



# Torfaen

## Junior & Youth Association Football League

### Coaching Centre

Torfaen Coaching Centre  
Representative Squads 2008/9

The coaching centre operated this season from October to March with over 50 children registered for the sessions which took place at the Stadium on Monday evenings. It catered for unselected children of primary school age.

The centre is an independent body with its own constitution and management team. It is run in conjunction with Torfaen Council, The Welsh Football Trust, The Torfaen League and the member clubs.

The purpose of the centre is :-

- 1) To make good quality coaching available to all players in the Torfaen League.
- 2) To provide an independent centre where clubs can send their players without fear of inducements for them to join other clubs.
- 3) To provide squads to enter the Welsh Schools FA (WSFA) competitions at appropriate age groups.

It is important that the children of Torfaen have the opportunity to represent their county in national competitions. Therefore next season we intend to enter the Coaching Centre in the following two WSFA competitions.

Tom Yeoman Shield (Under 11 - children of Primary/Junior School Age Only)  
David Nickless Shield (For children born in the calendar year 1996)

It is intended to hold trials during the latter part of May in order that we are prepared for the competitions which start in September. Before we can organise the trials we need to appoint Managers/Coaches and Assistant Managers/Coaches to assist with the squads.

For the manager/coach positions we are seeking people with minimum of FAW 'C' licence.

For the Assistant Manager/Coach positions the minimum is a Football Leader Award.

All persons must hold the basic First Aid qualification and of course be CRB checked. All appointments will be subject to formal confirmation of the minimum qualifications and CRB checks..

Please would you make all of your team managers and coaches aware of these opportunities? Anyone who wishes to be considered should contact: - Mary Roche on 01633 793303.

Applications must be made by Sunday 27 April 2008.