

ABOUT STAFFORDSHIRE FA

Founded In 1877, The Staffordshire Football Association Is The Guardian Of Our National Game In The County.

Responsible for efficiently governing and developing the local game, the Staffordshire FA strives to positively influence participation for all in football regardless of age, ability, sex, sexual orientation, race, religion and socioeconomic status.

Our aim is to make a positive difference within football, giving everyone the opportunity to access quality football opportunities and experience to fulfill their potential. We are keen to develop partnerships in order to promote the benefits of football and improve the facilities where football is played.

With over 1,700 teams, 30,000 players and 800 referees, Staffordshire FA is responsible for providing a support structure that enables players, volunteers, coaches and referees to develop individually or as part of a Club or League and most importantly, participate in a safe and enjoyable environment. We are a progressive County FA who celebrate our history and traditions but we do not dwell on them. We are a dynamic, fast moving and evolving organisation which is passionate about our sport and its long term success.







MEET THE TEAM







Adam Evans Chief Executive Officer



Kevin Staples
Head of Delivery



Gareth Thomas Commercial & **Partnerships Lead**



Ash Willis Communications Officer



Joanne Adams Finance Officer



Vicky Collins Senior Regulatory Officer



Jan Scott Designated Safeguarding Officer



John Lilburne Competitions & Memberships Officer



Jake Triggs
Football Participation Officer



Alex Scott Senior Participation & Workforce Lead



Workforce Officer



Chloe Matthews Gemma Machin **E**ovalitu Officer



George Taylor
Regulatory Assistant



Joe Davidson **Apprentice**

VISION, PURPOSE, VALUES & OBJECTIVES



PURPOSE

Providing a safe and inclusive environment where everyone can achieve their football aspirations.

VISIONSupport, Develop, Unite.



VALUES

Insightful, Innovative, Inclusive, Influential, Inspirational.

FOUR STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES:

SUPPORT THE GAME DEVELOP THE GAME UNITE THE GAME

SAFE & INCLUSIVE ENVIRONMENTS FOR THE GAME

STAFFORDSHIRE FA VALUES



The values of the Association are to ensure they meet the business and strategic priorities for the county. These values establish the core at which our staff operate, to support the game across the county and to ensure we put the participant at the heart of what we do.



INSIGHTFUL

Having or showing an accurate and deep understanding.

INNOVATIVE

Introducing new ideas; original and creative thinking.

INCLUSIVE

Open and accessible to all.

INSPIRATIONAL

Providing or showing creative or spiritual inspiration.



AVAILABLE ROLES



Staffordshire Football Association are looking to gain support from representatives of the grassroots game across Staffordshire, to represent a number of key areas and act as a Member of Council for their specialist area.

The Staffordshire FA Council is made up of representatives of the grassroots game across Staffordshire, ensuring that all key areas of the game are fully represented, supported and resourced.

The role of the Council Member is to represent their particular area of the game at council meetings, and working groups where appropriate, providing insight, feedback and support to help their areas grow, and contribute to the overall work that the Staffordshire FA completes.

Available Roles:

- Community England Accredited Clubs Representative
- Disability Player Pathway Representative
- Female Player Pathway Representative
- Female Match Official Representative
- Independent Representative
- Male Player Pathway Representative
- Male Match Official Representative
- Recreational Football Representative
- Women's National League System Representative
- Youth Council Representative

To apply for any of the roles, or to find out more, please email Support@StaffordshireFA.com.

ABOUT THE ROLES



To positively represent your designated area;

- To debate issues, reflecting the views of those whom you represent, but to act in the best interests of The Staffordshire FA
- To accurately and positively disseminate information from Council to all other Staffordshire FA Registered Players in the Disability Pathway (having regard to any confidential information which is provided to you)
- 2. To serve on Boards, committees, sub-committees and working groups:
- To attend meetings of Council and other committees, sub-committees and working groups on which you serve
- To participate constructively in and positively promote the good governance of The Staffordshire FA
- To provide relevant expertise, skill and knowledge
- To contribute to debate and the decision-making process in order to resolve issues and further develop the game
- 3. To act in an ambassadorial role at local events
- To conduct yourself in a manner which preserves the good reputation of The Staffordshire FA
- To avoid situations which are likely to bring yourself and / or The Staffordshire FA into disrepute
- 4. To always act in accordance with the provisions of The Staffordshire FA's Code of Conduct

SKILLS, KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE



The following attributes are desirable for all roles, with additional specific attributes on the following page:

- A broad knowledge of the issues and the aspirations of the body that you represent
- An understanding of the SFA Strategy "Uniting the Knot"
- A sound understanding of the modern game of football in its various forms and of the structures and processes within football
- The ability to clearly and articulately represent the views of those that you represent
- The ability to report back to constituents, either verbally or in writing, in a timely manner that can be easily understood
- The ability to speak, present and network in an ambassadorial role
- The ability to mix with diverse groups of people in a wide variety of situations
- The ability to build and maintain productive working relationships with others (including fellow Council Members, Staffordshire FA Staff and colleagues from across the football family)
- The ability to challenge the present to build the future, whilst always being respectful of the views and the knowledge and experience of others
- The FA's Safeguarding Children Workshop
- The Safequarding for Committee Members Workshop
- A willingness to act in the best interests of The Staffordshire FA without regard to personal interest or benefit

Time Commitment

The level of commitment Council Members are required to make largely depends on the number of committees / working groups to which they are appointed.

As a minimum, Council Members should attend each meeting of Council, of which there are usually 3 per Council year. Meetings are usually on a weekday evening, but the occasional daytime meetings also take place usually at the Staffordshire Football Association Headquarters Dyson Court.

ADDITIONAL ATTRIBUTES



Community England Accredited Clubs Representative

• To hold a position on the Committee of a Staffordshire FA Accredited Club

Disability Player Pathway Representative

• To be a Staffordshire FA Registered Player within the Disability Pathway

Female Player Pathway Representative

• To be a Staffordshire FA Registered Player with a Staffordshire FA Affiliated Club

Female Match Official Representative

• To be a Staffordshire FA Registered Female Referee

Independent Representative

• To hold a position within Staffordshire Football

Male Player Pathway Representative

• To be a Staffordshire FA Registered Player

Male Match Official Representative

• To be a Staffordshire FA Registered Referee

Recreational Football Representative

• To hold a position as an administrator, player or match official on an affiliated Staffordshire FA Recreational League

Women's National League System Representative

• To hold a position on the Committee of a Staffordshire FA affiliated Club playing in the Womens National League System

Youth Council Representative

• To hold a position on the Staffordshire FA Youth Council

Closing date: 25th of November

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