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HEREFORD DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

NEWSLETTER



Looking Ahead to an Exciting 2026 Season

As we step confidently into 2026, we're gearing up for another exciting year of football, development, and progress across the centre. The journey continues, and the future looks bright for all of our teams.

Weather Challenges and Player of the Month Update

December brought its fair share of challenges with a number of weather-affected fixtures, followed by the festive break.

Due to the limited number of matches played, we have decided to hold off on naming a Player of the Month for December. Instead, we will be combining the December and January awards, allowing us to recognise players' performances over a fuller, more consistent period.

Our next newsletter will feature the combined Player of the Month announcement for December and January, celebrating the individuals who have stood out both in attitude and performance.

Here's to a Fantastic 2026

Thank you for being part of this journey. With your support, we move into the new year with confidence, ambition, and excitement for what lies ahead. Let's continue to push forward together—on and off the pitch.



FESTIVE FUN

UNDER 12S



Our u12s closed off the year with a team get together as they enjoyed a fun mini internal game at Point4, followed by even more laughs and competition at Hereford Bowl. 🎮😄

A fantastic way to close out 2025 — and with performances like these, the future looks incredibly bright for this exceptional group. 🧡💙



UNDER 13S

After their final match — and a first run-out in the new away kit 🧡 — the U13s headed to the Wobbly Taphouse for a cracking team dinner.

They rounded off 2025 with a fun Thursday training session before a well-earned break.

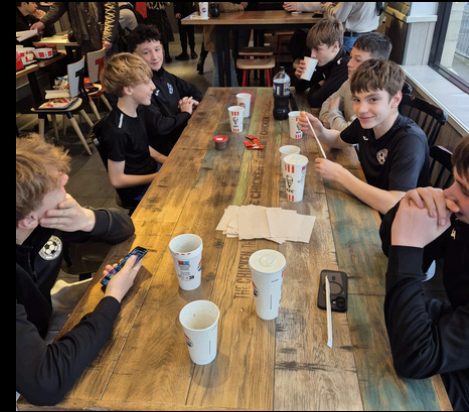


FESTIVE FUN

UNDER 14S

Our U14s didn't let the disappointment of their final game of the year being postponed dampen their Christmas spirit! 🎄⚽

Instead, they went all-in with a very competitive in-house game at Point4 ✨ followed by a team meal at everyone's favourite chicken joint 🍗🔥



UNDER 15S

Our u15s had their Christmas team event by testing their skills on the track at the Herefordshire Raceway. A great occasion for a great group of lads. The over all event was won by Tristan (Astons Dad) with Jenson taking him all the way to the line with some impressive driving. These two were streaks ahead of the rest but the remaining places made way for some exciting battles.



FESTIVE FUN

UNDER 16S



Our U16s kicked off the festive season early with a brilliant team meal at The Yard! After a slow start to the campaign, the boys have really found their stride and are climbing the table fast. 📈

2025 has been a huge year for this talented group — a top-third finish last season and this one already shaping up to be even better. 🙌



THANK YOU

A big thank you needs to go to all the volunteers within each team for assisting with the team events. It's clear to see each team really enjoyed the occasion and these things are vital to help build team cohesion. It has been a great end to the season and let's see what next year brings. Thanks again for your continued support.

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Strengthening Behind the Scenes

As we continue to develop on the pitch, we are also focusing on building a stronger foundation off it.

This year marks an important phase of growth for the centre as we introduce positive changes behind the scenes. These developments are designed to support our long-term vision and ensure we continue to progress in the right way.

We are excited to welcome new members into our coaching and support structure. Each addition will bring fresh energy, new ideas, and valuable experience to help us build on the success we have already achieved.

Team Representatives

We are thrilled to now have representatives from each team who will join the committee and be a voice for each age group. Having team reps also allows us to pass vital information so that everyone is kept up to date.

u12s - Julian C

u13s - Samantha L

u14s - TBC

U15s - Mark B

u16s - Lucy N

Volunteers still required

We are still in search of a few more volunteers to complete our team. If you feel like you could assist with any of the roles below or wish to see what they entail, please get in touch.

Matchday Secretary

Social Media Rep

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