



# Hawthorne Rangers Newsletter

Welcome to the second Hawthorne Rangers Newsletter  
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## **New Season**

We went to the manager's meeting of the Bootle League on Tuesday but it was not particularly informative; they are not the most organised of leagues. All we know for certain is that our first league game will be at **Brookvale** on **September 10<sup>th</sup>**. However, the kick off times throughout the season are going to vary between 9:30am and 10:30am, due to the bad management of the League. We'll keep you posted with how that develops.

## **Subs**

We will start asking for subs once the season begins. Until we start training inside it will be £2 a week, which you can pay either at training or at the match on Sunday. When we go indoors it will highly likely be £3 a week because of the added costs of renting a hall, but we'll let you know closer to the time.

## **Website**

The website now has a forum, a place where you can register and talk about anything to do with Hawthorne Rangers: the games we've played, other teams in the league, training, tactics, etc. We know a few of you techno whizz-kids are already using it, which is great.

But it's also very useful for us to pass on messages to you and letting you reply to them so that we know you've got the news and we don't have to call you. This will come in handy if/when games are cancelled during the winter due to frozen or waterlogged pitches.

Keep checking the website regularly so you don't miss out on any news. We will be using it a lot during the season - <http://www.hrfc.org.uk/>

## **Photographs of the game**

If you have been on the site you might have seen that reports of the past three friendly matches have all been put on the site, along with photos. We would just like to check that all parents are OK with this. The photos are only of the action in the game and tend to have more than one individual in them. This is in line with suggested best practice from FA Child Protection guidance. However, if you have any objections or questions, please see one of us straight away. There may also be times when other teams may wish to take photos, but we will check with you first before agreeing to it. No photos are taken at training.

## **Training**

Training continues at Silcox on Thursdays between 6-7:30pm unless we tell you otherwise.

## **Off we go...**

Thanks for your support so far, and thanks in advance for all your support this coming season. As always, if you have any questions or problems we would like to hear from you, we can see you at training or at a match or call us on the phone numbers below.

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