1. **How much does it cost?**

The club has three sections, tots, juniors and seniors, prices below;

***Tots (Nursery, Reception and School Year 1 age groups*).**
£90 for the season or 3 payments of £35
***Juniors (School Years 2 and above)***£150 for the season or 3 payments of £55
**Seniors (Adults 16+)**
£160 for the season or 3 payments of £60

1. **Why is the price more for Juniors than tots?**

From Under 7’s (School Year 2) the children join a league which brings further costs such as;

* Player and Club Insurances.
* Football Association, League and Cup affiliations.
* Pitch hire and training venue hire.
* Match and training equipment.
* And more…
1. **How many paid staff run the club?**

None, we are run **100% by volunteers**. The Committee, coaches and everyone else are all doing this for free with no expenses paid. Our Committee and coaches volunteer many hours a week for the club and ALL for free and all have of us have jobs and families too, so please try to respect that.

1. **Does the money I pay for my child fund the Senior teams?**

No, financially our junior section (which financially includes tots) is independent to the senior section and both have separate accounts, but we do share a committee and of course a name.

The club has bills such as facilities hire (pitches and training venues), training and matchday equipment, Insurances, Affiliation fees (The FA, Leagues and Cups), Courses (Volunteers have to gain a Level 1 coaching, safeguarding and first aid). If we have money left over, we simply re-invest it to support the next priority for the club as per the committee’s decision.

1. **Do my subs cover new kit every season?**

Unfortunately the club doesn’t budget for new kits for every age group every year in order to keep the subs at reasonable price, so we rely on local businesses supporting us and sponsoring kits/jackets before we can buy new or fundraising efforts of parents. It costs around £32 per child for a new kit and jackets are the same.

1. **Can I get a sponsor for my child’s team?**

Yes you can, when approaching sponsors, we ask they pay the cost either to us or direct to the club’s supplier. If a parent secures a sponsor, that sponsor will be allocated to their team if that’s what they want. Please help us find kit and jacket sponsors and help keep the kids kitted out.

1. **Can I get involved?**

Yes, there is lots of ways you can get involved with us.

**The Committee** is made of mainly parents and we need more people to step forward and have their say on how the club is run. We have some committee members doing two roles or more. If you can help or want to know more about the vacant roles, talk to a committee member or email committee@middletonparkfc.co.uk

**The fundraising & social committee**. Each team is asked to provide a representative for their team. The committee meets monthly and organises club functions such as the Christmas party, Halloween party and the end of season presentations.

Fundraising is a key part and usually the parents currently on this committee are the ones who run the tuck shops you see – each tuck shop raises funds specifically for their age group.

**Manage or coach a team**, offer your help at training and get involved.

1. **What does the committee look like?**

The table below shows you a list of committee members and vacant roles (temporarily covered by the whole committee). As you can see some committee members have two roles, so if you interested in taking one of those roles on, please contact that committee member to offer your help.

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| **Role** | **Name** | **Contact** |
| Chair | Paul Smith | paul.smith@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Secretary | Wayne Dixon | wayne.dixon@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Treasurer | Lyndsay Beddoes | Lyndsay.beddoes@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Vice Chair | Sarah Dixon | Sarah.dixon@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Facilities Secretary | Andrea Johnstone | Andrea.johnstone@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Minutes Secretary | Andrea Johnstone | Andrea.johnstone@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Registration Secretary | Mark Clarkson | Mark.clarkson@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Media, Publicity & Website Officer | Matthew Wilton | Matthew.wilton@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Football Development Officer (Men & Boys) | Callum MacDonald | Callum.macdonald@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Football Development Officer (Women & Girls) | Kirby Teale | Kirby.teale@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Football Development Officer (Disability & Community) | VACANT ROLE | info@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Fundraising & Social Secretary | Sarah Dixon | Sarah.dixon@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Sponsorship Secretary | VACANT ROLE | info@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Club Welfare Officer (Men & Boys) | Nathan Sowden | Nathan.sowden@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Club Welfare Officer (Women & Girls) | VACANT ROLE | info@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Club Welfare Officer (Disability & Community) | VACANT ROLE | info@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| School Liaison Officer | VACANT ROLE | info@middletonparkfc.co.uk |
| Volunteer Coordinator | VACANT ROLE | info@middletonparkfc.co.uk |

1. **What age groups does the Club have?**

The Club has teams at the following age groups (all are boys and girls mixed unless stated girls);

Mini tots (U4’s), U5’s, U6’s, U7’s, U8’s, U9’s x4, U10’s, U11’s, **U11 Girls**, U12’s, U13’s, Senior Men x2. The club also provides a ladies only training session with a view to developing a ladies team for 2021/22 season.

1. **The club doesn’t have an age group for my child, could I set it up?**

Yes, get in touch with us, info@middletonparkfc.co.uk

1. **When do they train?**

Each team and age group train differently, please contact Wayne on 07852311717 and he will direct you to the correct team manager to find out.

1. **Where is the Club?**

We are based behind Middleton Leisure Centre/ Leeds Corinthians RUFC, Ring Road Middleton, Leeds, LS10 4AX where we play matches.