

# WELCOME PACK



**KNOWSLEY  
ST. HELENS  
SCHOOLS  
F.A.**

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**UNDER 15's**  
**2025-2026**



**HARD WORK.  
COMMUNICATE.  
ONE TEAM.**



# CONGRATULATIONS ON MAKING THE SQUAD



This is a fantastic achievement and a reflection of the hard work, talent, and commitment you've shown throughout what was an incredibly competitive trial period. The standard this year was exceptionally high, and earning a place in the squad is something to be proud of.

Representing the district is both a **privilege and an honour** - it carries responsibility, pride, and the opportunity to be part of something special.

We look forward to seeing you grow, contribute, and embrace the values of Knowsley St Helens SFA of **Hard Work. Communicate. One Team.** Welcome to KSH - **We Go Together.**

**Mr Tony James**  
Chairman

**Mr Anthony Daly**  
Executive Manager  
Boys' Football

**Mr Ian Latta**  
Executive Manager  
Girls' Football



# A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN

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It is a huge honour to serve as Chair of Knowsley St Helens Schools' Football Association, and I feel very fortunate to also hold the position of Chair of the English Schools' FA.

Schools' football is unique in the opportunities it provides for young people to represent their local area and play against teams from across the country. Knowsley St Helens has a proud tradition in this regard, and we are grateful for our strong relationship with Liverpool Football Club and the world-class facilities they provide for our players on a regular basis.

I would like to thank our dedicated coaching staff for the time and effort they give, the players for their commitment, and the parents whose support makes all of this possible. Particular thanks must go to Anthony Daly, who as Executive Manager for all the boys' teams does an outstanding job in ensuring the very best opportunities for our players. The Association has always upheld high standards both on and off the pitch, and my hope is that we continue to build on these traditions, enabling young people to enjoy their football, develop their character and create lasting memories.

Finally, I would like to wish all of our players and teams the very best of luck for the season ahead. I look forward to seeing many of you at fixtures throughout the year.

Kind regards,

**Mr A. James**

**Chair of Knowsley St Helens Schools' Football Association**



**Mr A. James**

Chair



# MEET THE STAFF

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**Mr Dave Harvey**

Manager



**Mr Dave Sheeran**

Assistant Manager



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# MEET THE CAPTAIN & VICE CAPTAIN



**ELIJAH BRUCE**  
Captain



**ZACH ELLIS**  
Vice Captain

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# RESPECT! KSH-SFA POLICIES



At Knowsley St Helens Schools' Football Association, we believe football should be a safe, enjoyable, and inclusive experience for everyone — players, parents, coaches, and officials alike. That's why we proudly support The FA's Respect Campaign, which promotes positive behaviour on and off the pitch.

Respect is at the heart of everything we do.

Knowsley St Helens Schools' Football Association has created a number of policies covering various subjects which will soon be available from our website.

In the meantime the policies can be downloaded for parents and players below...

[KSH\\_SFA Anti-Bullying Policy.pdf](#)



[KSH-SFA Behaviour Policy](#)



[KSH-SFA Code of Conduct and Expectations for Players and Parents](#)



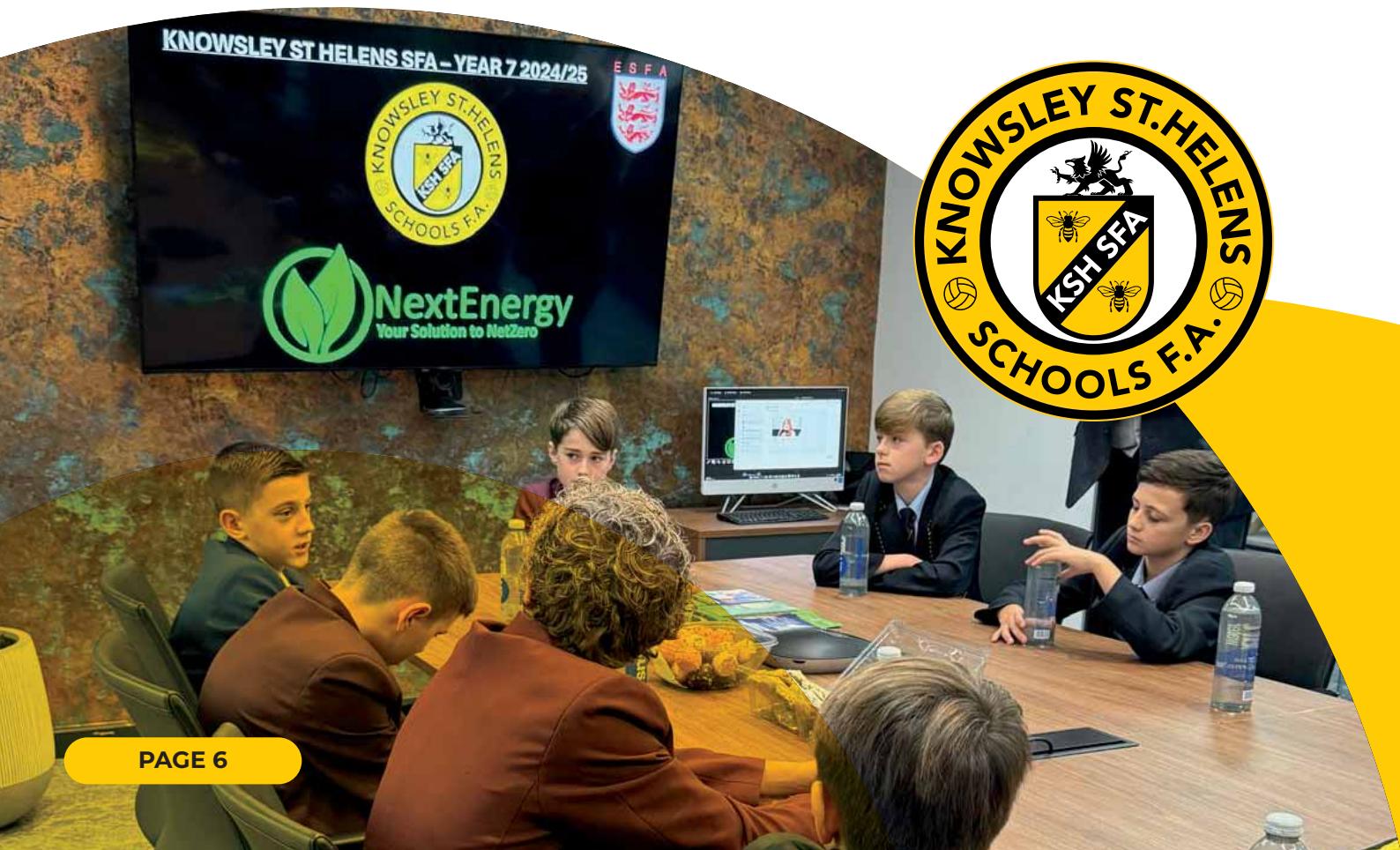
[KSH-SFA Responsible Use of Social Networking Sites Policy](#)



[KSH-SFA Safeguarding Children Policy](#)



[KSH-SFA-Trialing-Training-Selection-and-Playing-Time-Policy](#)



# 2025-2026

# UNDER 15's SQUAD

**Aaron Drinkhill**

Rainhill High

**Alfie Croxton**

Rainhill High

**Axel Senussi**

Cowley

**Ben Richardson**

Lord Derby Academy

**Billy Hagen**

Rainhill High

**Bobby Phillips**

Kirkby High

**Elijah Bruce**

Lord Derby Academy

**Finn Platt**

Rainhill High

**Francis Burke**

St. Edmund Arrowsmith

**Jessie Simpson**

All Saints

**Joel Nash**

Halewood Academy

**Joel Thomas**

All Saints

**Kayden Bellis**

Prescot

**Luke Wenham**

All Saints

**Michael Hardwick**

All Saints

**Nathan Goldstone**

Lord Derby Academy

**Noah Hammill**

Rainhill High

**Pharis Callaghan**

Halewood Academy

**Rueben Walker**

Lord Derby Academy

**Sean Garvey**

Halewood Academy

**Mason Taylor**

All Saints

**Zach Ellis**

All Saints

# WE GO TOGETHER

- **HARDWORK-**  
Arrive prepared, stay focused, and give 100% in training and matches.  
Never be outworked by an opponent.
- **COMMUNICATE WITH PURPOSE -**  
Listen to coaches, support teammates with positive information, and always use respectful language.
- **ONE TEAM-**  
Play unselfishly, help others, and celebrate all contributions to the team.
- **RESPECT THE GAME -**  
Show sportsmanship to teammates, opponents, referees, and coaches.
- **BE COACHABLE -**  
Take feedback positively and show willingness to learn and improve.
- **REPRESENT KSH WITH PRIDE -**  
On and off the pitch, show integrity, discipline, and positivity.  
To represent your district is an honour.



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# OUR KIT

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**Home Kit Shirt**



**Home Kit Shorts**



**Home Kit Socks**



**Goalkeeper Kit Shirt & Shorts**



**Away Kit Shirt**



**Away Kit Shorts & Socks**



**Training Kit Shirt & Shorts**



**Training Kit 3/4 Zip Top**



**Training Kit Jacket**



**Match Day Tracksuit**

# COMPETITIONS

## 2025-2026

E S F A



- **ESFA CHAMPIONS CUP (NATIONAL CUP)**
- **ESFA NORTH WEST LEAGUES**
- **ESFA NORTH WEST CUP**

**ESFA CHAMPIONS CUP START DATE**

**27/09/2025**

**ESFA NORTH WEST LEAGUE START DATE**

**20/09/2025**



# PLAYER FEES & PAYMENT POLICY

## District Football is Now Self-Funded

Knowsley St Helens no longer receives external financial support — all costs must now be covered by parents/carers through monthly contributions.

### Monthly Fee: £25 per Player

Payments are **£25 per month**, covering training facilities, league fees, referees, equipment, and other running costs. **Payments Must Be Made via SPOND**

All payments must be made through the **SPOND app** — this is our only official payment method.

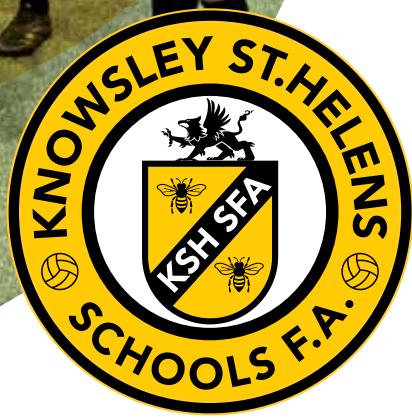
**"No Pay, No Play" Policy** Players will not be **eligible for training or match selection** if payments are not up to date. This policy ensures fairness and sustainability.

### Discretionary Support

In genuine cases of hardship, the management team may explore support options — but only where open and timely communication is made.

### What the Fees Cover

- Weekly training sessions @ Liverpool FC Academy
- League & cup registrations
- Matchday referees
- Training equipment
- Pitch hire and maintenance



# KSH-SFA COMMUNICATIONS

## All Communications Will Be Via the SPOND App

SPOND is our official and only platform for team communication — please ensure notifications are enabled.

### What You'll Find on SPOND:

- Fixture details and matchday information
- Weekly training updates
- Team announcements and reminders
- Messaging platform

### Weekly Training Schedule:

- Every Wednesday
- 7:30pm – 9:00pm
- Liverpool FC Academy

### Match Days:

- Saturday Mornings
- Kick-off times and venues will be confirmed weekly via SPOND

### Squad Announcements:

- Every Thursday
- Match invites will be sent via SPOND — players must respond to confirm availability



# Our Sponsors

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**SUCCESS** is no accident.  
It is **HARDWORK**, perseverance,  
learning, **STUDYING**, sacrifice  
and most of all, **LOVE** of what  
you are doing or learning to do.

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**PELE**