



NEWLETTER September 2024

Welcome Back

We hope you've all had a good summer and are ready to start the autumn term with renewed energy after the break. There are a number of items to cover since the last newsletter in June, starting with competitions . . .

Competitions

Well done to everyone who has competed in the last few months, if you're on the club Community WhatsApp Group you may have seen the results and photos—if you're not in the group and would like to be, please speak to Mandy at the desk.

Local competitions will continue to be added to the club website, there will also be sign-up sheets in the club for these competitions—we ask that you add your child's name to these before entering the competitions so the coaches (Gareth, Dave, Pete and Lou) can advise if they are suitable for your child. For coaches to arrange attendance at these events, we require at least 4 weeks' notice from all potential participants, this also helps us focus training in the weeks beforehand. Sign up sheets will be kept at the desk.

Volunteers

If anyone is interested in becoming a Mental Health First Aider for the club, please could you let Mandy or Claire (Welfare Officers) at the desk know.

Venue

Unfortunately, the venue which we were hoping to acquire in Bridge Street fell through as it wasn't suitable for a number of reasons. The search continues and if anyone knows of any spaces, please do let us know.

Presentation Evening

It may seem a while off but 2025 will be our Club's **60th Anniversary**, which we will be celebrating together with the annual Presentation Evening.

The provisional date will be *Saturday 25th January 2025* with venue yet to be confirmed. More details will follow over the coming months.

The Newsletter is also available to view online on the club website.