

LATEST NEWS



THE BWCI GUERNSEY MINI SOCCER FESTIVAL 2009

Welcome to our first email newsletter which will become a regular feature of the build up over the next four weeks to the eighth annual Guernsey mini soccer festival to be held at the Footes Lane Stadium over the weekend of 18/19 July 2009.

22 June 2009

27 BUSINESSES JOIN SPONSORSHIP CONSORTIUM

The Guernsey FA has had a fantastic response from the local business community to its request to provide financial support to the Festival. Despite the effects of the credit crunch, 27 different local businesses (in addition to headline sponsors the BWCI Group) have pledged support to the event enabling the Festival organisers to once again attract four professional clubs to Guernsey.

The Guernsey FA is very grateful to all of the following sponsors for their generous support in joining its Sponsorship Consortium:-

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9 June 2009

FESTIVAL LAUNCHES FACEBOOK PAGE

The official BWCI Guernsey Mini Soccer Festival Facebook Page is now live. As well as regular updates about the weekend festival, the page also carries photos from previous years' tournaments and will be updated with match results as they happen.

If you're already on the popular social networking site, simply search "The BWCI Guernsey Mini Soccer Festival" and "Become a Fan". If not, registering is quick and easy at www.facebook.com.



1 June 2009

FESTIVAL DRAW MADE

The draw was made at the Guernsey FA's headquarters this week as follows:-

GROUP A – Belgrave Wanderers, Braunton, Everton, Fulham, Grouville, Guernsey Rangers, Guernsey Rovers, St Paul's, St Peter, Sylvans

GROUP B – Finedon Victoria, First Tower Utd, Glasgow Rangers, Northerners, Portsmouth, Rozel Rovers, St Anne's, St Clement, St Martin's, Vale Recreation



29 May 2009

20 CONFIRMED ENTRIES FOR FESTIVAL

Once again, the Guernsey FA has attracted 20 teams to its flagship close season minis tournament, The BWCI Guernsey Mini Soccer Festival, to be held over the weekend of 18 and 19 July 2009. The full list of teams is:-

Belgrave Wanderers FC, Braunton FC, Everton FC, Finedon Victoria JFC, First Tower United FC, Fulham FC, Glasgow Rangers FC, Grouville FC, Guernsey Rangers FC, Guernsey Rovers AC, Northerners AC, Portsmouth FC, Rozel Rovers FC, St Anne's School Alderney, St Clement SC, St Martin's AC, St Paul's FC, St Peter FC, Sylvans SC, Vale Recreation FC



11 May 2009

POMPEY AND THE COTTAGERS ENTER FESTIVAL

The Guernsey FA confirmed today that Portsmouth and Fulham will visit Guernsey in July to enter the BWCI Guernsey Mini Soccer Festival for the first time. Under 9 teams from their academies will join fellow professional clubs Everton and Glasgow Rangers in taking on the best of Guernsey and Jersey's under 10 minis in this year's festival



24 March 2009

LAST YEAR'S FINALISTS TO RETURN

The finalists in the 2008 BWCI Shield, Everton and Glasgow Rangers, have both confirmed that they will be returning to Guernsey again for this year's Festival with under 9 teams from their academies. Last year, they fought out a goalless draw in the final before Everton won the resulting penalty shoot-out 3-2 to retain the BWCI Shield



24 March 2009

BWCI EXTENDS FESTIVAL SPONSORSHIP FOR THIRD YEAR

The Guernsey Football Association is delighted to announce that local firm of actuaries and consultants BWCI has extended its headline sponsorship of the Guernsey Mini Soccer Festival for a third year.

The hugely popular summer event is now in its eighth year and this year will take place over the weekend of Saturday 18 and Sunday 19 July at Footes Lane and the Memorial Field.

The BWCI Guernsey Mini Soccer Festival is open to boys and girls aged 10 and under and attracts junior football teams from the UK and Jersey, including academy teams from English and Scottish Premier League professional clubs, to join Guernsey's local clubs in a friendly but nonetheless competitive weekend tournament



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