:

2<sup>ND</sup> CHOICE  
SOCKS

These parts may be left blank at this stage if you are to acquire new kits. It is IMPORTANT to inform the LEAGUE SECRETARY as soon as the above details are known so that these can be included in the League Handbook. Please NOTE that it is a condition of entry to the above League that teams have TWO full kits from which to choose (Rule 9A)

**ALL BLACK SHIRTS ARE NOT ALLOWED.**

## **PLAYING IN A HIGHER DIVISION**

1) All Teams finishing in the top two of their division in the previous season will be automatically promoted to the next highest division (staying in last seasons division is not an option).  
2) All other Teams\* will automatically be moved higher within the League to replace Teams who have withdrawn in the previous season or close season unless they specifically state that they do not wish to.  
3) Any Team wishing to move higher than their automatic promotion or wish to be elected to a higher division need to state below, such Teams will take priority over those being moved higher due to clause 2.  
\* Except relegated Teams. Relegation rules: No Teams will be relegated from a division finishing with ten or less teams (at season end). Only 11<sup>th</sup> place will be relegated in a division with 11, only 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> place will be relegated in a division with 12, only 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> place will be relegated in a division with 13, and only 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> will be relegated in a division with 14. When vacancies occur during close season, and it is the best interests of the League, teams that were relegated may be retained in the division they were relegated from.

2) DO YOU WISH TO STAY IN THE DIVISION YOU WERE LAST SEASON? YES / NO

3) DO YOU WISH TO BE ELECTED TO A HIGHER DIVISION? YES / NO WHICH DIV?

## **CLOSING OF DATES**

Under League Rule (10K) you are required to close dates when you do not want a game (note that the League can organise a game at 7 days notice). Cup dates cannot be closed.

If you know of the date now please advise here:

## **AFFILIATION TO SHEFFIELD & HALLAMSHIRE C.F.A.**

All Teams participating in this League **MUST** be affiliated to the **Sheffield & Hallamshire County Football Association**. Contact:  
**SHEFFIELD & HALLAMSHIRE COUNTY FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION**  
**CLEGG HOUSE, 69 CORNISH PLACE, SHEFFIELD S6 3AF**

## **INSURANCE**

By the commencement of the new season your Team are advised to be covered by some form of Insurance Cover. It is not mandatory that Teams should be insured before playing in this League, but it would be strongly suggested. Any questions relating to insurance policies should be made to the SHCFA who can advise clubs in this field.

## **REFEREE NOMINATION**

Your Team should (not mandatory) have a nominated person who will be able to take charge of any match where, for whatever reason, a Referee has not been appointed by the League.

#### **QUALIFIED FIRST AIDER**

Your Team should (not mandatory) have a person who is a Qualified First Aider.

#### **A FEW REMINDERS**

The League requires that you are available to play virtually all Sundays between September and May, your Team will be penalised financially if you do not fulfil a fixture (see Rule 10F).  
Failing to adhere to Rules and attend to League business will also mean that your Team will be fined. In addition to having two full kits to choose from, you should also remember that it is a League requirement to have goal nets, corner flags, at least two suitable **match** balls, and assistant referee flags.  
Average normal running costs and fees for a Team per season will come to approximately £1200.  
The League will penalise all Teams and Members that fail to show the necessary respect to the League, other Teams and Match Officials.

#### **ANY OTHER INFORMATION**

PLEASE PROVIDE ANY OTHER INFORMATION YOU MAY THINK OF BENEFIT TO THE LEAGUE

#### **CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS**

The closing date for receipt of this Form with the League Secretary is no later than **1<sup>st</sup> June 2008**. Any Team who do not submit this Application Form by the **1<sup>st</sup> June 2008** may still enter the League, but the Annual Subscription fee may be increased by **50%**.  
No Team will be admitted to this League without the return of this Application Form and the Annual Subscription paid in full, and the League issuing your Clearance Certificate (confirming that your financial obligations from the previous season have been cleared).  
The Annual Subscription fee for season 2008/2009 is set at **£60.00**, included in this fee is automatic entry into the K.O. Cup. All monies must be returned with this Form. All cheques made payable to:  
**Rotherham & District Sunday Football League**  
ANY FORMS WHICH ARE NOT COMPLETED TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE LEAGUE WILL BE RETURNED AND YOUR APPLICATION WILL NOT BE PROCESSED. THE DECLARATION IN PART 1 MUST BE FULLY COMPLETED BY ALL 3 SENIORS MEMBERS OF THE CLUB.  
All Teams completing this form fully and returning it by the **1<sup>st</sup> June 2008**, will be offered a place in this league for the coming season, without any need to attend a selection meeting. Applications after **1<sup>st</sup> June 2008** will be subject to the availability of vacancies in the League.

#### **RETURN ADDRESS FOR THIS FORM**

The return address for this form is:  
**Secretary, Mr L. Beckett, Rotherham & District Sunday Football League**  
**79 New Meadows, Rawmarsh, Rotherham, S62 7FE**  
**Tel: 07966 341 469 email: lee@absgroup.co.uk**

The application form must be returned with the correct Annual Subscription Fee (see part 5).

**Data Protection: The details you supply here will automatically be published in the Handbook given to all Clubs and Officials. Your details will not be passed onto any 3<sup>rd</sup> Party (except SHCFA) without your consent.**

**If you do not wish your details to be on the League website tick here**

#### **LEAGUE USE ONLY.**

TEAM NAME:

ENTRY PAYMENT OF: \_\_\_\_\_ RECEIVED

CASH / CHEQUE / PO