

VETERANS' LEAGUE

The same rules apply as in the Saturday Section with the following exceptions: -

1. Players must have achieved the age of 35 during the playing season.
2. A player is not eligible to play in a competition who receives any form of payment for playing, other than expenses as per Clauses 1,2 and 3 of Article 2 of the FIFA Regulations governing the status and transfers of players. Clubs upon election must sign a declaration that they will conform to the said clauses and players of each such clubs are required to sign a declaration upon registration that they are eligible under and will abide by the FIFA Clauses which are: -
 - i. Players who have never received a remuneration other than for actual expenses incurred during the course of their participation in or for any activity connected with association football shall be regarded as amateur.
 - ii. Travel and hotel expenses incurred through involvement in a match and the cost of a player's equipment, insurance and training may be reimbursed without jeopardising the amateur status.
 - iii. Any player who has ever received remuneration in excess of the amount stated under Clause 2 in respect of participation in or activity connected with association football shall be regarded as a non-amateur, unless he has re-acquired amateur status under the terms of Article 25.
3. The matches will be played on Sundays and will be at a frequency as determined by the fixtures' secretary (usually 2 weeks).
4. Substitutes will be on a 5 from 5 "roll on" "roll off" basis as per the under 18 League.
5. A Player may not be registered for a Club nor transferred to another Club in the Veterans League after 31 May.
6. Each team in a club shall be allowed to close two dates in the season without incurring a charge for non-fulfilment of fixture. The club secretary must give the Veteran's Secretary at least six weeks' notice. Once the league bulletin has been distributed to the club secretaries and the committee, any games that are not played will incur a charge from the discipline committee.