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

**September  
2025**

## **Dear SSA Member,**

All at SSA hope you are well and enjoying our second season in League One! Already this season we have enjoyed a wonderful win at the old enemy and a plum cup tie in front of 48,000 fans at Everton's brand-new stadium. With the Bishop Street Stand reopening after over 20 years what a time to be a Stags Fan!

## **1861 SUITE MATCHDAY HOSPITALITY**

SSA have again purchased a seasonal table in the clubs 1861 Suite this season for Sky Bet League One matches and feedback from members has been positive. We still have availability for members who meet the qualifying criteria. 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.

## **MEMBERSHIP UPDATE**

Thank you for your ongoing support of SSA. If you have collected your new 25/26 SSA Membership Card thank you for helping minimise our postage costs. Membership cards can be collected on Saturday Home Match Days from SSA in the Radford Foundation Marquee from 12.30pm. You can also collect your card on SSA Family Friendly Away Travel. You will need to produce your current Membership card to gain discounts in the club shop, Sandy's Bar and Kitchen and members prices on SSA Family Friendly Away Travel. Contact us via the methods below if you passionately need your card posting!

If you pay your Amber Membership annually, and have not already arranged payment, your minimum £48 fee is now due, please pay this asap online to the below SSA Bank Account. 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

For further details, including how to set up your standing order, visit our [website](#).

Thank you to our partners Creative Steelwork for once again being our membership sponsor for season 25/26.



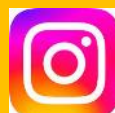
## **FACEBOOK**

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](#).



## **GOLDEN GOALS 25/26**

SSA would like to thank our new Golden Goal Partners 100 Vans, who are also great supporters of the Stags. Check them out at: <https://www.100vans.com/>



## **SSA DONATIONS/MERCHANDISE**

SSA are continually in discussions with the club over various issues and relations have vastly improved over recent weeks.

During the last few months SSA have contributed over £20,000 to Mansfield Town Football Club. These contributions consist of four members tables at the end of season awards dinner, sponsorship of the club's new season fixture poster, 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 are also delighted to have secured sponsorship of Mansfield Town Ladies Club Captain Monica Bowley.

SSA have a number of merchandise offerings including our brand-new Magic Mugs, if you turn the back of your membership card over you can scan the QR code, which takes you straight to our online superstore.



## **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.

## **MANSFIELD TOWN SHIRTS – WEBSITE**

Check out this excellent [website here](#) full of detail and facts you may not know about the history of Stags' shirts, or you could also check through the personal collection held by the website's creator.

## **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](#) who are based within the Indoor Market in the Idlewells Centre at Sutton-in-Ashfield.

## **JACKPOT JUNE**

SSA would like to thank everyone that entered into our Jackpot June prize draw. All entrants have been contacted so if you are yet to receive your prize, please do let us know at [askthessa@gmail.com](mailto:askthessa@gmail.com).

## **ONLINE AUCTIONS**

Over the past few months, SSA have held several silent auctions for a number of great Stags items. Keep an eye on the SSA Facebook page for the latest auctions for some great Stags memorabilia. Thank you to anyone who has made a bid for any of the items.

## **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 at [slo@mansfieldtown.net](mailto:slo@mansfieldtown.net)

## **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 also aware of a new FAB (Fans Advisory Board) 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 inc different supporters' groups. If you want to get involved, email us at [askthessa@gmail.com](mailto:askthessa@gmail.com)



### **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. The SSA Committee made the decision earlier this season to offer the Junior Member who designed the brand-new home kit, Max Brownley, the opportunity to be mascot in our first home match against Doncaster, an experience he thoroughly enjoyed. Other SSA Junior Members will be drawn at random throughout the season.

SSA would like to thank Mansfield Town Community Trust for their support in ensuring that our mascot winners have a great time. To make sure your child is entered into our next draw join them online



### **DEANO'S STAG PARTY**

New for this season, SSA Chairman Dean Foulkes 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 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> - something new and fun to kick off your Stags weekend every Friday Night.

### **AN EVENING WITH PAUL TAYLOR**

Long serving Stags Official Club Historian and SSA President Paul Taylor holds regular history talks on Mansfield Town at Mansfield Museum.

His next talk is Wednesday 8 October at 7.00pm and you can book [online here](#) - it would be great to see you

### **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!

### **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*

