#### PRE-PREP AND PREP



UNDER 8 FOOTBALL FESTIVAL Thursday 21 September, 2023

- 12.45pm Team Manager briefing at Control Tent
- 1.00pm Group matches start
- 3.12pm Second Round matches start
- 3.40pm Plate and Cup Finals
- 3.55pm Awards Ceremony

#### See full draw on next page











Summer Fields Pre-prep is now in its 6<sup>th</sup> year and whilst this football festival has been running for much longer than that, this is always an exciting event in the calendar for the early part of the year. Following the success of last year's festival, we are thrilled to be hosting once again, with an impressive 26 teams. It is always a pleasure to welcome pupils, whether from local schools or those further afield, and we hope that everyone has a great day. Our own Year 3s have been watching these matches since they were in Reception, and they are all more than ready for it to now be their time to compete and enjoy themselves!

The Summer Fields Pre-prep motto is 'Healthy living, happy learning' and we hope that every child here today can embrace this spirit and make the most out of a busy afternoon of fixtures. I am sure that every child taking part today will take pride in representing their school, developing existing skills or acquiring new ones. Most of all, we hope they have lots of fun, whatever the result! We do hope that all of our supporters have a great day as well, and look forward to meeting many of you across the afternoon.

This event always takes a lot of thought and planning and it would not be possible without the hard work of a large group of people to ensure it runs as smoothly as it does. As always, some very detailed planning is required and a particular mention must go to Tom Butler, our Head of PE, who has spent many hours ensuring the tournament structure works and all runs smoothly on the day! Ian Barrett, Bee Millar and Joss Gower have been busy coaching the Summer Fields boys and encouraging them at every step. We must also thank Christine Berry, Sam Skillings and Karen Watterson who have helped with organisation, Anna Clinkard for her very detailed planning behind the scenes, and grounds team for the fantastic pitches, and our catering team for their wonderful lunches and match teas.

A final thank you to all of the staff who have given up their time to help with the refereeing and scoring of the tournament.

Joanna Chapman

Head of Pre-prep

#### SUMMER FIELDS U8 FOOTBALL FESTIVAL

	GROUP A	GROUP B	
	Pitch 1 - 3	Pitch 3 - 4	
1	Papplewick 1	St Margaret's 1	
2	Eaton House The Manor 2	Papplewick 2	
3	Summer Fields 1	Magdalen College 1	
4	Knightsbridge 2	Hatherop Castle 2	
5	Wetherby Kensington Wetherby School		
6	Upton House	Summer Fields 3	
7	Elstree 3		

PITCH	1	2	3	4	
1.00pm	A1 v A2	A3 v A4	B1 v B2	B3 v B4	
1.12pm	A5 v A6	A7 v A1	B5 v B6	B1 v B3	
1.24pm	A2 v A3	A4 v A5	B4 v B6	B2 v B5	
1.36pm	A6 v A7	A1 v A3	B1 v B4	B2 v B6	
1.48pm	A2 v A4	A5 v A7	B3 v B5	B2 v B4	
2.00pm	A6 v A1	A2 v A5			
2.12pm	A3 v A7	A2 v A6	B1 v B5	B3 v B6	
2.24pm	A4 v A1	A3 V A5	B1 v B6	B2 v B3	
2.36pm	A4 v A6	A5 v A1	A2 v A7	B4 v B5	
2.48pm	A4 v A7	A3 v A6			
3.00pm					
3.12pm	Cup: QF 1	Cup: QF 2	Cup: QF 3	Cup: QF 4	
3.26pm	Cup: SF 1	Cup SF 2	Plate: SF 1	Plate: SF 2	
3.40pm	Cup: Final	Plate: Final			
3.55pm	Presentation				

#### THURSDAY 21 SEPTEMBER, 2023

	GROUP C	GROUP D	
	Pitch 5 - 6	Pitch 6 - 8	
1	Eaton House The Manor 1	Elstree 1	
2	Summer Fields 2	St Margaret's 2	
3	Garden House	Hatherop Castle 1	
4	Elstree 2	Magdalen College 2	
5	Knightsbridge 1	Chandlings	
6	Magdalen College 3	Caldicott	
7		Eaton House The Manor 3	

РІТСН	5	6	7	8	
1.00pm	C3 v C4	C1 v C2	D1 v D2	D3 v D4	
1.12pm	C5 v C6	C1 v C3	D5 v D6	D7 v D1	
1.24pm	C4 v C6	C2 v C5	D2 v D3	D4 v D5	
1.36pm	C1 v C4	C2 v C6	D6 v D7	D1 v D3	
1.48pm	C3 v C5	C2 v C4	D2 v D4	D5 v D7	
2.00pm			D6 v D1	D2 v D5	
2.12pm	C1 v C5	C3 v C6	D3 v D7	D2 v D6	
2.24pm	C1 v C6	C2 v C3	D4 v D1	D3 v D5	
2.36pm	C4 v C5	D2 v D7	D4 v D6	D5 v D1	
2.48pm			D4 v D7	D3 v D6	
3.00pm					
3.12pm	Plate: QF 1	Plate: QF 2	Plate: QF 3	Plate: QF 4	
3.26pm					
3.40pm					
3.55pm	Presentation				



Other points to note:

We will run ahead of schedule if possible.

Each Group match will be ONE period of EIGHT minutes (no half time).

Each match in the Knock-out stages will be ONE period of TEN minutes (no half time).

Positions in the group stages will be determined by the following order of preference:

- a) By the team scoring the most points (3 for a win, 1 for a draw)
- b) By the team with the best goal difference
- c) By the team scoring the most goals
- d) By the result of the match between the two teams
- e) By the toss of a coin
- f) The top two from each group go through to the Cup competition
- g) The 3rd and 4th placed teams will go into the Plate Competition

In the knock-out stages, in the event of a draw the team with the most corners will be the winners.

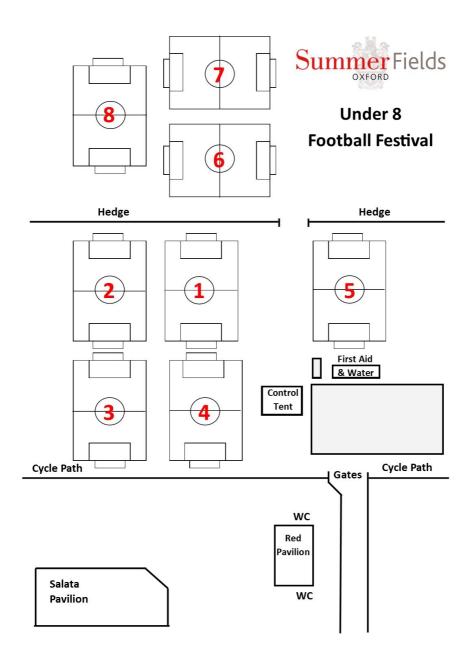
If still a draw, penalty kicks will be taken (5 kicks per team then sudden death).

First Aid facilities and drinks for the players will be available at the pitches throughout the afternoon.

Substitutions may be made whenever the ball goes out of play.

Every team is guaranteed at least five matches which is a total of 40 minutes playing time.

When you arrive, please use the main school entrance where you will be met and shown where to go.



#### PRE-PREP AND PREP



#### **OPEN MORNINGS**

Pre-prep (Reception to Year 3) - Friday 29 September 2023

Prep (Years 4 to 8) - Saturday 30 September 2023

#### **PRE-PREP STAY & PLAY**

Thursday 5 October 2023 9.30am - 10.30am Thursday 30 November 2023 9.30am - 10.30am For parents and boys under 4 to enjoy a taste of Summer Fields and make new friends.

To book a place, please contact our Registrar, Christine Berry Tel: 01865 459204 | admissions@summerfields.com www.summerfields.com