

1862 Club – Benefits of Gold Membership

By becoming a Gold member, you will not only be seen to be involved in your local community and **helping youngsters to achieve their full potential**, but also enjoy additional benefits.

Hospitality Places: 50 places to be used at your selected game(s) throughout the 2008/2009 season.

Executive Box: The use of an executive box on 5 occasions for any selected games in the 2008/2009 season.

Lunches: Meet other 1862 Club members at 4 informal lunches over the season with the Chairman, Directors, Senior Management and the football management team.

Exclusive to Gold Members: A perimeter advertising board around the ground for the whole of the 2008/2009 season.

Exclusive to Gold Members: An invitation for you and guest into the boardroom at a home game.

Exclusive to Gold Members: A Commemorative trophy acknowledging your membership as an 1862 Club gold member.

Memorabilia: A signed Notts County FC shirt suitably framed.

Matchday Programme: Your company listed in every matchday programme.

Website: An online directory for all members on our official website www.nottscountyfc.co.uk

Exceptional value at only £5,000 + VAT and better still, in the knowledge that you will be helping youngsters to realise their dreams.

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Ambassador Membership

We are also offering a limited number of AMBASSADOR memberships. For a one-off payment of £15,000 + VAT your business will enjoy all the benefits of being a Vice President (except car parking, which is renewable annually) for evermore. Yes, evermore and, as we progress up the League ladder its membership value will increase substantially.

Membership benefits include:

- Admission to ALL home matches
- One Main Stand car parking space for 2008-09 season only
- Reserved seating in the Don Masson Suite, with licensed bar
- Reserved seating in the Vice Presidents section of the Derek Pavis Stand
- Complimentary matchday programme
- Your Company listed in every matchday programme
- Six complimentary guests tickets during the season at Home League matches (subject to availability)
- Tea, Coffee and Soup at half-time
- Tea, Coffee and refreshments at full-time
- Club silk tie
- Discounted matchday guest passes
- A one-off payment of £15,000 + VAT
- A legally binding document guaranteeing Ambassador Membership for evermore
- The knowledge that you will be helping youngsters to realise their dreams

Here's what Peter Minkley, the Club's first Ambassador had to say:

"We have had some tough times in recent years but now we're going in the right direction, and we need to support this kind of idea if we're going to continue doing so. I'm particularly pleased that the money is helping fund the re-launch of the club's youth scheme, which is an area that has helped us produce many excellent young players in the past."



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Come and join us, our family is getting back on track



It goes without saying that 2007-08 was a tough season for Notts County Football Club. Expectation levels had been raised far too high back in the summer of 2007 and it's not surprising that immense disappointment ensued. Not only for our regular supporters, but also for the local community who have immense affection for the World's Oldest Football League Club.

Our expectations for next season have to be realistic, there will be no spin, but we do envisage a vastly improved performance both on and off the pitch.

In Ian McParland, David Kevan and Tommy Johnson we have an excellent football management and coaching team. They have proven that they can attract quality players to Notts County and their coaching credentials are well respected throughout football. Added to this, is their commitment, desire and passion to move our Club forward again. We aim to give them all the support we can towards climbing the League ladder.

We have drawn a line under our recent history (on and off the pitch), it is now time to move onwards and upwards. The slate is clean. Ian and David have been working hard during the close season to assemble a Notts County team everyone can be proud to be associated with again. Signing Michael Johnson up for next season is evidence of the Club's intent, as is the re-signing of Michael Edwards, the addition of Jamie Forrester, Adam Nowland, Matt Hamshaw and Russell Hoult. Hopefully, come kick-off, one or two more may have joined us.

Whilst the action at first team matches is what usually attracts most attention, developing young football talent has always been the lifeblood of Notts County and we are proud to say, that our Centre of Excellence is back. Former player Mick Leonard has been recruited as the Centre's Director and he has assembled a highly qualified coaching team to help him get the very best out of the Club's first intake of young players. Next season the Club will be fielding 8 teams from under-9s through to under-16s and from 2009, the full scholarship programme for 16-19 year olds, the stepping stone to professional football, will be relaunched.

We want to be able to provide these youngsters (many of whom will come from disadvantaged backgrounds) with every opportunity to make the grade. Whilst the Club and the Football League Trust will provide the bulk of the finance required, the backing and support of local businesses will really help to make a difference to these youngsters lives.

You are invited to come and be a part of this new beginning for the World's Oldest Football League Club.

John Armstrong-Holmes
Chairman



Our Centre of Excellence is back

For many years up until 2006, Notts County's Centre of Excellence was one of the most well respected throughout professional football. It had an enviable reputation for developing raw football talent into professional players of quality.

Mark Draper, Tommy Johnson, Dean Yates, Jermaine Pennant, Michael Johnson are just a few of the more famous names who went on to enjoy success in the Premiership. All came through our youth ranks and, when subsequently moving on to Clubs at a higher level, provided Notts County with substantial financial income.

Even following the closure of the centre in 2006, players developed through the age groups, the likes of Leon Best, Kelvin Wilson, David McGoldrick and Will Hoskins have benefited the Club financially.

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Trials are already in hand and come September, Notts County will be fielding 8 teams from under-9s through to under-16s. It's a very exciting time once again at Meadow Lane as our 'family' Club gets back on track. From 2009, the Centre will also have a full scholarship programme for 16-19 year olds, the stepping stone to a career as a professional footballer.

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"To give these young players the very best chance to make the grade, we need to provide the best possible facilities. By supporting the 1862 Club, you will be helping me and the CoE team to ensure we help these youngsters to develop their talent".



1862 Club – Benefits of Silver Membership

The 1862 Club is an exciting concept not only for Notts County but also for local businesses, as it gives you an ideal opportunity to be involved in the community and **help youngsters to achieve their full potential.**

As an 1862 Club Member you will find it's...

- a great way to entertain your clients in our top class facilities
- an opportunity to raise your profile
- a way to network and increase sales through our informal lunches with other local businesses

So what do you receive?

Hospitality Places: 10 places to be used at your selected home game(s) throughout the 2008/2009 season

Executive Box: The use of an executive box on 2 occasions for any selected game(s) in the 2008/2009 season

Lunches: Meet other 1862 Club members at 4 informal lunches over the season with the Chairman, Directors, Senior Management and the football management team.

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