

Lawford Football Club

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Lawford Football Club is a Charitable Incorporated Organisation
Registered charity number: 1188884



GIFT AID

What is Gift Aid?

Gift Aid means that as a charity Lawford Football Club can claim an extra 25p for every £1 donated by a UK taxpayer.

Gift Aid allows charities to claim from HMRC, the basic rate of tax their donors have paid. Gift Aid increases the value of your donations by 25%, so it means even more money goes to the Club without any cost to you.

Are all donations eligible for Gift Aid?

The charity can only claim Gift Aid on monetary donations from your own funds, and if you've paid UK Income and / or Capital Gains Tax during that tax year. The tax you pay in that tax year must be at least equal to the value of Gift Aid the charity will claim on your donations. Club subscriptions and amounts raised through most fundraising events are not eligible for Gift Aid. Sponsored events, however, are generally eligible for Gift Aid.

What do I need to so the Club can claim Gift Aid on my donation?

For the Club to claim Gift Aid on your donation simply complete and return to us one of our Gift Aid declaration forms. Forms are available for either a single donation or for regular donations (which covers all future donations) and can be found on the Club website at -

www.lawfordfc.co.uk/communityparticipation

Donations can also made on-line using Virgin Money Giving. Please note that a small commission is paid to Virgin Money Giving on donations via their platform.

What if I pay tax above the basic rate?

If you pay tax above the basic rate, you can claim back the difference between the rate you pay and the basic rate on your donations. You can either claim the difference through your self assessment tax return or by asking HMRC to amend your tax code.

PLEASE CONTACT US for more information about making a donation to the Club by e-mailing lawfordfc@gmail.com

www.lawfordfc.co.uk