



**BROADFORD
ROVERS**

STONEMASONS WAY, BALLINTEER, DUBLIN 14



Parent/Guardian Information

On behalf of everyone at Broadford Rovers FC, we would like to welcome you to the 2019 -2020 season. We would like to wish you and your children all the best for the season. Here is some information I would like to share with you as a parent/guardian:

- 1. FAI CLUB MARK ENTRY** - Broadford Rovers FC was the first club in Leinster to be awarded the FAI Club Mark Entry Level.
- 2. CLUB OF THE YEAR FINALIST 2018** - We were tremendously honoured to be one of 8 clubs across the nation to be a finalist for FAI Club of the Year.
- 3. COACHES** - Every team in Broadford Rovers FC has a qualified FAI coach.
- 4. HELPING OUT** - Please help the coaches out before and after games with the goalposts and rope. A little help goes a long way.
- 5. BOOT ROOM** - We now have a "Boot Room" open in our Senior Clubhouse. If you have old boots you no longer have use for, we'd very much appreciate your donation so another family could benefit. If your child could use a pre-owned set of boots, please speak to your manager about a pair from the boot room.
- 6. REGRADING PLAYERS** - Broadford Rovers re-grade all children every half-season, as it's critical for the child's development that he/she play with others of a similar level. This is essential for them to progress at a suitable pace and ensures they are an active participant in each training session or match. When a child performs well on a pitch relative to their peers, it develops their confidence and enjoyment in the game. If a coach approaches you about a potential move to another team, understand it's with the child's best interest at heart. To minimize disruption to your family's schedule, we attempt to have each age group train on the same night and hold matches at similar times on Sunday's.
- 7. DON'T X THE LINE** - Please respect our DON'T X THE LINE CAMPAIGN. Stay behind the rope, please encourage all the children but DO NOT attempt to coach or guide your children while they play. You will be inhibiting their progression as a player.
- 8. MARLAY PARK** – Some Small Sided Games will be in Marlay Park.
- 9. TRAINING** – With such a large increase in teams at Broadford Rovers F.C, we have booked Wesley College to allow teams to train twice a week.
- 10. SUBSCRIPTIONS** – Your coaches will liaise with you about an online link for subscriptions which can be paid in instalments. If you are not in a position to afford it, please don't worry and talk to your coach. The matter will be dealt with discreetly. There will be an increase in subscriptions which will cover the second nights training and training shorts and socks.
- 11. PARKING** – Please do not park on Stonemasons Way, it is an offence to park in a cycling lane and you run the risk of receiving a fine.



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Yours in Sport,

BRFC Executive Committee