

# LANCASHIRE FA

## COUNTY CUP FINALS 2023

### APRIL 1ST

10am - U16 Girls  
Youth Cup

1pm - U15 Girls  
Youth Cup

4pm - U14 Girls  
Youth Cup



#CountyCupFinals23



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- Coach of the Year - Disability Pathway
- Grounds Team of the Year
- Club of the Year
- League of the Year
- Match official of the Year
- Young Volunteer of the Year
- New Volunteer of the Year
- The Lioness Award
- Positive Football Environment Award

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[Click here to nominate!](#)



# WELCOME!

A very warm welcome to the County Ground in Leyland, the headquarters of Lancashire FA, for today's triple-header of County Cup Finals.

We are delighted to once again be hosting all twenty of the Lancashire FA County Cup Finals for the 2022-23 season. The finals are the culmination of season-long qualifying with the associated grit and determination demonstrated by those who are successful in reaching the final. They are an opportunity to celebrate the strength in depth of football across Lancashire, and to recognise the hard work and dedication of all volunteers and club representatives throughout the season.

I would like to congratulate the 6 teams who have made it through to the three Girls Youth Finals today.

We are grateful to everyone involved with the clubs here today, for devoting time and energy so that our girls football community can continue to thrive, offering girls of all ages the opportunity to benefit from the positives football can bring. I would like to thank all involved for everything they do, and their dedication and support in ensuring football is safe and fun. Without you, grassroots football just would not exist.

Congratulations to all match officials on your appointment at today's finals. We hope you enjoy the experience here today.

Finally, thanks to all spectators and guests today. We hope you enjoy the games and the talent of the future lionesses on the pitch!



**SIMON GERRARD**  
**CEO, LANCASHIRE FA**



# MISS KICK

THE FOOTBALL BRAND & COMMUNITY FOR HER.

## ABOUT US:

In 2018, former player, Grace Vella, believed more needed to be done to inspire girls to get into sport and lead healthy lifestyles. This led to the launch of MISS KICK, a football clothing brand and community that is growing the game for the next generation.

## PRODUCT

We create apparel, sportswear and accessories, enabling her to play football with confidence and without limits.

## COMMUNITY

Through our Community, we provide online and in-person events, competitions and enable girls to make friends with others like them, across the world.

## FOUNDATION

2.5% of every order goes to our charity, Miss Kick Foundation, who provide free opportunities for girls to get into sport.



@misskick



# U16 GIRLS YOUTH CUP



## FLEETWOOD TOWN JUNIORS U16 LIONESSES

Emily Bould Farrah Crainey Katie Willis Emerald Parker Ashaara Bailey  
Ellie Dyas Brooke Mulholland Aimee Sandvig Sophie Horsfall Eva  
Marsden Casey Foster Isabella Healy  
Imogen Best Honor Frith Honey Harrison



### ROUTE TO THE FINAL

#### First Round

Fleetwood Town Juniors 1-0 Wigan Athletic Ladies & Girls U16

Bury FC Foundation 10-0 Cadley U16 Girls

#### Second Round

Bolton Wanderers Girls FC U16 0-3 Fleetwood Town Juniors

Bury FC Foundation v PNE Womens U16  
WALKOVER

#### Quarter-Final

Fleetwood Town Juniors 1-0 Accrington Stanley Women FC U16 Red

Bury FC Foundation 9-0 Morecambe Ladies U16

#### Semi-Final

Fleetwood Town Juniors 1-1 (4-3 on penalties) BFC Women Juniors U16

Bury FC Foundation 3-0 PNE Womens U16s Blue

## BURY FC FOUNDATION U16 TIGERS GIRLS



Nyah Jones Leah Hancock Hannah Murray  
Scarlett Smith Lily Edmondson Chloe Ardin  
Nikita Walsh Amelia Leahy Kallie Weaver

Micha Rushton Ava Elkerton Lexie Livesey Flora Rigby Ocean  
Flanagan Kaycie McVay



# U15 GIRLS YOUTH CUP



## **BOLTON WANDERERS GIRLS FC U15**

Annabelle White Hannah Neasham Hannah Baldwin Jennifer Pike  
Caitlin Clarke Erin Davies Jess Jepson Mia Germano Natalie Ainsworth  
Grace Grundy Nia Wharton Ella Ogunby Emilia Collins Millicent Smith  
Ivy Caraher Millie Leytham Amélie Sharples Emily Culshaw

### **ROUTE TO THE FINAL**

#### **First Round**

Bolton Wanderers Girls - Bye  
Euxton Girls - Bye

#### **Second Round**

Bolton Wanderers Girls 8-0 Wigan Athletic  
Ladies & Girls U15  
Euxton Girls 3-2 Euxton Villa U15 Girls

#### **Quarter-Final**

Bolton Wanderers Girls 25-0  
Blackburn Eagles JFC U15 Girls  
Euxton Girls U15 West 7-3  
Unsworth Junior U15 Lionesses  
Girls

#### **Semi-Final**

Bolton Wanderers Girls  
11-1 Blackpool FC Girls  
U15s Tangerines  
Euxton Girls U15  
West 2-0 Accrington  
Stanley Women FC  
U15 Red



## **EUXTON GIRLS U15 WEST**



Imogen Gill Evie Collier- Banks Jess Goulding  
Lucy Atherton Eve Jenkins Poppy Davies Molly Hayes  
Mollie Briscoe Amber Moore Katie Dearden Grace Riley  
Abi Baybutt Caitlin Hodgson Katie Straughton  
Scarlett Prendergrast Summer Dove Annabelle Edwards  
Lola Ashurst

# U14 GIRLS YOUTH CUP



## WIGAN ATHLETIC LADIES & GIRLS U13

Maddison Robinson Emily Ross Isabella Molyneux Eva Nedugodan  
Danielle Carter Halle Mitchinson Ava Makin Ciara Oldale Indie Griffiths  
Olivia Brannagan Olivia Boner Zuzanna Smolen Iris Bray Grace Doran  
Mia Chapman Maddison Houghton Isabelle Phillips Katie Jones



### ROUTE TO THE FINAL

#### First Round

Wigan Athletic Ladies & Girls - Bye  
Bolton Wanderers Girls- Bye

#### Second Round

Wigan Athletic Ladies & Girls 6-2 Blackpool FC Girls U14s  
Whites

Prestwich Allstars FC U14 Girls 0-12 Bolton  
Wanderers Girls

#### Quarter-Final

Westbury Sports Club U14 Girls Belles 0-5  
Wigan Athletic Ladies & Girls

Bolton Wanderers Girls 3-0 PNE  
Women U14

#### Semi-Final

BFC Women Juniors U14  
2-3 Wigan Athletic Ladies  
& Girls

Wigan Athletic  
Ladies & Girls U14  
0-20 Bolton  
Wanderers Girls

## BOLTON WANDERERS GIRLS FC U14



Matilda Lester Niamh Denyer Evie Mackay Gracie Wolfendale  
Lucy Marsden Rachel McPeak Scarlett Dearden  
Emmanuella Cambell Darcy Fleming Poppy Wallis Elise Lucas  
Summer Jackson Eden Slater Leah Johnson Emily Chadwick



# TODAY'S MATCH OFFICIAL TEAMS

## U16 GIRLS YOUTH CUP

Referee: Callum Heyes  
Assistant Referee: Mark Oldham  
Assistant Referee: Matthew Parkinson  
Fourth Official: Peter Burns



## U15 GIRLS YOUTH CUP

Referee: Ronen Ghosh  
Assistant Referee: Cameron Grundy  
Assistant Referee: Warren Massey  
Fourth Official: Barry Dickinson



## U14 GIRLS YOUTH CUP

Referee: Steven Rider  
Assistant Referee: Ray Sampson  
Assistant Referee: Louie Whelan  
Fourth Official: Josh Poole





# REFEREE COURSES UPDATE:

FA Referee Courses delivered by Lancashire FA will commence prior to the start of the 2023/23 Season. Further information will be announced once details have been finalised.



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# FOOTBALL REBOOTED

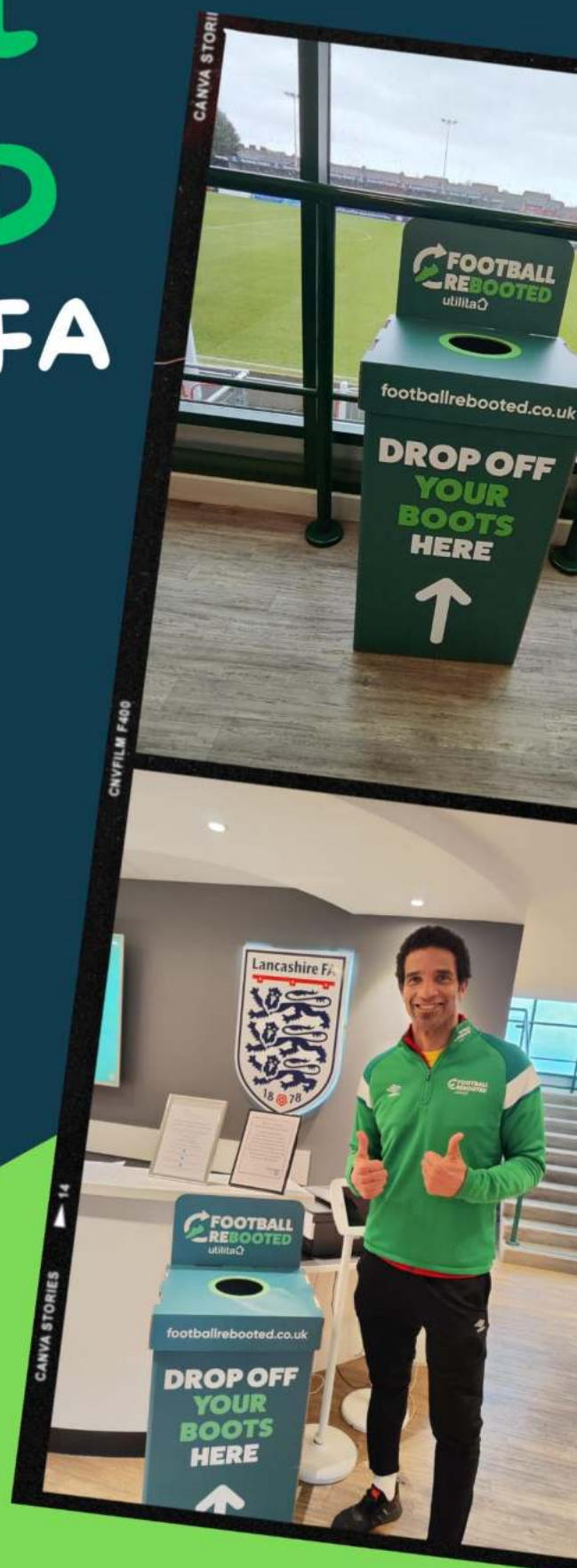
## At Lancashire FA



Do you have unwanted  
football boots you  
don't wear anymore?

Drop them off in our  
Utilita Football  
Rebooted boot box in  
reception.

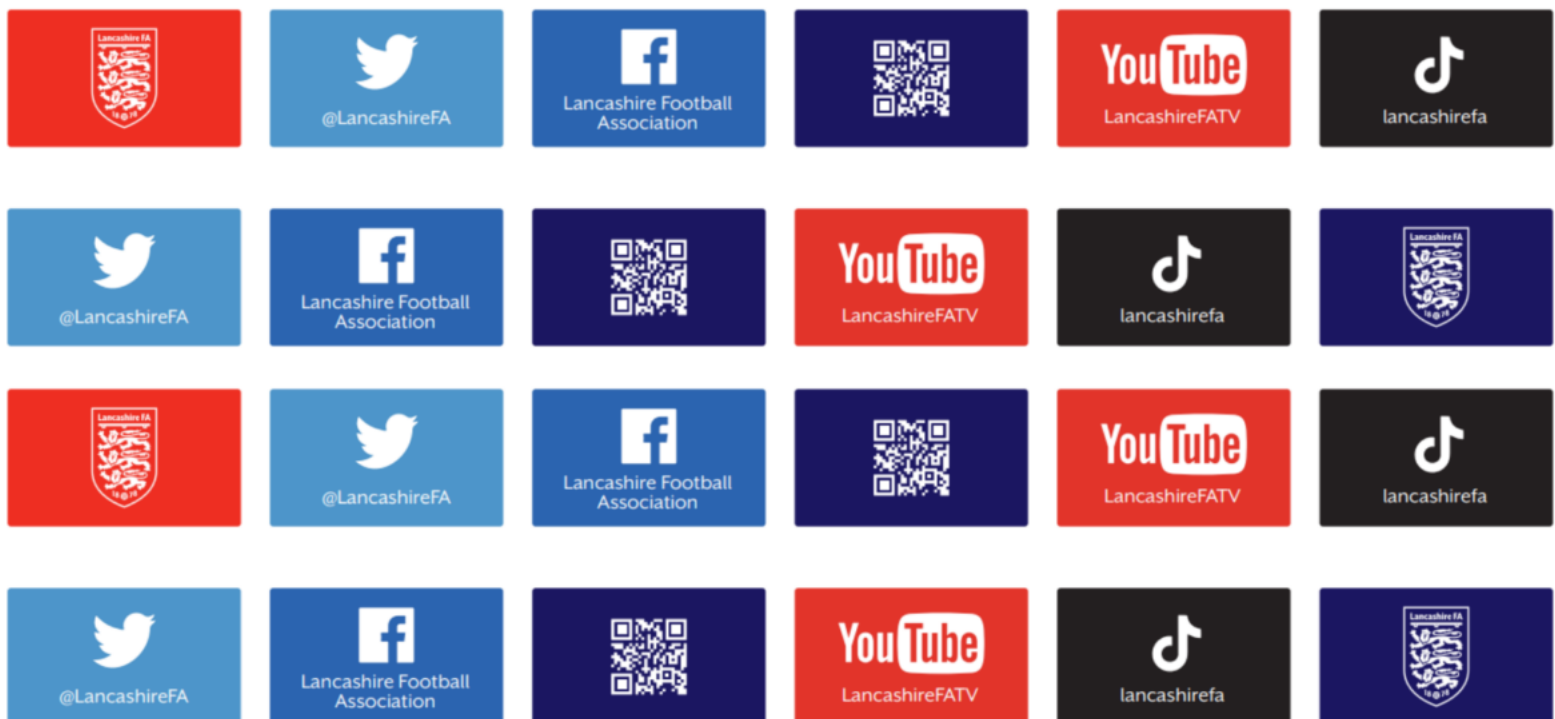
We'll redistribute them  
across the county to  
those in need of a pair.



\*The boot box will be doing a tour of clubs and facilities across Lancashire. Check our social media channels for updates.



**TAG US IN YOUR POSTS TODAY, USE  
#COUNTYCUPFINALS23 AND CHECK  
IN AT THE COUNTY GROUND -  
WE'LL SHARE OUR FAVOURITES!**



# MATCH RECAP - WOMEN'S CHALLENGE CUP FINAL 2023 27/3/23

## BURY FC FOUNDATION WOMEN BLACKPOOL GIRLS + LADIES

Our first County Cup Final took place on Monday evening at the County Ground, with Blackpool Ladies and Girls defeating their opponents Bury FC Foundation Women.

Following a dominant performance throughout the game, which Bury failed to get a proper foothold in despite occasions of promise, the Seasiders won 4-0.





“We have worked extremely hard for this, blood, sweat and tears to get to this final alone. To get a 4-0 win with every player putting their part in, you can't ask for anymore, at all.

"In the first 30 minutes of the game we were on top and the last 15 minutes of the first half we faded back a bit and we got a bit of a telling off in the changing room, and we came back out and we were the better side really." ”

Alice Earnshaw, Blackpool Ladies and Girls



# SAFEGUARDING

-MEET OUR SAFEGUARDING TEAM-



**NEIL YATES**  
**HEAD OF**  
**SAFEGUARDING**

**CHRIS DOHERTY**  
**DESIGNATED**  
**SAFEGUARDING**  
**OFFICER**

Contact [safeguarding@lancashirefa.com](mailto:safeguarding@lancashirefa.com) or call Neil on 01772 954232  
and Chris on 01772 644271

If a child or young person is in immediate danger ALWAYS  
call 999

# NEWS ROUND UP

## DAVID JAMES VISITS LANCASHIRE

Former England goalkeeper David James came to Lancashire last week to speak to some of our grassroots clubs and listen to one of our safeguarding workshops.

Lancashire FA is the only County FA in the country to run an Adults in Junior Football course to challenge parents and coaches to look at their role in youth football.

To read more, visit our website: <https://bit.ly/3L>



## INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY



Lancashire FA released a series of digital content to mark International Women's Day 2023, recognising the contribution of the thousands of women involved in various roles across grassroots football in Lancashire.

Lancashire FA is proud of its commitment to equality and diversity, with a Board of Directors which is 50% female. Similarly, half of Lancashire FA's employees are female. We continue to promote opportunities for women and girls to get involved in the game across the county, guiding them towards participation, coaching, learning and funding options.

To watch our IWD content, including a profile of board member Rachel McQueen, visit our YouTube channel: <https://bit.ly/42Y8IZG>

## RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS DAY DELIVERY TO CARNFORTH RANGERS



Carnforth Rangers were the first club to receive a 'We Only Do Positive Respect' pack for their Random Acts of Kindness Day prize during an U12 Girls training session.

As part of Lancashire FA's ongoing commitment to engage closely with our clubs, Head of Football Delivery Jo Ashworth and Head of Marketing and Communications Helen Summers dropped in to deliver various items of branded training equipment to the club. To read more and watch the video, visit our website: <https://bit.ly/3Z1M>

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# Partnerships

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