



## **HAMM Exchange Trip – Bingley Juniors Under 15's 2023 - SUPPORT NEEDED**

Bingley Juniors are currently organising our **first exchange since Covid -19 to Hamm in Germany**, taking 19 players and 4 coaches and we need your support! We will be travelling on the 25th May 2023, returning on the 29<sup>th</sup> May 2023.

**Due to the rising travel costs we are looking for support from our local businesses or individuals who feel they could help support this fantastic event.**

**We can offer sponsorship packages in return for publicity opportunities to our 1500 plus club members & our social media outlets.**

For those of you who are not familiar with this tradition Bingley Juniors forged links with Hamm since the start of the tournament which began in the 1980's due to the City of Bradford being twinned with Hamm. It is a great experience for all the players involved, with many of our coaches also having experienced this when they were children. As part of exchange we will be competing in the annual **Bradford City fire memorial tournament held at Marley at Easter 2023** with our Hamm friends staying with our players families. This is then reversed in May when our players travel to Germany to be hosted with the Hamm players families - our players even get to spend a day being taught in a German school!

Bingley Juniors is a grassroots club with over 40 teams competing every weekend from under 5 to our senior side, we currently have close to 500 players and more than 1500 local members making us one of the largest sports clubs in West Yorkshire. **Therefore we can provide a real opportunity for return on sponsorship.**

**To support this exchange, and as part of a challenge for our Under 15's we aim to seek sponsorship/donations such as:-**

1. Financial support towards travel costs which have more than doubled since 2018 when we last went.
2. Provide equipment for the trip such as club tracksuits, training shirts, polo shirts and kit bags, etc. We wear a distinctive black and red kit and there is space for sponsorship on all kit.
3. Sponsorship(s) of our Easter Tournament & Race Night (Easter Sunday)
4. Donate raffle prizes

As a voluntary run FA chartered standard club, we appreciate any sponsorship/donations big or small. **We would be proud to wear your logo on all our leisure wear for the trip to Germany and for the boys to wear in future seasons.** We will publicise sponsorship and donations (if requested) at the Easter Tournament and on our website/Facebook pages, and the exchange is covered by the local press. The Team will be working hard on generating their own funds through car washes, raffles, fundraising at games, etc. We are aiming to raise £4,000 towards the trip.

Thanks in advance for your support. If you would like any further information please don't hesitate to contact me by email or mobile

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