

Chesterton Football Club

The 2023/24 season is fast approaching its conclusion. We have again seen a lot of interest from players in the area which continues to grow the game in Bicester following FA initiatives.

The Football Club has worked really hard to comply with Safeguarding Children policies, Criminal Record checks for anyone having regular access with children and Development Plans for future growth.

Currently we have 11 teams competing in 5 different leagues.

Chesterton First team have been playing in League 2 of the Banbury District & Lord Jersey League and will finish as runners up. They have reached the Semi Final of the League Cup which is a great achievement. We wish them well in the final this week.

The Veterans team look set to win their League (Milton Keynes Vets League).

Chesterton U11's have also reached a cup final and we await that game.

We have built on the success of last summer by running our own Wildcats Centre for girls aged between 5-11. Plans are in place to run this again in the summer. This will run alongside a girls elite centre bringing to Chesterton all the best talent from around the Bicester area.

Such is the interest in football that another three team are looking to join Chesterton for next season.

Playing field space is in short supply and we thank BSA for accommodating our matches and to Whitelands and Kirtlington Village Hall committee for use of their facilities for summer training.

Steve Honey

Chairman & Secretary, Chesterton Football Club

Chesterton Playing Field

The committee has been active this year reaching its full compliment of committee members with two people representing the Football Club, Cricket Club, Village and Parish Council. This group works for the benefit of the village to manage and maintain the playing field and pavilion building. Both remain available for public use and have been used for birthday party's and meetings.

This year has seen the pavilion used for an adult ballet group and the field and pavilion used for a children's football camp during half term and week day evenings.

The group remains a link between the village and Parish Council and has helped to keep the playing field in such a good condition and an asset to the village.

We look forward to continuing our work this year.

Steve Honey

Chairman, Chesterton Playing Field & Pavilion Committee