

Foiled Again Newsletter

Success for Junior Members

Junior members from Foiled Again once again win great results against Radcliffe Fencing Club at the home competition on 8th June.

Niall, Christian, Joel, Oliver and Lindsay all put in great performances alongside their competitors from Nottinghamshire.

The Club would like to thank parents for helping out on the day as well as of course the fencers themselves for the hard work committed in the competition and training.

FOILS

In an effort to help quickly identify which foil a fencer should choose to fight with you will now see coloured tape appearing on the swords.

Dark blue tape identifies Left handed foils

Black tape identifies Right handed foils



AGM

The Annual General Meeting will take place at the following time:

6.45pm on 31st October

Please note that the junior training session will run as usual but the 6.30pm and 7.30pm adult beginner and intermediate/advanced groups will not be able to train on this day.

Please come along to the AGM and join in with discussions about what the club has and hopes to achieve. If you are interested in joining the Committee and influencing further what the club does please inform the current club secretary Harriet so elections of club officers can be structured at the AGM.

In advance of the AGM a draft amended constitution will be circulated to the membership to review ahead of the AGM. Please can you submit any comments to the Club Chairman, Matt Ball.

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The kit audit had shown that a lot of the club's kit has gone missing. With repairs costing over £1,000 alone it is even more challenging to replace the missing kit which is estimated at a total of another £1,000.

Please can members who have borrowed kit return it. We want to encourage members to compete and to be able to continue to lend club kit to members we must ask for people to take greater responsibility with the club's kit.

Holiday Closures

Foiled Again will close on the following dates:

15th, 22nd & 29th August



LETTER TO PARENTS

Dear parent/guardian,

It has been brought to the attention of the committee that some of the younger juniors are being dropped off at the club early.

Please note that the coaches' only accept responsibility for junior fencers from the start of the session at 5.30pm. Please ensure if you arrive early that you remain with your child until the start of the session. We do appreciate that you may need to take your other children to various activities within a limited space of time, but it is important for your child's safety that they are supervised by you until the coaches have prepared the venue and moved all the kit into the hall and are ready to receive them. It also the policy of the BFA and Foiled Again that a child is not left on its own with a coach.

Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated in this matter.

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