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Four sets of Junior League Champions!

What a fantastic way to celebrate our 20th Anniversary with all four junior teams winning either their League or their Cup competition!

All those involved will know what happened in their particular Cup Final games with over 30 members playing in at least one of the Finals.

For pure drama, the highlight of the playoffs was the under-12s first win of the season over Hawarden, proving that the place to do it is in the Final.

However, that shouldn't take any shine from the under-14s and under-16s, who both confirmed their late season supremacy by beating their League winners (Whitby and St Gerard's respectively); each for the second time in recent weeks.

The under-18s dominated the League, winning all games by at least 11 points and the Cup Final would have been different if Clayton or Trevor had been around to coach from the sideline.

Presentation Night, Friday 26th June

This year's venue is **Bromborough Social Club, 1 Legion Lane, just off Allport Lane Precinct.** This will be known to many as Bromborough Legion. There is a large car park adjacent and - if you don't want to drive – a taxi office next door. We had to move venues due to our growing membership, as we have had 60 Standing Order payers for several months this year.

We hope everyone can turn up to celebrate our great successes on the court this season, but also those who have been successful in basketball-related courses. We will celebrate:

- **Three team awards per age group**
- Club awards: **Bulldog of the Year, Best Attendance and Most Fun**
- The first inductions into the **Bulldogs Hall of Fame.**
- Tombola
- Raffle

There will also be the club shop “fire sale” (see below).

To celebrate our 20th Anniversary we've invited some of our former members to come along and join the party. Some will be inducted into the Bulldogs Hall of Fame, which will celebrate those people who have either done great things at Bulldogs or who have done great things in basketball after starting at the Bulldogs.

Everything starts at 7pm. Tickets are £5 for adults, £3 for junior guests and Bulldogs are free. Please book your tickets with Cathy at training on Mondays.

North Wales League 2013-14: Under 12 League and Cup Winners, Under 14 League Winners, Under 18 League and Cup Winners
Welsh Under 18 Cup Winners, North Wales League 2012-13 Under 18 Champions
North Wales League 2011-12: Under 12 Playoff Winners, Under 18 Champions and Playoff Winners
North Wales League 2009-10 Under 16 Playoff Winners
Wirral League 2006-7 Under-14 Playoff Winners.
Wirral League 2005-6: Under-11 League runners up, Under-14 Playoff Winners, Under-16 play-off runners up.
Wirral Club of the Year 2005
North Wales League 2010-11 Under 16 Playoff Winners
North Wales League 2008-9 Under 16 Champions and Playoff Winners

Please return all kits

Please return all kits on Mondays to Trevor, so that we can sort everything for next season and for any summer games.

The Bulldogs Shop

We are going to have a “fire sale” leading up to and including Presentation Night. As we have had little interest in the shop, we are going to get rid of all items that were donated. This will leave us with an on-line shop selling items that are Bulldogs branded - such as Hoodies, caps, T-shirts, water bottles - plus shorts and basketballs.

The rules of the sale are simple:

- 1) Every item will have a Reserve Price and a Sale Price
- 2) The Reserve Price is the lowest price we will accept. Often it will be £1. If no-one bids the Reserve Price, the item will be sent to a charity shop.
- 3) The Sale Price is the price we will accept in advance . The first person to bid the Sale Price before Presentation Night will get the item at that price.
- 4) All bids will be secret.
- 5) All bids must be in multiples of 50p, so £1, £1.50, £2 etc.
- 6) On Presentation Night members and guests will be able to submit sealed bids for items up to the closing time, at which time the highest bid will be accepted for the item.
- 7) The Reserve Price still counts on Presentation Night, but the Sale Price does not. The highest bid on the night will be accepted.

Photographs of all items on sale will appear on the website before Presentation Night and we will notify by Facebook posts and Tweets that the next lot of photos have been loaded. Facebook Posts and Tweets can be viewed via the Club website.

Tuesday Training from Tuesday 12th May

During the summer Tuesday training will move to Bebington High School. **Under-14s** will train from 7:00–8:30 pm and **Seniors** will train from 8:30–10:00 pm. **Under-16s** will train with the **under-18s** on Mondays from 8:45–10:00 pm. **Under-12s** training and the skills session will continue on Mondays at Bebington High.

Age groups stay as you are until Presentation Night

We hope to organise a couple of games in the next few weeks, so we continue in current age groups until after Presentation Night, when next season's age groups begin training.

From Monday 29th June

Those currently in Year 7 should aim to arrive at 7:30 on a Monday to attend the skills session. They should also join the under-14s training session on Tuesday between 7:00 and 8:30 pm.

Those currently in year 9 should continue to arrive at 7:30 on a Monday, but will join the skills session then train with the under-16s and under-18s. Several members have routinely left before 10pm, so please make sure the coaches know at the start if you have to leave early.

Those currently in year 11 should continue to arrive at 7:30 on a Monday, join the skills session and then train with the under-18s until 10pm. Some will be invited to the Seniors training session on Tuesdays between 8:30 and 10:00pm.