

## **Press Release**

Newtyle United Youth Football Club – Festival of Football

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### **For Immediate Release**

To celebrate the second anniversary of Newtyle United Youth Football Club the club are hosting a Festival of Football at Newtyle Park on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August. There will be a range of football games featuring all Newtyle United age groups, visiting local clubs, both Dundee FC and Dundee United youth academies will be represented and a range of stalls and other non-footballing activities will be present including a bouncy castle, face painting, raffles and a BBQ. The day is open to all and there is no entry charge. Newtyle United is very much a community club and we welcome the local communities to come along and support the stars of the future.

Newtyle United Youth Football Club was founded just 2 years ago in the summer of 2013 and since then has grown into vibrant and successful organisation that is attracting children from 4 to 10 years old from across Angus, Perthshire and from Dundee. We currently have over 60 children as members and provide them with a weekly Saturday Soccer School plus additional training and matches for our Under 10's team or training and games for our younger competitive teams. We work in partnership with Box Soccer and Coerver Training to supplement our own coaches and to provide the very best external training. The club has 5 teams across our age groups from those born in 2005 through to our youngest for children born in 2010. Each year we take on a new group of children and expand our coaching team to ensure we provide them with the best opportunities. We have a development system that takes children from their early touches through 4V4 and 5V5 games to 7-a-side league games. To support this development the club has a team manager for each age group and dedicated coaches, who are all SFA trained and the club itself is an SFA Quality Mark and an Angus Council Gold level club.

The Club has recently taken ownership of the changing rooms at Newtyle Park and have undertaken renovation and upgrading work to ensure that they are safe, fit for purpose, suitably mark the footballing heritage of the village and will provide the children a high quality facility that matches our aspirations for the club. We would like to place on record our thanks to all the local businesses and individuals who have helped so much over the last couple of years by supporting our efforts, the donation of materials, sponsorship, help, assistance and encouragement are all very much appreciated. We believe the club is also contributing to the community of Newtyle by providing facilities for this and future generations of children and that by attracting players, parents and visiting teams from around the area into the village we can support our local traders and businesses.

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