



August 2008



I am pleased to report that on 14 July 2008, the School Governors approved in principle the plan to refurbish and extend the West Bridgford School astro pitch with works projected to start May 2009 in time for next season. The School will pay for the new (possibly upgraded sand-dressed) carpet whilst the Club has agreed to fund the extension works to lengthen the pitch, which together with proposals to install dug-outs this summer will cost the Club circa £60,000. The Club has some existing funds, has been conditionally awarded £24,000 from the National Hockey Foundation and has also applied for a couple of other small grants, but this still leaves in the region of £20,000 to raise.

The WBMHC Committee has agreed to run **just one** fund raising event between now and Christmas 2008 requesting players, friends, juniors, VPs and umpires to donate £25 towards one of 500 squares of the pitch and to persuade a friend/family member to donate another. Some people will hopefully donate more than 1 and others can join together or use team fines to donate several. If you are a tax payer, by donating you can gift aid, and hence even the taxman contributes to our project as our Club is CASC registered.

The Committee would request that all members and friends do their bit and get involved by filling out the bottom of this form asap, ticking that you want to gift aid, and sending with your cheque to **James Cashmore, Treasurer, The Hayloft, Cropwell Road, Radcliffe on Trent NG12 2JJ**. (If you want to paypal or direct debit, please speak to Geoff/James respectively)

GIFT AID DECLARATION

**TO:- THE CLUB TREASURER, WEST BRIDGFORD MONARCHS HOCKEY CLUB
(Community Amateur Sports Club Reg No 00062)**

Title..... Forename(s).....Surname..... **Details of donor**

Home Address.....

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.....Post Code.....

I want the club to treat the enclosed donation as a Gift Aid donation, the sum of

£25 _____ £50 _____ £100 _____ other _____ £ _____ .00 (please tick)

YOU MUST PAY AN AMOUNT OF IMCOME TAX AND/OR CAPITAL GAINS TAX AT LEAST EQUAL TO THE TAX THAT THE CLUB RECLAIMS ON YOUR DONATION IN THE APPROPRIATE TAX YEAR. (Currently 28p for each £1 you give). **CHEQUES TO WEST BRIDGFORD MONARCHS H C**

Signed..... Date.....

Please read the notes below before signing

1. You can cancel this Declaration at any time by notifying the club.
2. If in future your circumstances change and you no longer pay tax on your income and capital gains equal to the tax that the club reclaims, you can cancel your declaration. Please notify the club if you change your name or address.
3. If you pay tax at the higher rate you can claim further tax relief in your Self Assessment tax return.
4. If you are unsure whether your donations qualify for Gift Aid tax relief, ask the club.