



# PRO TOUCH SOCCER ACADEMY

"THE BRIDGE § EXPERIENCE TO PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALL"

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27th January 2012

Dear Parent(s) & Guardian(s),

## **RE: New Monthly Training Increased Fees 2012 & STANDING ORDER.**

As many will have been aware, the Academy re-structured the organisation coaching and match programmes 2012. From March 2012, the Academy training structure will change as well as the monthly training fees. Currently the Sunday training monthly fees stands at £17.50 or £30 (more than one child).

With our new structure, will be training three times a week on Tuesday, Thursday as well as Sunday Session (a further detailed letter explaining times, location etc will be available).

The new monthly fees will be £40; the break down is as follows.

**Three training sessions per week (4hrs) x 4 weeks (16hrs) = 12 sessions (some months have 5 weeks). 12 sessions divided by £40 = £3.30 per session.**

Our costs for the venue / pitch hire have been increased from January by 25%, which doesn't help anyone including PTSA. We haven't increased our Coaches rates for last two years, with the maximum any coach can be PAID is £25 PER SESSION not PER HOUR!

If your child has a Midweek League match e.g. Tuesday, on the same night as our training evening you will be exempt from paying the £3 subs! This will be taking effect from FRIDAY 24th FEBRUARY 2012.

From September 2012:

We will operate and adapt a new fees policy, where everyone will be expected to pay quarterly (every 3 months) by standing order, however cheque or cash will be welcomed but a (£5 administration charge will be added). This payment will need to be settled last Friday ending every 3 months!

The fees are yet to be decided, due to confirmation of our plans from September 2012 but will be in the region between £170-200. However this will include, all training sessions (excluding school holidays), Midweek and Saturday leagues fees (excluding match subs) and any additional match programmes such as playing against professional clubs.

Please turn over.

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Please amend your STANDING ORDER to £40 or £70 per month if two siblings from family starting FRIDAY 24th FEBRUARY 2012.

If you choose not to set up Standing Order, you must go into your BANK in person and pay by **last Friday of each and every month (this will mean the payment will cover the upcoming month)**.

**Account Name: Pro Touch Soccer Academy**  
**Bank Account Number: 03846482**  
**Sort Code: 20-10-53**

The reference on Standing Order would be your ***child's full name(s)***, and we will check our bank statements first Sunday of each and every month.

**Please make sure the payment arrives into our PTSA Account on time otherwise your child will be excluded from participating in any sessions or matches.**

We are also very excited and pleased to confirm that PTSA will be offering limited part or full scholarship (fees paid) places to those underprivileged, unemployed and on state benefits. This process will be purely managed and based on how highly PTSA thinks of your child's ability but also you meeting our criteria. If you wish to apply, please speak with Mus Turay in private and confidence (any child offered the scholarship will be kept confidential and discreet from Academy Coaches and members).

If any parent(s) wish to offer any donation or fund any scholarship places, please speak directly with myself.

I'll end my letter with the following statements, which I have always believed and built our philosophy around:

"PTSA focus and aim is to provide a pathway to professional clubs for the targeted disadvantaged children and young people who are gifted and talented, and hopefully become professional footballers one day? To this date, this hasn't changed but what has, is the pressure to produce even better skilled and gifted footballers of the highest calibre. Football is like investing in any good potential businesses, well here you're investing in your child future to possibly becoming a professional football or in better terms getting a football degree / education at the highest excellence, I'd like to think we are the Cambridge or Oxford Universities in the footballing world".

If you have any questions or queries, please speak with **Susana Santos** our Academy Finance Officer, her email is [ssantos@protouchsocceracademy.com](mailto:ssantos@protouchsocceracademy.com) or speak in person direct in confidence.

Thank you for your time and co-operation

Yours faithfully,

**Ash Rahman**  
**Academy Director**