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**CYFC Events**    [in Youth FC 6 aSide Tournament 13th&14th June 2020 Entry Form](#)

**Summer Holiday**

Exeter City FITC and Saints SW are now taking bookings for Summer Holiday Courses

For further details then please contact the ECT Team For further details then please contact Adam Hayman

**Weekend of 25th &26th April**

On Thursday we featured our first Under 10s Girls training session, the evening was a huge success, 16 girls attended the session which was led by Exeter City FC coaches.

Eight games were played this weekend

Albington U18 4 Credifton Youth U18 2  
 Central 4 Credifton Youth U16 1  
 Credifton Youth U15 4 Beacon Knights 2  
 Eastside 0 Credifton Youth U13 13  
 Credifton Youth U12 2 C S Leopards 2  
 Moors Colbras 1 Credifton Youth U11 5 (match report)  
 Credifton Youth U10 2 Okehampton 2  
 Credifton Youth U9 5 Coppelstone 2 (match report)

**More dates for your diary**

**U11's plate final - Sunday May 10th - 11.30 am**

Our Under 11s have made it to their plate final which will be held at St James Park on Sunday May 10th. 11:30AM Kick off. It will be a great day out so come along and support the club.

**Friday May 8th - Credifton Youth Coaches v Credifton Youth U16's - Credifton United Pitch Lords Meadow 7.45 ko**

The eagerly awaited annual match will take place on Friday 8th May. Bunny Warren is managing the managers team so please contact him if you would like to take part. We plan to make this a night for the whole club, the evenings programme have yet to be set but ideas put forward include a 30 minute Under 15s v Under 16s match and a half time penalty shoot out for the U7s to U12s and the under 13s doing a bucket collection for charity. Just before the start of the second half we would like to take a club photo with as many club players present as possible. We will be running a BBQ and the club house will be open after the match for the post match analysis.

**Sunday 5th July - U7-11 Futsal Event at Lords Meadow Astro**

As part of the Credifton Festival the club will be hosting a Futsal Event on the Lords Meadows Astro Turf pitches. The event is due to start at 2 and end at 4. Please ask your team managers for more details.

**Weekend of 18th &19th April**

Another busy week for the ran club, there were several midweek matches (I will post the results when I have them) and on Thursday Will, from Devon FA ran a goalkeepers training course. Around 12 of our players from a variety of age groups attended. On Friday night Credifton Youth U12's held there training session at the Wass Inn on the astro. Afterwards players younger siblings and parents enjoy a meal. A great evening was had by all.

Brixington Utd 5 Credifton Youth U16 0  
 Credifton Youth U15 0 Pinhoe Pikes 5  
 Credifton Youth U14 4 Bideford AFC 3  
 Culm Sampford Leopards 2 Credifton Youth U12 2  
 Countess Wear Dynamos 1 Credifton Youth U11 0 (match report)  
 Credifton Youth U10 0 Central 3

The Credifton Courier featured an article on our bucket collection evening during Credifton United's match last week. They have sent us a couple of photos for our website, many thanks to everyone at the Courier.

**Under 10s Girls Team**

Credifton Youth Football Club are delighted to announce the formation of a new Under 10s Girls team. Training starts 5.45, Thursday 23rd at Lords Meadows astro turf pitches.

Years 4&5 Girls are invited to come along and join in, if you are interested please contact [Martin Daniel](#) or team co-ordinator [Nikki Sandland](#)

Girls. Love Football?  
Why not join a team near you?!

Credifton Youth Girls Under 10's  
(school year 4 & 5)

FIRST TRAINING SESSION.....

Thu 23rd April 2015  
5:45-6:45pm  
Lords Meadow Leisure Centre  
(Astro turf)

First session with Exeter City FC Coach!

The club is looking to set up a new girls team, so come and get involved!  
Open to all girls in school year 4 and 5.

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Clubs are fully affiliated to the Devon FA and have FA qualified coaches with safeguarding and CRB checks.

**Weekend of 11th &12th April**

After our Easter break we had a busy schedule this weekend with some good results:

Credifton Youth U11 6 Whipton 2  
 Credifton Youth U12 0 Brixington Blues 3  
 St Martins 3 Credifton Youth U13 1  
 Credifton Youth U14 8 Shebbear 0  
 Credifton Youth U15 3 Exmouth Town 1  
 Credifton Youth U16 6 Seaton 6  
 Credifton Youth U9 5 Broadmeadow 2 Friendly (match Report)

This week:  
 Please note that most team training sessions will be back on the grass pitches this week, please check with your team manager to be certain.

**Credifton United**

Credifton United play Okehampton Argyle on Tuesday, remember free entry for Credifton Youth players.

We also has a busy week of midweek fixtures, it would be great to see club members come along and support the various age groups who are playing. Kick off 6:30 unless stated otherwise:

Tuesday 14th  
 Credifton Youth U15 v Honiton  
 Wednesday 15th  
 Credifton Youth U16 v Brixington Utd  
 Credifton Youth U13 v Countess Wear Dynamos  
 Credifton Youth U11 v Countess Wear Dynamos

**CYFC U16s Wembley Trip**

Credifton Players see England win at Wembley

Players from Credifton Youth FC's Under 16s team travelled to London on 27th March to take in a tour of the Emirates Stadium and the England Euro qualifying match against Lithuania. The 15 players, some of whom have been with the club for 6 years, left Credifton early Friday morning to travel to London. The first port of call was the Emirates Stadium, home of Arsenal Football Club, where they took a tour of the newest football stadium in the country.

The Credifton boys were able to see first-hand the 'behind the scenes' areas of the stadium from pitchside to the state-of-the-art home changing room and treatment rooms to the luxury of the Directors' lounges and TV studios. Then, after a visit to the Arsenal museum and, having had their photos taken with the FA cup, they moved onto Wembley Stadium for the last England home qualifying game of the season.

The picture above shows three of the oldest serving members of the team Will Baldson, Connor Champ and James Crocker who with Alex Hill (not in photo) have been in the team for over 5 years each.

Having arrived in plenty of time at Wembley, they took their seats amongst the sell-out crowd of 90,000 fans for the evening kick-off against Lithuania for what turned out to be a comfortable 4-0 win for England. The home team fielded a young side and immediately put the visitors under pressure. The first goal fell to captain, Wayne Rooney, and the second to Danny Welbeck. Raheem Sterling then made it 3 with his first goal for England but the spotlight was taken by the young striker Harry Kane who made it 4-0 with less than 2 minutes to go after replacing Rooney on his debut game. After the game, the party headed back to the coach and the long journey home with a bag full of memories of what was for many their first international game.

Credifton Youth FC were pleased to be able to donate tickets for the trip to 4 guests - Joseph Crocker, brother of Samuel, and his cousin, Aaron, who were presented with signed photographs by the Arsenal staff. Also travelling was Credifton Youth Committee member, Dan Marino, and his son, Luca, who plays for Credifton under 13s. Dan, who has been affected by cancer, said he had a fantastic day although a little tiring in his condition. Club Chairman, Martin Daniel, said "Dan is fighting back to full health and is keen to get more involved with the Club and is an inspiration to us all".

Under 16s' Manager, Mike Edworthy, said "the trip was a really good experience for the lads and we would like to thank Adam Hayman of Play The Arsenal Way for help purchasing and discounting the Emirates' tour tickets and Devon FA, who organised the Wembley tickets and finally, to Mild Devon Coaches and their diverse who made the day run so smoothly. But the biggest thank you goes to the lads of the Credifton Under 16s who had a great time and were a credit to the Club".

**Easter Club Update**

It has been a busy few weeks and I am sure a lot of us are looking forward to the Easter break.

On the pitch, it has been rewarding to see our teams recently at the U7 age group, and a week later three teams of Under 6's. This just goes to show our Under 11's have qualified for the Plate Cup Final which will hopefully be played at Exeter City FC football stadium St James Park in May. We hope that as many people will go and support them as possible. More details to follow shortly.

The last few weeks has also seen some of our Under 16's progress onto the U16's and to Credifton United Reserves. Great to see the Under 16's recently get their first point of the season as well.

On the social side the Easter Egg Bingo saw a packed club house and a great evening had by all. The Under 16s Emirates Stadium Tour and visit to the England v Lithuania game at Wembley, was an amazing day. This was a credit to the club and so great to be able to take our special guests with us. A day I know I will always remember.

It was very much hoped that players and parents from all of our age groups would come along and support the club, entry is £3.00 for adults and free for children, the car parks will be very busy so if possible please car share or park in the adjacent roads in the trading estate.

After years of talking about it we finally got around to doing a half time shoot out at a Credifton United game. What a superb evening with some of the younger players being mascots and so nice to see so many of the U7-11's on the pitch at half time doing shoot outs under the floodlights. Well done to the U12's for doing the bucket collection. A combined total of £450 raised by Credifton United and Credifton Youth FC, for the Devon Air Ambulance in memory of Samuel Crocker. A fine evening capped by Credifton winning 2-1 with an ex Credifton Youth player Josh Badham grabbing one of the goals.

**Weekend of 4th April**

This weeks weekend round up is a day earlier than usual as no games are played on Easter Sunday

Tuesday night this week was a very special night for Credifton Youth FC and Credifton United AFC alike, our younger age groups were invited to take part in a 60's Disco and a bucket collection in memory of Samuel Crocker with the proceeds going to the Crocker's chosen charity, Devon Air Ambulance. The Credifton crowd whose numbers were swelled by all the juniors and their parents were treated to a competitively fought match which Credifton ended 2-1 victors. Hopefully this will be the start of bringing our seniors and juniors together into one, true community club. (photos). The bucket collection raised £230.00 and Credifton United players and club donated £220.00.

This many of our members attended holiday camps run by Play the Arsenal Way and Precision Soccer. I saw 30 odd players on Tuesday and over 60 on Wednesday, the future of football in and around Credifton is looking very bright.

Three games played this week:  
 Credifton Youth U15 0 Credifton Saints 2  
 Credifton Youth U12 4 Dawlish 0  
 Thursday 2nd April  
 Exeter Panthers 1 Credifton Youth U11 3

**Credifton United AFC v Exwick 31st March**

Credifton United AFC v Exwick  
 Tuesday 31st March  
 KO 7:30

Weather permitting, on Tuesday Evening Credifton United take on Exwick at their home ground in Exwick. During half time our Under 12 side have arranged to do a bucket collection in aid of The Devon Air Ambulance in memory of Samuel Crocker.

Our younger teams Under 7s to Under 11s will take part in a penalty shoot out competition, if you child is available to play then please contact your team manager as soon as possible.

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