

CLUB COMMUNICATIONS 2024-25 SEASON

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Dear all

I'm just making contact in relation to this season's **Association Cup and Shield Competitions**.

The format of each competition is unchanged from last season – although will depend on the number of entries – but the intention is that teams losing in the first round of the Cup will drop into the Shield to ensure that all teams get to play a minimum of two matches.

The rounds are scheduled as per the attached calendar, but from here we will be closing entries to teams at 5pm on Sunday 3rd November, to allow for the competition formats to be finalised and the draw made in subsequent days. The intention is to populate matches for all rounds through an initial draw in early November, rather than round by round. The format for the Shield, again, will be determined by number of competing teams, although this may require an additional round.

If you wish to enter teams in the above competitions, please email me asap – entry to these competitions is €50 per team, and entries need to be paid in advance of the 3rd November deadline.

Please note competition rule 1.5 as well, which requires clubs wishing to enter teams in the Cups to ensure that all outstanding invoices etc are paid.

Any queries, as always, please let me know asap.

Attachments:

[VLY Calendar 2024-25 Season - Final 16.08.24.pdf](#)

[Premier Div 1 Div 2 Rules 2024-25 - Final.pdf](#)