

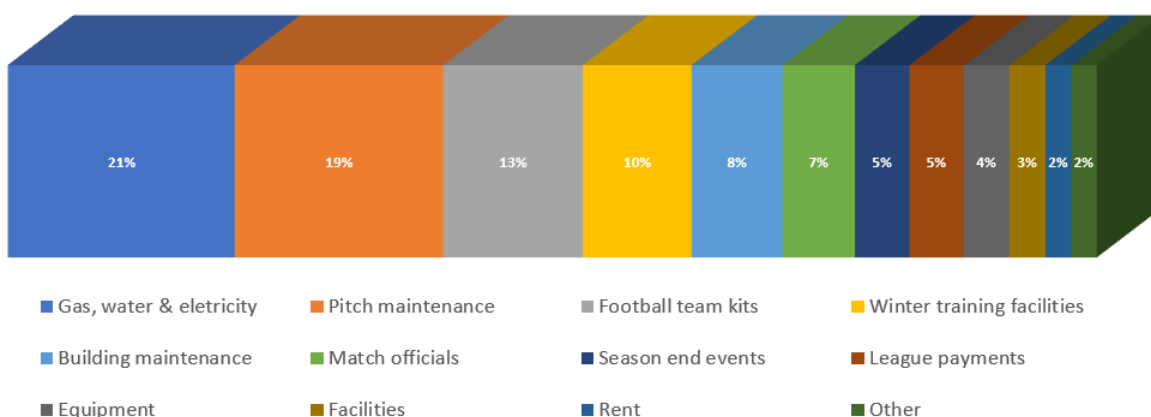
LAWFORD FOOTBALL CLUB

Our aims

Lawford Football Club is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation, registered with the Charity Commission (no. 1188884). The Club seeks to inspire and develop individuals of all ages to enjoy and play football to the best of their abilities. As a charity we aim to make participation in football available to as many as possible within the local community by keeping our membership fees low. Our fees are amongst the lowest, in the local area.

Our resources

Despite our low membership fees, the Club provides and maintains fantastic facilities at School Lane, including a purpose-built clubhouse and award-winning pitches. The chart below shows the estimated breakdown of our football-related expenditure in a typical year.



Membership fees cover around 50-60% of our football-related costs with the difference being made up largely by income from the bar and tea bar, sponsorship, fund-raising, donations, and grants.

Investing for the future

The Charity's financial position remains secure with reserves set aside for unforeseen events and investing in the Club's future. Planned investments at School Lane include a 6-year programme for further improve our pitches and new storage facilities, while we continue to explore with Essex County FA and the Football Foundation the provision of a 3G pitch. Any surplus generated by the Club is used to support our charitable aims either through reinvestment in current activities or held to fund our longer-term development. Full details of the Club's financial position is available each year in the Trustees' Report & Accounts.

Supporting the Club

As membership fees only cover part of our football related costs, we depend on the generosity of those who donate their time or provide funds to help the Club achieve its charitable objectives. We are very grateful to all the individuals, companies and other organisations that support the Club. There are many ways to support the Club's activities - more information about how you can support the Club can be at <https://www.lawfordfc.co.uk/support-us>