

POOL A.F.C.

FIXTURES –AUGUST 2017

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Day	Month	Date	Opponents	Competition	Kick Off
Saturday	August	12th	Beeston St.Anthony,s (A)	League	2-30
Wednesday	August	16th	Ilkley Town (H)	League	6-30
Saturday	August	19th	Leeds City (H)	League	2-30
Wednesday	August	23rd	Sherburn White Rose (A)	League	7-30
Saturday	August	26th	Huddersfield Amateur (A)	League	2-30
Wednesday	August	30th	Knareborough Town (A)	League	7-30

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Monday	August	14th	Leeds Modernians Res. (H)	League	6-30
Saturday	August	19th	Oxenhope Recreation res. (A)	League	2-30
Monday	August	21st	Headingley Res. (A)	League	6-30
Saturday	August	26th	Huddersfield Amateur Res. (H)	League	2-30
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'A' Team

Saturday	August	19th	Thirsk Falcons Res. (H)	League	2-30 ?? (3-00)
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Welcome to our 50th season as Pool AFC, the old Pool St. Wilfreds team folding in 1963, with Pool AFC forming on July 12th 1968.

We will be celebrating our 50th next July, so keep a look out for full details of our plans.

We go into another season in a positive way following our good efforts last year with further league consolidation and a couple of cup runs the minimum target. The “A” team in particular are in for an interesting season, the Harrogate league now reduced to two divisions leaving us in a sixteen team division 1 including a number of clubs first elevens.

It is good to see all three open age teams with much the same management teams, welcoming Nigel firth back to Pool to assist Jordy and Matty White with the reserves, and Adam Dean back from his travels around the world. It is also good to see our older junior players now breaking into the senior sides.

Our junior section have unfortunately had to lose under 9 and under 13, joining forces with under 10 and under 14 respectively, due to player numbers as they go from 5-a-side to 7-a-side, and 7-a-side to 9-a-side. This still however leaves us with seven teams, and a continuing strong management teams.

NOTE : Our under 17 team are entered into the Harrogate league, but urgently need a manager/coach. Please get back to me ASAP if you can help.

It is certainly an interesting time for club secretaries as all registrations now go on line via the FA Whole Game System. This also applies to Adam, sorting the “A” team for me, and our junior managers and assistants, their work being much appreciated as they cope with the various teething problems of the new system.

The FA tell us it will be the bees knees once fully up and running?? Roll on, I say.

Latest Bonanza winners : £70 Caroline Cryer, £30 Jonathan Flynn

A plug for the PSSC (Pool Sports and Social Club) in the form of a reminder that the club is available for functions, free of charge to members. Simply confirm your details with Dawn at the bar.

So let us all have a great, successful, but most important, enjoyable season here at your club, Pool AFC.

Finally, it is with great sadness that I inform you of the passing of one of our longest supporters, Roland Morris, a regular on the touchline for all home matches for as long as I can remember. Our thoughts are with his family at this difficult time.