

SITTINGBOURNE YOUTH FIXTURES 2018/19 (25-Aug-18)

	Date	Mini	U12	U13	U15	U16	U17
1	02-Sep-18	Training	H Training	H Training	H Training	H Training	H Training
2	09-Sep-18	Training	H Training	H Training	H Training	Dover	A Kent 10s TBC
3	16-Sep-18	Training	H Training	H Ash	H Ash	Medway training	TBA Kent League 1
4	23-Sep-18	Training	H Canterbury	H Canterbury	H Sevenoaks KC1	Kent Cup	Kent League 2
5	30-Sep-18	Whitstable	A Dartfordians	H Dartfordians	H Turbridge Wells KC	H Kent Cup	H Kent League 3
6	07-Oct-18	Anchorians training	H Thanet	A Thanet	H Thanet	H Thanet	H Kent League 3
7	14-Oct-18	EK Tournaments	A Deal	A Deal	H Canterbury	H Canterbury	A Kent League 3
8	21-Oct-18	Deal	A Deal	A Deal	H Deal	H Deal	A Kent League 3
9	28-Oct-18	Training	H Medway	H Medway	A Medway	H Folkestone	H Kent League 4
10	04-Nov-18	Canterbury Festival	A Folkestone	A Folkestone	A Folkestone	H Sidcup	H Kent League 4
11	11-Nov-18	Training/Remembrance Sunday	H Training	H Training	Beckenham KC3	Kent Cup	Kent League 5
12	18-Nov-18	Thanet	H Gravesend	A Gravesend	Kent Cup 4	Kent Cup	Kent League 5
13	25-Nov-18	Ash	A Ash	H Ash	H Cranbrook	A Anchorians	A Kent League 6
14	02-Dec-18	Dover	H Dover	H Dover	H Cranbrook	A Anchorians	A Kent League 6
15	09-Dec-18	Canterbury	H Anchorians	A Anchorians	A Ashford KC5	H Kent Cup	Kent League 7
16	16-Dec-18	Christmas Party	H Kent Waterfall	Kent Waterfall			
17	23-Dec-18	CHRISTMAS					
18	30-Dec-18	NEW YEAR					
19	06-Jan-19	Training	H Whitstable	H Whitstable	H Whitstable	A Whitstable	A Kent League 8
20	13-Jan-19	Thanet	A Kent Waterfall Res	Kent Waterfall Res	Kent Cup (reserve)	Kent Cup	Kent League 8
21	20-Jan-19	Folkestone	A Folkestone	A Folkestone	Folkestone	H Dover	H Kent League 9
22	27-Jan-19	Ash	H Ash	A Ash	A Ash	H Gravesend	A Kent League 10
23	03-Feb-19	Ashford	H Medway	A Medway	H Tonbridge Judds	H Gravesend	Kent League res
24	10-Feb-19	Canterbury	A Kent Waterfall	Kent Waterfall	Kent Cup QF	Kent Cup	Kent QF
25	17-Feb-19	Deal	H Deal	H Deal	Deal	A Medway	H Kent QF
26	24-Feb-19	Dover	A Thanet	H Thanet	H Thanet	A Thanet	A Kent SF
27	03-Mar-19	Whitstable	H Whitstable	H Whitstable	Kent Cup SF	Kent Cup	Kent SF
28	10-Mar-19	Training (Mother's Day)	H Training	H Training	Tonbridge Judds	Tonbridge Judds	H Kent SF
29	17-Mar-19	E K Festival	A Dover	A Dover	Folkestone	A Folkestone	A Kent Finals
30	24-Mar-19	Folkestone	H Folkestone	H Folkestone	Whitstable	H Folkestone	Kent Finals
31	31-Mar-19	Training/Mother's Day	H Anchorians	H Anchorians	H Old Colfeians	A Anchorians	H Kent Finals
32	07-Apr-19	Training	H Kent Waterfall	Kent Waterfall	Kent Cup Final	Kent Cup	Kent Finals
33	14-Apr-19	Training	H Training	H Training			
34	21-Apr-19	EASTER(Ashford?)	A EASTER	EASTER	EASTER	EASTER	EASTER
35	28-Apr-19	Training	H Training	Kent Severns	Kent Severns	Kent Severns	Kent Severns
EK	Tournaments 14-Oct-18;		U7 Whitstable; U8 Ashford; U9 Canterbury; U10 Folkestone; U11 Ash				



S.R.U.F.C. Youth Newsletter

WELCOME

Welcome to the new 2018/19 rugby season! This season we are running squads at U6/7, U8, U9, U10, U11, U12, U13, U14, U15, U16 and U17. The U14's will be playing as Sittingbourne and Sheppey SAS.

REGISTRATION

As previously we are combining registration with Gore Court Cricket Club (GCCC) and Youth Rugby subs into a **single payment**. The form is included with this Newsletter or may be downloaded from the website.

All players and coaches must be registered with **GCCC**, providing for maintenance of Clubhouse and grounds. Rates for 2018/19 have been held at the same as last season.

The **Youth Rugby Subscription** is also the same as last season at £54. As U6's do not play matches or competitions, their subs are held at £14. The subscriptions are our main source of income. They fund purchase of coaching and playing equipment including match shirts, training of coaches in coaching, refereeing, safeguarding, first aid, etc., entrance to tournaments, presentation awards and the many other activities that are vital for continued running of a successful club. As such the subscription is amazingly good value.

Payment is by cash, cheque or bank transfer. Please give the Registration Form and payment to your coach as soon as possible and by the 31 October 2018 at the very latest. Registered players are covered by the RFU Compulsory Insurance Policy (Death & Total Permanent Disability). Players who are not registered by this date will not be allowed to play for the Club.

As part of our commitment to **Equity in the Club** we will do all we can to avoid players not being able to play for financial reasons. If you have any problem paying subs, please discuss with your coach in full confidentiality.



SAFEGUARDING AND OTHER CLUB POLICIES

The Club Registration Form has a **Declaration** to be signed by parent/guardian and player. This covers key issues such as good parental/spectator behaviour and support, photography, social media, travel, and medical permission.

This year the Declaration also covers the **General Data Protection Register (GDPR)**. The Club Policies, including the Club Privacy Policy, are available on the Junior website. Please take time to read this Declaration.

The Club takes safeguarding very seriously. All coaches are DBS checked and have attended RFU Rugby Ready and Play-it-Safe safeguarding courses. The **Club Safeguarding Officer** is Paul Chell who may be contacted on dedicated phone 07899263449 or at srfusafeguarding@yahoo.com.

KIT

Match shirts are provided by the Club and players are expected to provide shorts, socks, boots and appropriate kit for training.

The official kit supplier to the Club is **Gilbert**. We are negotiating with Gilbert to order kit directly on-line and this should be up and running soon.

FIXTURES

The **Fixture Card for 2018/19** is at the back of this Newsletter. This is subject to changes during the season and the most up-to-date fixture lists will always be on the Club websites.

WEBSITE

The Club Pitchero website is at www.sruvc.com with link to Junior site at <http://juniors.sruvc.com>. The website is the place to go for the most up-to-date fixtures, contact details of coaches and Committee members, registration forms, Club policies, a calendar of events and all the latest news. We are working on combining the two websites and this will have the same main address.

VOLUNTEERS

The Club is staffed entirely by volunteers, including all the coaches and their assistants and a hard-working Committee. **We are always looking for new recruits and please let us know if you would like to help in any way.**

- For **coaches and referees** the Club will pay for the necessary courses arranged by the RFU at local venues. We would particularly like to start a Girls'/Women's section at the Club.
- **The Committee** is vital for the continued running of a successful Club and there are many roles available.
- Apart from official roles, please support your coaches in **organising match days** and **catering for visiting teams** to make the Club proud.
- If you have an idea for running a **social event** then we will be glad to help make it happen.

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