



Bury Rugby Union Football Club

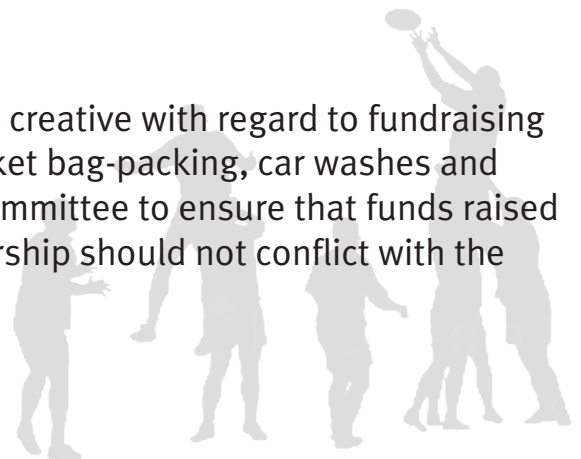
Policy for Junior Tours

General Objectives

- 1) The intention of the Rugby Committee is that every boy will have the opportunity to participate in two junior rugby tours during his time at the club. Ideally, these will take place at the under 12 and under 15 level but this may be varied depending on the factors prevalent at the time. The committee will approve tour locations and will expect the age level coaches to present a simple cost statement to them. Generally, the coaches will lead the planning of the individual tour in all aspects and report to the committee at regular intervals, but the proposed philosophy will be that the while club supports the junior tour programme.
- 2) The age level coaches will need the support of parents both in the planning stages and on the tour. The personnel involved will need to be identified at an early stage, and certainly in the season before the tour takes place.

Finance

- 1) The cost statement should provide an estimate of costs and income. A minimum cost to be paid by each participant will be set having regard to the location and length of the tour. The difference will be made up by fund raising and sponsorship. All monies collected will be passed to the Club Treasurer at the earliest opportunity and will be placed in the Club's bank account. Invoices for payment will be presented to and settled by the Treasurer.
- 2) Coaches and parents will be encouraged to be creative with regard to fundraising and sponsorship. Opportunities for supermarket bag-packing, car washes and similar events will be arranged through the Committee to ensure that funds raised contribute to all of the planned tours. Sponsorship should not conflict with the on-going Club Sponsorship programme.





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- 3) It is proposed to create a Junior Tour Fund whereby parents, grandparents, etc., can make regular payments into the fund and be eligible to win a regular monthly cash prize. Payments of £ per calendar month are proposed and will be collected by direct debit. All the money so raised will be put towards the junior tour programme.
- 4) The committee will ensure that appropriate insurance is in place for every tour.

Other Matters

- 1) Any items of playing kit or clothing for the tour must be purchased through the Club Shop. An appropriate length of time must be allowed to procure the items.

