



York City FC | Process for Matchday Mascots

York City FC are delighted to welcome children to be matchday mascots for first team fixtures at the LNER Community Stadium.

For those looking to provide a special memory for a young supporter, book a Matchday Mascot package and watch your child walk out with a player in the starting XI ahead of kick-off. This opportunity is open to York City supporters as well as any of our visiting teams.

Please note the age limit for mascots is 5-16 year olds.

Matchday Mascot packages are only available to existing ticket holders (either season ticket or single match ticket), meaning match tickets must be purchased separately. **Match tickets must be purchased for all mascots and accompanying adults.**

Booking Process

Mascot places must be booked in advance. To make your Matchday Mascot booking, please follow this process:

- Identify which fixture(s) you would like from the [first team fixture list](#).
- Purchase your matchday ticket(s) via the [Matchday Tickets page on the club website](#) (N/A to existing season ticket holders).
- Book your place, by selecting your fixture on the [Matchday Mascot product page](#).
- Once your booking is complete, you will receive an automated order confirmation.
- E-mail your mascot's name, age, photo, and favourite player to us to include in the official matchday programme (this must be sent to enquiries@yorkcityfootballclub.co.uk no later than 5 working days prior to kick off). **Please also state if you are a York City or away team supporter.**
- The club will then contact you via the e-mail address submitted for your purchase with a minimum of 7 days' notice (as much notice as possible will be given) of the fixture.

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On the Day Process

Once your booking is confirmed, please follow the points below:

- The most important thing is that the mascots dress appropriately for the weather! Please have a club-related top layer e.g. replica shirt, jacket, t-shirt etc to walk out with the players but please ensure you have plenty of layers to watch the match in, especially in the winter months!
- Arrive at the main entrance of the stadium (our lovely team of volunteers will make sure everyone is made to feel very welcome).
- **A club representative will meet you and the mascot(s) at the Media Entrance at 2.15pm (7.00pm for an evening kick-off).**
- We will then go pitch side to soak up the pre-match experience, including photo opportunities. 1 x adult is welcome to accompany each mascot pitch side.
- Each mascot will then be partnered up with a player who is in the starting XI. Please note, whilst we will try our best to partner each mascot with their favourite player, this may not be possible.
- Mascots will walk out with the players and match officials, shake hands with the opposition players, and pose for a pre-match photo with the captains and match officials.
- Mascots then head back to the side of the pitch to be escorted to their seats to enjoy the game.
- All mascots are welcome to stay around afterwards to try and grab some photos/autographs with the players as they leave, which is usually about 5.30pm (10.00pm for an evening kick-off), though this is of course non-mandatory!

If you have any questions or need any support, please don't hesitate to contact us.

We look forward to seeing you on match day!

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