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***FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION OF WALES  
COACH EDUCATION PROGRAMME***

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**Gwent County Football Association area**

**Season 2011/2012**

## COACH EDUCATION PATHWAY

LEVEL	YOUTH PATHWAY	ADDITIONAL	SENIOR PATHWAY
Level 5			UEFA Pro Licence
Level 4	FAW/UEFA 'A' Youth Licence		UEFA 'A' Senior Licence
Level 3	FAW/UEFA 'B' Youth Licence	FAW/UEFA 'B' Licence Goalkeepers	FAW 'B' Senior Licence
Level 2	FAW 'C' Youth Certificate	FAW 'C' Certificate Goalkeepers	FAW 'C' Senior Certificate
Level 1	Emergency 1 <sup>st</sup> Aid Award	FAW Goalkeepers Award FAW Coaching Footballers with a Disability	Emergency 1 <sup>st</sup> Aid Award
	FAW Welfare Award		
	FAW Football Leaders Award		

### COURSE INFORMATION

#### **FAW Football Leaders Award (FLA)**

**Cost: £40.00**

A 15 hour course providing a basic introduction to the organisation of football practices in a fun and safe environment with an emphasis on skill development. This is a mandatory award for all coaches involved in junior football in Wales.

#### **FAW Goalkeepers Award (GKA)**

**Cost: £30.00**

A six hour course providing a basic introduction to the organisation and delivery of goalkeeper-specific activities. The course will focus on developing candidate skills in the organisation of practices in a fun and safe learning environment.

#### **FAW First Aid for Football Awareness (EA)**

**Cost: £25.00**

A three hour course developing an awareness of first aid techniques within a football environment.

#### **FAW Welfare & Child Protection - A Guide to Best Practice (WCP)**

**Cost: £25.00**

A three hour workshop to support candidates in developing good practice when working with children and vulnerable adults. The workshop will focus on identifying poor practice and recognising signs, symptoms and forms of abuse and how to react to concerns or disclosures. It will also provide advice on how to identify people and organisations that can help and provide support.

#### **McDonald's Coaching Workshops (CW)**

**Cost: Free**

A range of local workshops that aim to provide support and information for coaches working at grass roots level with junior clubs in Wales. The courses also form part of the FAW revalidation requirements (see revalidation process below).

#### **FAW Coaching Footballers with a Disability Course (FDC)**

**Cost: £30.00**

A 6 hour practical course providing coaches with an insight into adapting coaching sessions for disabled footballers in a fun and safe environment. The course will assist, supplement and support the coaches existing experiences in this field.

#### **FAW 'C' Certificate (CC)**

**Cost: £250.00**

A 60 hour course consisting of practical coaching and theory modules based on teaching players skills and techniques in problem-solving games and practices. Ongoing informal assessment will be undertaken.

Places for the course are limited to 36 candidates and all applications will be strictly handled on a 'first come, first served' basis.

Pre-requisite entry criteria are: Youth - Football Leaders Award, First Aid Certificate, Welfare & Child Protection Course; Senior: First Aid Certificate.

#### **FAW/ UEFA 'B' Licence (BL)**

**Cost: £800.00, Discounted Rate - £450.00**

This is a 90 hour course outlining the principles of play within small-sided games and coaching activities. Practical coaching and theory modules are covered. Post-course work and candidate assessment is required.

Places for the course are limited to 24 candidates and all applications will be strictly handled on a 'first come, first served' basis.

Pre-requisite entry criteria are: Youth - FAW C 'Youth' Certificate; Senior - FAW C 'Senior' Certificate.

### **REVALIDATION PROCESS:**

All football coaching qualifications are valid for a 3 year period as directed by UEFA. It is the coaches' and clubs' responsibility to ensure that all coaching qualifications are kept valid. Individuals completing courses have 3 years to ensure that they keep awards valid by either:

Option	Football Leaders Award	FAW C Certificate	FAW/UEFA B Licence
1	Attend 2 local coaching workshops	Attend Regional Coaching Conference	Attend FAW National Coaching Conference
2	Attend Gwent Coaches' Conference	Attend FAW/UEFA B Licence	Attend FAW/UEFA A licence
3	Attend FAW C Certificate	Re-attend FAW C Certificate	Re-attend FAW/UEFA B Licence
4	Re-attend Football Leaders Award		

## PROCEDURES FOR APPLYING COURSES IN 2011/2012

Complete one coach education application form per course you wish to attend. Send to 'Coach Education (Football), Sports Development Unit, Level 3, County Hall, Cwmbran, NP44 2WN or email it to [gwentfootball@live.co.uk](mailto:gwentfootball@live.co.uk). Don't forget to include the payment for the course and, if a fee is payable, make cheques payable to 'Welsh Football Trust'.

**Course application forms can be obtained on-line from:** [welshfootballtrust.org.uk/coaching/course-information](http://welshfootballtrust.org.uk/coaching/course-information)

Once we receive your coach education application form and payment, your details will be put on the relevant course register and an acknowledgement letter with receipt (if a fee is payable) will be sent to you.

Approximately 7 to 10 days prior to the course start date, you will receive your confirmation letter. If for whatever reason you cannot attend, please contact the department as soon as possible so that we can record your non-attendance on the course.

## GWENT COUNTY FA COURSE CALENDAR 2011-12

To view courses quickly, look at the left column for the code of the course (details can be found in the course description above).

**All times and venues will be confirmed in your confirmation letter that you will receive prior to the course start date. Any change of details will be communicated to candidates already registered on the course.**

Code:	Date:	Course:	Time:	Venue:
<b>FLA</b>	Saturday, 6 & Sunday, 7 August 2011.	FAW Football Leaders Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Abergavenny Leisure Centre, Abergavenny, NP7 6EP
<b>GKA</b>	Sunday, 7 August 2011.	FAW Goalkeepers Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Abergavenny Leisure Centre, Abergavenny, NP7 6EP
<b>EA</b>	Tuesday, 9 August 2011.	FAW First Aid for Football Awareness	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Tredegar Snooker Centre, Tredegar, NP22 4LD
<b>WCP</b>	Thursday, 11 August 2011.	FAW Welfare & Child Protection – A Guide to Best Practice	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Caldicot Town FC, Caldicot, NP26 4NA
<b>CW</b>	Monday, 22 August 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (4v4 Torfaen JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Football Factory, Cwmbran, NP44 1UD
<b>CW</b>	Tuesday, 23 August 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (6v6 Torfaen JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Pontnewydd FC, Pontrhydyrun, NP44 1SB
<b>CW</b>	Wednesday, 24 August 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (4v4 East Gwent JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Abergavenny Leisure Centre, Abergavenny, NP7 6EP
<b>CW</b>	Tuesday, 30 August 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (6v6 East Gwent JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Undy Athletic FC, Undy, NP26 3EW
<b>CW</b>	Wednesday, 31 August 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (8v8 Torfaen JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Cwmbran Celtic FC, Cwmbran, NP44 3YS
<b>CW</b>	Monday, 5 September 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (8v8 East Gwent JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Monmouth Leisure Centre, Monmouth, NP25 3DP
<b>CW</b>	Tuesday, 6 September 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (4v4 Islwyn JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Risca Leisure Centre, Risca, NP11 6YY
<b>CW</b>	Wednesday, 7 September 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (6v6 Islwyn JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Risca Leisure Centre, Risca, NP11 6YY
<b>CW</b>	Thursday, 8 September 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (8v8 Islwyn JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Risca Leisure Centre, Risca, NP11 6YY
<b>FLA</b>	Sunday, 11 & Sunday, 18 September 2011.	FAW Football Leaders Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Risca Leisure Centre, Risca, NP11 6YY
<b>EA</b>	Tuesday, 13 September 2011.	FAW First Aid for Football Awareness	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Risca Leisure Centre, Risca, NP11 6YY
<b>CW</b>	Wednesday, 14 September 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Risca Leisure Centre, Risca, NP11 6YY
<b>WCP</b>	Thursday, 15 September 2011.	FAW Welfare & Child Protection – A Guide to Best Practice	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Risca Leisure Centre, Risca, NP11 6YY

<b>GKA</b>	Sunday, 18 September 2011.	FAW Goalkeepers Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Risca Leisure Centre, Risca, NP11 6YY
<b>CW</b>	Tuesday, 27 September 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (4v4, 5v5 Newport JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE
<b>CW</b>	Wednesday, 28 September 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (6v6 Newport JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE
<b>CW</b>	Thursday, 29 September 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop (7v7, 8v8 Newport JFL)	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE
<b>FLA</b>	Sunday, 2 & Sunday, 9 October 2011.	FAW Football Leaders Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE
<b>EA</b>	Tuesday, 4 October 2011.	FAW First Aid for Football Awareness	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Football Factory, Cwmbran, NP44 1UD
<b>CW</b>	Wednesday, 5 October 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE
<b>WCP</b>	Thursday, 6 October 2011.	FAW Welfare & Child Protection – A Guide to Best Practice	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE
<b>FLA</b>	Sunday, 6 & Sunday, 13 November 2011.	FAW Football Leaders Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Football Factory, Cwmbran, NP44 1UD
<b>EA</b>	Tuesday, 8 November 2011.	FAW First Aid for Football Awareness	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Monmouth Town FC, Monmouth, NP25 3EQ
<b>CW</b>	Wednesday, 9 November 2011.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Football Factory, Cwmbran, NP44 1UD
<b>WCP</b>	Thursday, 10 November 2011.	FAW Welfare & Child Protection – A Guide to Best Practice	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Race FC, Pontypool, NP4 5YE
<b>FLA</b>	Sunday, 29 January & Sunday, 5 February 2012.	FAW Football Leaders Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Risca Leisure Centre, Risca, NP11 6YY
<b>EA</b>	Tuesday, 31 January 2012.	FAW First Aid for Football Awareness	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE
<b>CW</b>	Wednesday, 1 February 2012.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Tredegar Sports Complex, NP22 4BH
<b>WCP</b>	Thursday, 2 February 2012.	FAW Welfare & Child Protection – A Guide to Best Practice	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Tredegar Snooker Centre, Tredegar, NP22 4LD
<b>FLA</b>	Sunday, 19 & Sunday, 26 February 2012.	FAW Football Leaders Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Chepstow Leisure Centre, Chepstow, NP16 5LX
<b>EA</b>	Tuesday, 21 February 2012.	FAW First Aid for Football Awareness	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Cwmbran Town FC, Cwmbran, NP44 3LR
<b>CW</b>	Wednesday, 22 February 2012.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Monmouth Leisure Centre, Monmouth, NP25 3DP
<b>WCP</b>	Thursday, 23 February 2012.	FAW Welfare & Child Protection – A Guide to Best Practice	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE
<b>FLA</b>	Sunday, 4 & Sunday, 18 March 2012.	FAW Football Leaders Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE
<b>GKA</b>	Sunday, 18 March 2012.	FAW Goalkeepers Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE
<b>FLA</b>	Sunday, 25 March & Sunday, 1 April 2012.	FAW Football Leaders Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Tredegar Sports Complex, Tredegar, NP22 4BH
<b>EA</b>	Tuesday, 3 April 2012.	FAW First Aid for Football Awareness	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE
<b>CW</b>	Wednesday, 4 April 2012.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Football Factory, Cwmbran, NP44 1UD
<b>WCP</b>	Thursday, 5 April 2012.	FAW Welfare & Child Protection – A Guide to Best Practice	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Abergavenny Thursdays FC, Abergavenny, NP7 7RN
<b>EA</b>	Tuesday, 22 May 2012.	FAW First Aid for Football Awareness	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Chepstow Town FC, Chepstow, NP16 5PR
<b>CW</b>	Wednesday, 23 May 2012.	McDonalds Coaching Workshop	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Raglan FC, Raglan, NP15 2ER
<b>WCP</b>	Thursday, 24 May 2012.	FAW Welfare & Child Protection – A Guide to Best Practice	6:00pm to 9:00pm	Blaenavon Blues FC, Blaenavon, NP4 9RQ
<b>FLA</b>	Saturday, 26 & Sunday, 27 May 2012.	FAW Football Leaders Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Cwmbran Stadium, Cwmbran, NP44 3YS
<b>GKA</b>	Sunday, 27 May 2012.	FAW Goalkeepers Award	9:30am to 4:00pm	Cwmbran Stadium, Cwmbran, NP44 3YS

### Gwent Coaches' Conference (Football Leaders Award Revalidation Day)

Code:	Date:	Course:	Time:	Venue:
<b>GCC</b>	Sunday, 15 April 2012.	McDonalds Gwent Coaches' Conference (FLA revalidation)	9:30am to 4:00pm	Cwmbran Stadium, Cwmbran, NP44 3YS

### Football Leaders Award: Female Only

Code:	Date:	Course:	Time:	Venue:
<b>FLA</b>	Saturday, 1 & Saturday, 8 October 2011.	FAW Football Leaders Award – Female Only	9:30am to 4:00pm	Risca Leisure Centre, Risca, NP11 6YY
<b>FLA</b>	Sunday, 17 & Sunday, 24 June 2012.	FAW Football Leaders Award – Female Only	9:30am to 4:00pm	Cwmbran Stadium, Cwmbran, NP44 3YS

### FAW Coaching Footballers with a Disability

Code:	Date:	Course:	Time:	Venue:
<b>FDC</b>	Sunday, 2 October 2011.	Coaching Footballers with a Disability	9:30am to 4:00pm	Risca Leisure Centre, Risca, NP11 6YY

### Gwent FAW 'C' Certificate

Code:	Date:	Course:	Time:	Venue:
<b>CC</b>	Saturday, 9 July 2011, Sunday, 10 July 2011, Sunday 4 September 2011, Sunday, 16 October 2011, Sunday, 20 November 2011, Sunday, 15 January 2012, Sunday, 11 March 2012, Sunday, 29 April 2012.	FAW 'C' Certificate (Youth & Senior)	9:30am to 4:00pm	Hartridge High School, Newport, NP18 2YE

### Gwent UEFA/FAW 'B' Licence

Code:	Date:	Course:	Time:	Venue:
<b>BL</b>	Saturday, 24 September 2011, Sunday, 25 September 2011, Sunday, 30 October 2011, Sunday, 4 December 2011, Sunday, 12 February 2012, Sunday, 18 March 2012, Sunday, 22 April 2012, Sunday, 20 May 2012.	FAW/UEFA 'B' Licence (Youth & Senior)	9:30am to 4:00pm	Cwmbran Stadium, Cwmbran, NP44 3YS

### CONTACT DETAILS OF GWENT COUNTY FOOTBALL DEVELOPMENT OFFICERS

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Gavin Thomas – Club Development	gavin.thomas@welshfootballtrust.org.uk	07789 371 704	Sports Development Unit, Level 3, County Hall, Cwmbran, NP44 2WN.
Wesley Bodden – Inclusion	wesley.bodden@welshfootballtrust.org.uk	07792 281 052	Risca Leisure Centre, Pontymason Road, Risca, Caerphilly, NP11 6YY
Coach Education Application Forms	gwentfootball@live.co.uk	01633 628936	Sports Development Unit, Level 3, County Hall, Cwmbran, NP44 2WN.

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