



# COVE BOYS CLUB



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**In accordance with the SFA Player Pathway the 2003 age group progress to 7v7 matches. We now have two teams in the 7v7 fixtures list which is a trophy free format played on a smaller pitch with smaller goals.** The rules are tailored to keep the game flowing and concentrate on playing the game in the right spirit. It encourages the players to play with skill and get as many touches of the ball as possible. One of the team's first games fell foul to weather against Colony Legends but they managed to play them the following week. It was a good game that was enjoyed by players, coaches and parents We had a home game against Peterhead which turned into a great game of football with Cove playing really well and just coming out in front. The Coaches were very pleased with the application and enthusiasm shown on the pitch and even more so seeing some of the hard work from the training ground manifesting itself in the game from both teams is very encouraging.

*If you were born in 2003 we are looking to recruit goalkeepers if interested please contact Brian Johnston, 2003 coach on **01224 895250**.*

The 15's team are having a great run just now, they are sitting second in their league and have also had a great run in the main age group cup which have seen them beating off Huntly, Colony then a semi-final match with Newmacher. Due to injuries Cove were down to 10 outfield players and 2 goalkeepers for the semi-final but with two goals by Arron Nicol and a stunning long range strike from Liam Burnett they sealed their semi-final victory and ensured for the first time the squad reach a Cup Final. Reaching a cup final is a great achievement and we wish the team Good Luck.

*The 15's will also be flying the flag for Cove BC in a tournament in Southport in April and the entire club would like to thank Rainbow City Taxis and Central Coaches for sponsoring the 26 strong travelling party trip down to Southport.*

Jim Tole of our 8's (2004s) age group is after 4 successful years of running the Baker 10k in full fire gear and breathing apparatus (with a dummy onboard last year!) is setting a new challenge which is to complete the London Marathon with full fire gear and breathing apparatus on! All in aid of the "Archie Foundation" and "Cash for Kids". <http://www.justgiving.com/teams/jamestole> to support Jim and this great charities.