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**Newsletter of the Stags Supporters Association  
Official Supporters Club of Mansfield Town FC**

**December  
2025**

**Dear SSA Member,**

Firstly, all at SSA would like to thank you for your unwavering loyal support of Stags Supporters Association and we wish you and your loved ones a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year 2026!



## Life Membership Update

If you wish to upgrade your Amber Membership, SSA Life Membership is available, this would involve you paying a minimum of £1,000 to SSA to the bank account listed below. This one-off payment would be non-refundable and would make you a member of SSA for the rest of your life without ever having to renew again.

NAME OF ACCOUNT: Stags Supporters Association  
SORT CODE: 30-95-43  
ACCOUNT NUMBER: 20101868

We would like to thank Creative Steelwork, our outstanding Membership Partners, please check them out online at <https://creativesteelwork.co.uk/>



## GOLDEN GOALS 25/26

SSA would like to thank our Golden Goal Partners 100 Vans, who are also great supporters of the Stags. Check them out [here](#).

## SLO

SSA have good links with the clubs Official Supporter Liaison Officer Vickie Broughton, so if you have any questions do not hesitate to email Vickie direct: [slo@mansfieldtown.net](mailto:slo@mansfieldtown.net)

## 1861 SUITE MATCHDAY HOSPITALITY

SSA still have limited availability for members who meet the qualifying criteria to experience a hospitality matchday experience in the 1861 Suite this season. You will need a minimum of a year's worth of Amber membership payments (or prepared to pay the balance upfront) and be a current season ticket holder to qualify for this Amber Membership benefit. There is a charge of £27.50 per Junior Member payable in advance due to the club charge to SSA. If you meet the above criteria and wish to try this experience email [askthessa@gmail.com](mailto:askthessa@gmail.com) with your SSA Membership and Season Ticket Number to check latest availability.

## **FACEBOOK**

We would strongly advise you to like [SSA on Facebook](#), as this is our fastest mass communication method.



## **INSTAGRAM**

We have also recently launched a new Instagram account. Please give us a follow [here](#).



## **SSA DONATIONS/MERCHANDISE**

SSA are continually in discussions with the club over various issues and love influencing positive change. Our very latest donation of £4,000 has built a new structure within the new Radford Family Stand area adjacent to where food and drink is served, which ensures Stags fans have a covered and protected space to enjoy refreshments without being fully exposed to winter weather.

During the last few months SSA have contributed over £24,000 to Mansfield Town Football Club. These contributions consist of the new structure explained above, four members tables at the end of season awards dinner, sponsorship of the club's new season fixture poster and 2026 club calendar, kit sponsorships of Baily Cargill, Deji Oshilaja and Ryan Sweeney, entry to the clubs 250 club draw and the seasonal 1861 table for Amber Members. SSA were also delighted to have secured sponsorship of award-winning Mansfield Town Ladies Club Captain Monica Bowley and were thrilled to pay for the ladies coach travel to their recent F.A Cup game at Luton. [Ladies coach travel to Luton](#)

SSA have a number of merchandise offerings including our brand-new Santa Is a Stag Christmas Scarves. You will also find a cheeky message on the back of our new double-sided fun scarves! We also have Magic Mugs, and a selection of different and varied Stags related merchandise. If you turn the back of your membership card over you can scan the QR code, which takes you straight to our online [superstore](#).



## **SSA MASCOT PACKAGES**

SSA are thrilled to continue to offer opportunities to our young Junior Members to be a club mascot, funded by the SSA. SSA have purchased a number of Mascot Packages from Mansfield Town Community Trust. Our last Mascot winner won the best dressed competition in the SSA Children's Halloween Party recently which took place at Sandy's Bar and Kitchen. Clay won this competition and will be mascot on New Year's Day v Bradford. The SSA will also fund the upcoming Children's Christmas Party at Sandy's and again a match mascot package is the prize on offer which will be rewarded to a competition winner on the night.

## **FAMILY FRIENDLY AWAY TRAVEL 25/26**

SSA run family friendly away coaches to ALL Stags competitive away games and bookings are taken on a match-by-match basis by texting 07967 689597, Please remember and respect that the travel line is operated by a volunteer who is also working, so please be patient on a response.

There is high demand for SSA Family Friendly Away Travel, and we ask therefore that if you become aware that you will no longer be travelling with us, that you let us know as soon as possible, so that we can offer these seats to other supporters. SSA will not charge Amber Members more than £30 ANYWHERE in the country to watch our team away, even at Plymouth on a Winter Tuesday night!

SSA would like to thank our new Travel Partners Ashfield Cheese <https://www.facebook.com/Ashfieldcheesecounter> who are based within the Indoor Market in the Idlewells Centre at Sutton-in-Ashfield and long-term partners of the SSA, Acorn Signs <https://www.signsfromacorn.com>

## **BOARD MEETINGS**

Via the Stags Fans United Supporters Trust (SFU) Stags fans are represented at some Mansfield Town Board Meetings. As well as the SLO route above if you have any issues, you want raising email us at [askthessa@gmail.com](mailto:askthessa@gmail.com)

SSA are chasing a club update on the next date for the FAB (Fans Advisory Board) meeting set up by PC John Albanese, the club's Football Intelligence Officer. This board is proposed to be made up of representatives of the club's fan bases included different supporters' groups.

If you want to get involved, email us at [askthessa@gmail.com](mailto:askthessa@gmail.com)

## **CHILDREN'S PARTYS**

Below is a link to the fun our Juniors had at the recent Halloween Party in Sandy's Bar and Kitchen: [Halloween Party Fun](#)

Please see details below for the upcoming Christmas party organised alongside the club's on-site restaurant Sandy's Bar & Kitchen:

Come and join us for our Jingle-tastic Children's Christmas Party in conjunction with the (SSA) Stags Supporters Association. Friday 19th December 17.00 until 19.00.

What's included -

Child's meal that's snow joke, it will be Yule-icious.

Christmas jumper theme - wear your most tree-mendous knitwear, if it lights up or jingles even better. (optional).

Visit from Santa Claus & gift - He's elfishly cleared his diary just for us!

A visit from the mischievous Grinch & Cindy Lou!

Each child will receive reindeer dust, a Christmas activity pack and a letter to write to Santa.

Competition to win a matchday mascot package.

SSA junior members free.

To book, please contact us on 01623 482482 option 2.

## **CHRISTMAS CRACKER**

SSA have launched our Christmas Cracker Competition details below:



SSA are offering anyone and everyone this Christmas a chance to win some fantastic Stags related prizes for just £10 a ticket!

Top Prizes include an all-inclusive Match Mascot Package for your child, signed Stags Shirts, Family Friendly Away Travel Free Travel Passes for an Away Game of your choice Anywhere in The Country for One Game in Season 25/26 and other Mystery Stags Related Prizes!

Funds raised will be used for the benefit of fans/club and you can buy as many tickets as you like!

All Winners Will Be Drawn Randomly - Closing Date to Be Confirmed!

You've Got to Be in It to Win It!

Tickets Available Here in the SSA Online Superstore as well as limited edition Christmas Badges and other Exclusive Merchandise!

<https://thessa.net/shop>

## **DEANO'S STAG PARTY**

SSA Chairman Dean Foulkes now hosts a light-hearted Stags themed show every Friday night at 6pm on local radio station Mansfield 103.2. The show is a mix of Special Guest Interviews, A Fanzone feature containing views and opinions from Stags Fans, A Mystery Stag Brainteaser, Classic Commentaries from the Mansfield 103.2 archives and cracking party music.

You can get involved in the show by clicking

on: <https://www.mansfield103.co.uk/>

and can also catch up with all episodes so far at <https://soundcloud.com/mansfield-103-2> - including interviews with Iconic Wembley Winning Stags Captain George Foster, Current Stags Director Sid Pepper, Legendary Striker Phil Stant and more, something fun to kick off your Stags weekend every Friday Night.



## **SAFETY**

SSA send a representative to the MTFC Safety Advisory Group that meet regularly.

If you have any issues to raise email us at [askthessa@gmail.com](mailto:askthessa@gmail.com) and we will take them directly to the SAG Table

## **SSA HELP!**

SSA is ran by passionate, hugely dedicated volunteers and we are always looking for positive, enthusiastic and willing volunteers who want to help contribute value to SSA. If you have a few hours to spare especially on a home or away matchday we would super appreciate your help!

If you have any skills, time and value you would love to bring to help us improve SSA please don't hesitate to get in touch we would love to hear from you. Contact us by any of our communication methods below.

## **CONTACTING SSA**

Due to increased costs and the increase in use of electronic communications SSA no longer have a postal box at Kirkby In Ashfield so please address any correspondence to us via email at [askthessa@gmail.com](mailto:askthessa@gmail.com) or by direct messaging us on Facebook. You can also text SSA Enquiries on 07923 919277.

SSA would also like to politely ask members not to message individual Committee Members on their personal social media pages or telephone numbers with SSA business, as our volunteers dedicate huge amounts of personal time to SSA and do have personal and private lives as well as work commitments. SSA now have hundreds of members, and our volunteers are not available for instant answers to questions 24/7. We would ask for respect for our Committee Members private lives and all direct messages to SSA's Facebook or texts to SSA'S Enquires and Travel telephone numbers will be answered as soon as time allows. Thank you for your understanding.

Many thanks as always for your outstanding support!

Come On You Stags!

SSA Committee

