

GUERNSEY RUGBY ACADEMY



HOME GAME - GUIDANCE NOTES FOR TEAM MANAGERS

KEY INFO / ARRANGEMENTS

Central Calendar – Please ensure both Cherie Du Plessis (cheriemache1985@gmail.com) (Travel Coordinator) and Bethan Haines (bethanhaines@icloud.com) (Home game coordinator) is informed to ensure potential date is clear.

The Academy can then support you with venue options. They will make initial contact to Raiders, Sadie Merrien (sadiem@guernseyraiders.com) if a Raiders match-day curtain raiser is contemplated.

Pitch Options –Subject to availability we have:

- GRFC - 2nd Team pitch – booked through Steve Melbourne (SteveMelbourne@RFU.com)
- KGV (3G Pitch) – subject to charge booked through Stuart Le Prevost (stuart@kgv.gg)
- Memorial Field – Academy Training Pitch – booked through Elizabeth College (teisenhuth@elizabethcollege.gg)
- Footes Lane – Raiders Match Pitch– only following prior approval from Chair, Vice-Chair or Treasurer - booked through central bookings escbookingandplanning@gov.gg with copy to Bethan Haines

Club House – Book through Sadie Merrien

Bar Facilities – Book through Sadie Merrien – Academy only events are 'dry'

Catering – Normally arranged by The Farmhouse Events (events@thefarmhouse.gg) with copy to Chris Gnapp on (chris@leapfrogjobs.com) or at Hockey Club as an alternative facility, contact Andrew Lindsay

Referees – Booked through Dave Parish (parish@cwgsy.net)

Changing Rooms: (Footes Lanes) – Booked through Steve Melbourne
(KGV) – Booked through Stuart Le Prevost (stuart@kgv.gg)

NOTE: These **must** be swept out afterwards otherwise there will be an additional cost to the Academy.

Airport Transfers – To be organised and funded by the visiting team

BACKGROUND COSTS

All league fixtures, whether home or away, attract financial support from the Academy.

Extra costs for home fixtures need to be balanced from parental contribution or other funding initiatives, to be organised by the relevant age group and agreed by the Committee.

Touring sides (no subsidy from Academy) - £10.00 per player – covers cost of catering; pitch costs may also be incurred depending on venue

Visiting sides - £2,400 subsidy (i.e. any UK Sussex league team) PLUS £40.00 per Academy player – covers cost of catering & pitch

NOTE: If you independently hire the main Footes Lane pitch then the cost of this must be funded by the relevant age group directly – Booking in accordance with the Academy's Facility Hire Agreement with Culture & Leisure

This initiative was instigated to enable parents to see their sons & daughters play a fixture which would otherwise have been played off-island and represents a reasonable saving to the £110.00 they would have otherwise paid.