

DISTRICT 7-A-SIDE FOOTBALL COMPETITION 29TH APRIL 2018

The JMO Sports Park in Skelmersdale was once again the venue for the District 7-a-side football competition for U 14 year old boys at the end of April. We had 10 teams in the competition this year and all the football clubs were affiliated to their County Football Associations. The competition was sanctioned by the Football Association.

The teams were split into two leagues of five and each team played the other teams in their league once with each match lasting 15 minutes. The top two teams in each league progressed through to a knock out semi final / final stage to determine the winner.

The football was very competitive throughout the afternoon and the two teams that got through to the final were Kirkham Juniors and Colby FC from the Isle of Man. Colby had played well all afternoon and deservedly won the final 3-0.

District Governor Elect John was on hand to present the trophy and the medals to the teams and also to present the Gemma Jones trophy to the Lions Club that had invited the winning team to play in the competition and which was won this year by the Isle of Man Lions Club.

Congratulations to the Isle of Man Lions Club who have supported this competition for a number of years and who run a competition on the island each year to determine which football club they will invite to play in Skelmersdale.

Finally may I thank all the Lions Clubs in the District who entered a team this year and all the Lions who attended and helped on the day.