



County Scout section 5-A-Side Football Competition 2023

- **Sunday 19th November 2023 – 2pm to 5pm (arrive by 1.40pm).**
- **Eccles College, Chatsworth Road, Eccles M30 9FJ**
- **Entry £25 per team payable to County Treasurer prior to event.**
- **Scouts must be of scout section age at the time of the competition.**
- **Each team to be accompanied by a leader.**
- **Troops are responsible for organising their own permission forms to include photo permission.**
- **Shin Pads must be worn.**
- **This is an outdoor venue on artificial grass and there are vending machines on-site.**
- **Matches will be 10 minutes in length, with no half time.**
- **Matches will be 5-a-side, with an unlimited squad, with rolling substitutions so squad can be bigger.**
- **Start time is 14:00 prompt.**
- **Centre kicks will be used for the start, and re-start (following a goal) of games.**
- **Corners will be played as usual.**
- **Throw-ins or roll-ins are allowed, but no kick-ins.**
- **All players are allowed to enter the goal area, with goals scored from anywhere including inside the goal area.**
- **Goalkeepers can come out of their areas to clear the ball.**
- **Goalkeepers are allowed to kick out of their hands, use a foot pass or throw/roll to pass.**
- **The ball is allowed to go ‘overhead height’ as in mainstream 11-a-side football.**
- **All free kicks to be ‘direct’.**
- **Opposition players should not be closer than 2 metres to the ball when a free kick is being taken.**
- **There are no off-sides.**
- **Appropriate footwear to be worn at all times.**
- **No metal studs to be worn on the 3G pitch.**
- **No jewellery to be worn.**
- **To enter your team, follow the on-line link via the GMW Website.**

Closing date for Entries – Monday 13th November 2023 at 8pm.