



# YOUNG MATCH OFFICIALS PROGRAMME 2018-19



**Great News!** Young people within Buckinghamshire have the opportunity to be selected as a part of the local Young Match Officials Programme run by England Rugby in partnership with Buckinghamshire Referee Society.

## WHAT IS THE YOUNG MATCH OFFICIALS PROGRAMME?

- Open to Young People aged 14-24 years
- Develop your Officiating skills through training and mentoring
- Grow your knowledge, experience & confidence as a player as well as an official

## WHAT'S ON OFFER?

- Work towards and complete your Level 2 Referee Course
- Officiate at a number of fixtures throughout the season, supporting your club, school and RFU competitions
- Young Match Officials Kit Package
- Additional Rewards through Young Rugby Ambassador Programme
- Monitor your progress in your Official RFU Log Book
- Fantastic addition to any CV!

## TRAINING EVENT: Outline of program followed by Level 1 Kids First Refereeing Children Course.

**Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> November – 9am – 12pm**

Aylesbury RFC,  
Brook End,  
Weston Turville,  
Aylesbury. HP22 5RN

Following the completion of the course you will be expected to help out and officiate within your club or school environment and there will be other opportunities to officiate through local festivals and activities.

**The Level 1 course will be offered free of charge and subsidized by Buckinghamshire RFU**

If you would like to be considered for a place on the programme, please book on the course through the details below by Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> October.

To book a place on the course please contact:

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