

Soccer School update

The last couple of weeks have been great with soccer school returning after the school holidays. We're trying to make the experience the best that it can be for the players and would appreciate your help with this.

Arrival and exit

Use the main entrance to the building at Albyn Park to come and go, the red gate is no longer being used 🚫.

On arrival, the players can go directly to the pitch, with parents registering them at reception. We don't need the players to wait while this is happening. So the player goes to the pitch, parent registers at reception.

🔙 🔚 When the session is finished, depart via the building (the same way as you came in).

🚶 Please stay off the road as best you can and use the pavement. The car park can be busy and if reversing out visibility is reduced, therefore for everyone's safety we recommend to reverse park on arrival.

🚗 If the Albyn Park car park is full please use alternative parking at the public car parks at
▶️ **Stewartfield Park** (via Church Street) and
▶️ **off Greendykes Road** (on the right just before the pelican crossing beside the old bingo hall). Both are short walks to Albyn Park.

⚠️ BUSC has recently received complaints regarding parking at Buchan Park Bowling Club and residents of inappropriate parking on pavements, grass verges, double parking and inappropriate use of the disabled parking spaces. All are unacceptable and if these continue will cause problems everyone problems, so please park appropriately and show your child positive behaviours.

In summary, please:


- 🔙 🔚 Arrive and depart via the building
- ▶️ Use the car parking at **Albyn Park, Stewartfield Park** or **off Greendykes Road**
- 🚗 Reverse park to give you the best visibility entering and exiting
- 🚶 Walk on the pavement (not the road)
- ⚽ Players go directly to the pitch, and parent registers at the reception

Alternative arrangements


👉 Our expectation is you are collecting your child from the building. If you have other arrangements, for example meeting in the car park, please ensure your child is aware of this and knows that if you are not there (you might be running late, can't find a space) that they return to Albyn Park and make staff aware.

💬 If you have other arrangements with your child, we will try to challenge them before leaving Albyn Park and remind them to return to the building if you are not there. However; please have the conversation with them so you and they are clear on the arrangements and they know what to do if you are not there.


Watching the session

 Please come and watch the session at Albyn Park. If you are, please stay back from the pitch and use the stand to observe from there. Cafe facilities will be open for your use and can take cash and card.

This allows the session to run smoothly and without external influence on the pitch area. This helps the players know you are there in the background, they will enjoy the activity and focus on the coach's voice.

 You are not there to tell the boys and girls what to do.

 Let the coach do the coaching, after all that's what they are there to do.

 By all means, if you want to be involved and be pitch side see Marc at reception during the session or speak to one of the coaches after. We do need support across a number of roles, see here for details.