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**CHELMSFORD CITY WALKING FOOTBALL CLUB NEWSLETTER,**

**No.4**

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**FIXTURES FOR YOUR DIARY**

DATE	VENUE	TIME	EVENT	VERSUS
Thursday, 14 <sup>th</sup> Sept	King George Playing Fields, Romford	11.00	65+ Tournament	Various
Sunday, 24 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Shooters 5-a- side, Rayley Lane,Epping	12.30	50+ Autumn Tournament	Various
Sunday, 1 <sup>st</sup> October	Melbourne 3G pitch, Chelmsford	12.00	International Older Persons day	Various

**IMPORTANT**

As usual please check on the website for further information on the above fixtures.

Unless otherwise advised please arrive at the venue at least 30 minutes prior to kick-off to allow for registration, changing etc.

If you have been selected for any match, please make sure you notify your team manager without delay if you are unable to play for whatever reason.

**It is compulsory to wear shin pads for all tournaments and events.** Referees are instructed that anyone not wearing them will not be allowed to play.

Please make sure that you confirm your availability or reply to Terry's emails a.s.a.p. so that team selections etc. can be made without any unnecessary delay.

## **RECENT MATCHES**

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> August 2017** – 65+ National Tournament

A day of mixed results for the “old 'uns”, where they competed against 7 other teams who travelled from far & wide to take part in this competition for the over 65's. They won a creditable 4 out of their seven games to finish in 4<sup>th</sup> place.

Match report: <http://www.chelmsfordcityfc.com/teams/136556/match-centre/0-3722184>



**The old 'uns with “young Peter” in goal for the day!**

**Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August 2017** – WFA 60+ National Tournament

A result that none of the team could quite believe, having dominated the match from start to finish we somehow found it impossible to score and were undone by 2 second half goals totally against the run of play!

Match report: <http://www.chelmsfordcityfc.com/teams/136556/match-centre/0-3700907>



**One way traffic for the 60+ team**

## **KIT**

Team shirts & shorts are issued for all matches & tournaments. **Please note that from now on the official colour socks for all strips will be white and individual players are asked to supply their own.** Thanks in advance for your co-operation.

It is essential that all kit is returned as instructed, either handed back immediately after a match or, if requested, washed and brought back to the next training session and placed in the correct kit bag. Please do not just leave your kit without advising Gary that it is being returned as above. This will ensure that all the kit is then available for the next event. If you have any questions about returning kit please contact Gary at one of the training sessions or any other committee member if he is not around.

### **ANNUAL SOCIAL EVENING. FRIDAY 6<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 7.00pm**

As you are all hopefully aware this years social evening will be taking place in the Don Walker Suite, upstairs in the Chelmsford FC clubhouse. We are confident that you will all have a great time again meeting up with fellow players for the evening together with wives & partners. We will shortly be sending out a form you to complete and return to confirm your attendance so that we can arrange the catering for the buffet (for which there is no charge). I would greatly appreciate it if you can email the forms to me a.s.a.p, [georgekeogh@hotmail.com](mailto:georgekeogh@hotmail.com)

Raffle donations - If anyone has any leftover (and unopened!) pressies from last Christmas or recent birthdays then please them along to any training session and they would be gratefully received. Please leave them with either me or any committee member and they will be added to our prizes on the big night. Thanks in advance for any donations.

### **OTHER NEWS**

Golf day out! - I recently had a suggestion that if there are enough player interested then perhaps we could arrange for a days golf at one of the local courses. Please let me know if you would like to put your name down for this and if there is sufficient numbers then I will try to arrange a date. Please don't hesitate to let me know if there are any other suggestions you might like to be considered for us to look at.



Spencer has asked me to let you all know about his covers band “GUNRUNNER” who as part of their current world tour of Essex will be headlining this Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> September at The Black Horse in Moulsham Steet (I suppose it's still headlining if you're the only band!). Details of the band, their music and future dates can be found on their website [www.gunrunner.altpro.net/home](http://www.gunrunner.altpro.net/home)

### **TRAINING DATES & TIMES**

Tuesday 10.00 to 12.00 outside on the 3G pitch at Melbourne Park (boots with moulded studs must be worn – no trainers of any type are allowed).

Thursday 11.00 – 13.00 inside at Chelmsford Sports Centre.

Always remember to check on the Chelmsford City Walking FC website for further up to date information as these times and dates can be changed due to tournaments etc.

### **GEORGE KEOGH**

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### **USEFUL LINKS**

Walking Football United:

<http://www.walkingfootballunited.co.uk/>

Chelmsford City Walking FC:

<http://www.chelmsfordcityfc.com/teams/136556>

Essex Walking Football League:

<https://www.essexwalkingfootballleague.org/>

Chelmsford City FC:

<http://www.chelmsfordcityfc.com/>