



Ballymun United Football Club Ltd

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GROUND REGULATIONS

Notice:

Entry to the Ground is expressly subject to acceptance by the visitor/user of these Ground Regulations and the rules and regulations of FIFA, UEFA, The Football Association of Ireland, The Airtricity National League, The Athletic Union League, Dublin. The Ground Regulations incorporate the Club's Customer Charter. Entry to the Ground shall constitute acceptance of the Ground Regulations.

- “Ground”** means this football stadium and all locations owned, occupied or utilised by the Club, or other grounds within the perimeter of Ballymun United Soccer Complex.
- “Club”** means this football club.
- “Match”** means any association football match taking place at the Ground.

1. Permission to enter or to remain within the Ground (notwithstanding possession of any ticket) is at the absolute discretion of the Club, any Garda officer or authorized steward. On no account will admission be granted to a person who is the subject of a current Banning Order either at local or national level. Users of the Council pitch will vacate the grounds immediately after their Match has ended, to allow the club to close all gates and charge an entrance fee.
2. The Club excludes to the maximum extent permitted by law any liability for loss, injury or damage to persons/property in or around the Ground.
 - 2.1 Car Park;** The owners of the car park accept NO liability for the safe custody of any vehicles parked therein of any accessories or any articles therein or for any loss of or damage to the same howsoever caused. Pedestrians using the car park or surrounding areas do so entirely at their own risk.
 - 2.2 Astro Pitch:** The Owners **DO NOT** accept any liability for any injury loss or damage to persons using the Astro Pitch(s) howsoever caused, or for the loss of or damage to personal belongings.
 - 2.3 Lift :** In the event of an emergency clubhouse occupants will leave by the stairs only-**DO NOT** use the lift.

- 2.4 Attenuation Area:** is **STRICTLY** out of bound to all ground users and parents /guardians are asked to keep their children away from this area and to obey the signs posted, if a ball ends up in this area then please notify the grounds person on duty.
3. No guarantees can be given by the Club that a Match will take place at a particular time or on a particular date and the Club reserves the right to reschedule the Match without notice and without any liability whatsoever.
 4. In the event of the postponement or abandonment of the Match, refunds (if any) will be made in accordance with the Club's Customer Charter. The Club will have no further liability whatsoever, including (but not limited to) any indirect or consequential loss or damage, such as (but not limited to) loss of enjoyment or travel costs. The club reserves the right to close of access to other ground user's on the day of a National or Provincial Cup competition, where an entrance fee will be charged.
 5. All persons seeking entrance to the Ground acknowledge the Club's right to search any person entering the Ground and to refuse entry to or eject from the Ground any person refusing to submit to such a search.
 6. The following articles must not be brought into the Ground – knives, fireworks, smoke canisters, air-horns, flares, weapons, dangerous or hazardous items, laser devices, bottles, alcohol or drugs, glass vessels, cans, poles and any article that might be used as a weapon and/or compromise public safety. Any person in possession of such items will be refused entry to the Ground. Any person caught drinking on the side of the pitches or on any open space within the grounds will be banned from future entry.
 7. The use of threatening behaviour, foul or abusive language is strictly forbidden and will result in arrest and/or ejection from the Ground. The Club may impose a ban for one or more Matches.
 - 7.1 Racial abuse, chanting or harassment is strictly forbidden and will result in arrest and/or ejection from the Ground. The Club may impose a ban for life for the following offences
 - 7.2 The throwing of any object within the Ground without lawful authority or excuse.
 - 7.2.1 The chanting of anything of an indecent or racist nature.
 - 7.2.2 The entry onto the playing area or any adjacent area to which spectators are not generally admitted without lawful authority or excuse.
 8. All persons entering the Ground may only occupy the seat allocated to them by their ticket and must not move from any one part of the Ground to another without the express permission or instruction of any steward, officer of the Club and/or any Garda officer. (Applicable when seating is installed)
 9. Nobody may stand in any seating area whilst play is in progress. Persistent standing in seated areas whilst play is in progress is strictly forbidden and may result in ejection from the Ground.

10. The obstruction of gangways, access ways, exits and entrances, stairways and like places is strictly forbidden. Nobody entering the Ground shall be permitted to climb any structures within the Ground.
 - 10.1** Smoking in No-Smoking areas is strictly forbidden.
 - 10.2** No Dogs allowed except Dogs for the Blind
11. Mobile telephones are permitted within the Ground, provided that they are used for personal and private use only.
12. Under the Control of Alcohol Act the following are offences which will be notified to Gardai:
 - 12.1** Attempting to enter the Ground or being inside the Ground whilst drunk;
 - 12.2** Being in possession of any intoxicating liquor, or bottle, can or other portable container and which could cause damage or personal injury, when entering the Ground or in a public area of the Ground from which the event can be directly viewed.
13. Any individual who has entered any part of the Ground designated for the use of any group of supporters to which he does not belong may be ejected from the Ground either for the purposes of his own safety or for any other reasons.
14. No person (other than a person who holds an appropriate licence and with prior permission from the club) may bring into the Ground or use within the Ground any equipment, which is capable of recording or transmitting (by digital or other means) any audio, visual or audio-visual material or any information or data in relation to the Match or the Ground.

Copyright in any unauthorised recording or transmission is assigned (by way of Patent Amendment Rules and the Patents (Amendment) Act 2006 (Certain Provisions) (Commencement) Order 2009 on Thursday 21 May 2009.) to the Club.
15. No goods (including literature) of any nature may be offered either free or for sale by any person within the Ground without the express written permission of the Club.
 - 15.1** Tickets are not transferable and may not be offered for sale without the prior written permission of the Club. Any tickets offered for sale may be confiscated by any steward, officer of the Club or any Garda officer.
16. CCTV cameras are in use around and in the Ground and the Club may itself use or pass to the Garda or any Football Authority, any recordings for use in any proceedings.
17. At all times whilst present in the Ground, persons must comply with any and all instructions of any steward or officer of the Club and/or any Garda officer. Failure to comply with any instruction may lead to immediate ejection from the Ground.

18. The Club reserves absolutely the right to eject from the Ground any person failing to comply with any of the Ground Regulations or whose presence within the Ground is, or could, reasonably be construed as constituting a source of danger, nuisance or annoyance to any other person. This could lead to further action by the Club including, but not limited to, the withdrawal of any season ticket (without reimbursement) and other benefits.
The club reserves the right to place an entrance fee on all home games.
- 18.1** Entry to the Ground shall constitute acceptance of the Ground Regulations.
- 18.2** Club reserves the right to introduce regulations or bye-laws from time to time to allow for the smooth running of the clubs soccer complex.
19. Exiting the ground will be done with due care and consideration given to IKEA Customers and staff, turning LEFT at the exit gate, under NO circumstances will persons using Ballymun United Soccer Complex park along the IKEA road or the St Margaret's Road.
20. In the event of a fire or other such emergency the gathering point is the area clearly marked adjacent to the pitch on the Northside of the grounds. The car park and its entrance will be kept clear for emergency vehicles.

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* Please note monies collected at the gate will go towards the future development of the entire complex, maps of the future development are available on request.