Ashtead All Stars 2020-2021 Update No.12 Friday 26th February 2021



Dear all,

It has been a long time since we have seen everyone, and we were beginning to give up hope that we would be able to restart this season, but Boris's announcement at the beginning of the week has given us good news and has enabled us to make plans for the future. Please read to the end of this Update as there is a lot of important information.

This Season

As you will all know, our AAS netball season is due to finish on 31st March 2021. With outdoor sports being re-introduced on 29th March, this just gives us enough time to do one last week of netball. As the last Minis section was planned for 20th March, and therefore won't be able to happen, we are moving them to Wednesday 31st March at 6pm so that they also get one more week of netball.

In the meantime we still have **Virtual Fitness** every Wednesday at 6.30pm with Jonelle.

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DATE	DAY	ARRIVAL	TRAINING	GROUP
03/03/2021	Wed	Log in!	6.30pm - 7.15pm	All
10/03/2021	Wed	Log in!	6.30pm - 7.15pm	All
17/03/2021	Wed	Log in!	6.30pm - 7.15pm	All
24/03/2021	Wed	Log in!	6.30pm - 7.15pm	All
29/03/2021	Mon	5.55pm - 6.05pm	6.05pm - 7pm	Outdoor Training: U13s and U15/U16s
		7.05pm - 7.15pm	7.15pm - 8.10pm	Outdoor Training: U12s and U14s
30/03/2021	Tues	7.20pm - 7.30pm	7.30pm - 8.30pm	Outdoor Training: Walking Netball
31/03/2021	Wed	5.55pm - 6.05pm	6.05pm - 7pm	Outdoor Training: U11s
		7.05pm - 7.15pm	7.15pm - 8.10pm	Outdoor Training: U10s
		5.55pm - 6.05pm	6.05pm - 7pm	Minis Training U8s and U9s
		8.15pm - 8.25pm	8.25pm - 9.45pm	Outdoor Training: AAS Adults
		8.15pm - 8.25pm	8.25pm - 9.30pm	Outdoor Training: Skills and Matchplay

Summer Term Netball

We are very aware that you have not had the full season of netball that you have paid for, so your AAS committee have been working hard behind the scenes to agree on the best way forward for the club and its members. We believe we have come up with a plan which enables players to get back to netball as soon as possible if they want to, whilst ensuring that everyone gets value for money for the subs they paid back in June last year.

We know that most of our players are chomping at the bit to get back on court, so we will be offering a free Summer Term of netball to replace the Spring Term. Anyone who does NOT want to play netball during the Summer Term, will be able to claim a 50% refund of their subs from the club.

If you would like to play netball in the Summer Netball, you are NOT eligible for the 50% refund, but you are, however, still eligible for a refund of 50% of squad fees if applicable.

We will be offering netball to u8s, U9s, u10s, u11s, u13s and u14s on a Monday night between 6pm and 9pm at Downsend. Sessions will be mostly matchplay but with a specific weekly skill focus. We cannot specify times until we know how many girls are interested, but the earlier sessions will be for year 3 and 4, and the older girls will do the later sessions. U12s, U15s, U16s, adults and walking netballers will be able to play on a Wednesday evening, between 6pm and 9pm. We also hope to organise some friendly fixtures against other clubs which may require match fees.

ACTION BY FRIDAY 12th MARCH:

- Decide if you would like a 50% refund **or** play netball in the Summer Term
- If you would like a 50% refund, please complete the refund form on our website. Summer Netball 2021 (ashteadallstars.com)
- If you have chosen to play netball in the Summer Term, please book your place by emailing your admin manager.
- If you have paid squad fees, and would like a 50% refund of squad fees, please complete the refund form on our website. <u>Summer Netball 2021 (ashteadallstars.com)</u>

PLEASE NOTE: All refunds MUST be requested by Friday 12th March. Any requests after this date will not be possible. This is a huge overhead for the Treasurer so please make sure you meet the deadline so that we can complete this season's accounts.

If anyone has any questions, please contact the Treasurer <u>treasurer@ashteadallstars.com</u> (Jane Davies) to discuss.

Next Season, starting September 2021, a heads up...

We are really hopeful that next season will be back to normal. What an exciting thought! As usual subscription fees will be collected towards the end of the summer term, so we will need everyone to commit and pay their 2021-2022 subs by Friday 25th June this year. More details will follow nearer the time.

We hope you will be keen to play in the Summer and we look forward to some fun summer evenings at Downsend.

Kind regards, Jane and the AAS Committee

Jane Arnett, AAS Chairperson and Coach www.ashteadallstars.com