Sedlescombe Rangers FC Pay to Play Policy 2023-24 (U17-U18 Teams)



To ensure club & league registration & membership fees are paid in line with the club's annual payment terms, each registering member agrees to the Pay-to-Play club policy conditions set out in this document.

Pay to Play Policy Guidelines:

- 1. All registering players (parents/guardians for under 18 players) agree to the Pay-to-Play Policy as part of their annual club membership registration process. Failure to register and agree to the policy will result in automatic de-selection / suspension, until registration is completed and fees are paid
 - a. Payment Terms are supplied at point of registration annually and are included in this document within 'Payment Terms' section below
- 2. Failure to pay fees in line with payment terms could result in the player being de-selected from a team squad and suspension from training until all fees are paid up in line with the payment terms
- 3. Team coaches will notify any player (or parent/guardian) if payment terms have been breached. The player will be given a verbal two week 'suspension delay period' to ensure the player has the opportunity to pay all outstanding fees prior to introduction of any de-selection / suspension
- 4. If payment of fees is outstanding following the two-week suspension delay period, the player will be formally notified that they have been de-selected from the team squad and suspended from attending training
- 5. Where the player (parents/guardian) deems the de-selection / suspension to be unfairly introduced, they can raise a formal grievance to the club's management committee. The grievance should be raised in writing to the Team Manager and / or Club Secretary
- 6. Should a formal grievance be raised, the de-selection / suspension period will be postponed until the management committee have reviewed the case and agreed the appropriate action with the player (parent/guardian). At this point, any fees due must be paid immediately, or de-selection / suspension will be instantly invoked
- 7. Any payment concerns should be discussed with the Team Manager and / or Club Secretary immediately
- 8. All charges incurred as a result of failed payments (e.g. bounced cheques) will be charged back to the payment originator

In registering as a member of the club I am agreeing to pay Sedlescombe Rangers FC annual club and league subscription fees in line with above guidelines, payment terms and dates set by the management committee and understand the consequences of non-payment.

Payment Terms

The following options are in place for the U17-U18 age group as follows:

- 1. U17s & U18s pay to play:
 - o £60.00 registration payment by 16th August 2023
 - £60.00 second payment by 16th January 2024
 - o £7 per week to cover matches and training (payable weekly from September 2023)

A maximum payment of £237.50 will be payable during the season.

All fees must be paid directly to the coach prior to training or match. Failure to play will result in omission from the session/match and all subsequent sessions/matches until full outstanding fees have been paid.

- 2. £213.75 one-off payment paid by 16th August 2023
- 3. Payment option 2 Monthly payments
 - a. £60.00 registration payment by 16th August 2023, followed by seven monthly payments between Sept 2023 Mar 2024 as detailed in table below

Sep 23	Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23	Jan 24	Feb 24	Mar 24
£27.50	£25.00	£25.00	£25.00	£25.00	£25.00	£25.00

4. Train & Play structure

To cater for players that primarily train with the club, or train and play matches on an infrequent basis throughout the season, the payment structure will be as follows:

Training fees equivalent to 60% of the full annual fees per associated age group, plus £5 payment per match played. Age related payments as follows:

• £142.50 training fees, plus £5 per match played

Aug 23	Sep 23	Oct 23	Nov 23	Dec 23
£60.00	£22.50	£20.00	£20.00	£20.00

Elite League Premium Payment

An 'Elite League Premium Payment' of £35 will be due in addition to standard fees detailed in this policy, payable as a single payment of £31.50 (including 10% single discount) at the point of annual registration, or in three monthly instalments as detailed below:

- August £15
- September £10
- October £10
- Or in three monthly instalments from the point the player registers after August

Note: Training fees must be paid in line with the dates for the associated age group. Match fees are payable prior to playing in the match. Failure to pay up front will result in omission from the match.