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Lincoln City Football Club Charity Policy

Official Charity Partners

Lincoln City Foundation is a registered charity and the charitable arm of Lincoln City Football Club, based at LNER Stadium. Its mission is to inspire and empower individuals and communities in Lincolnshire, with a focus on improving physical, social, and mental wellbeing. The Foundation operates under four key themes: sport, education, health, and inclusion.

EFL in the Community is the charitable arm of the EFL, working to improve lives through sport and make a positive contribution to communities. They support the network of 72 Club Community Organizations (CCOs) across the country.

Supporter Vote

Every year annually, Lincoln City fans choose two official charity partners to receive priority for fundraising support, promotion through our social media channels to raise their profile. Throughout the season, the club is committed to work with these charities to assist with fundraising activities and raise their profile. This includes giving them the opportunity to hold bucket collections at games and providing signed merchandise to raffle. The application process is publicised on the official website in December with a nomination process and subsequent public vote. The 2025 vote was won by Lincs & Notts Air Ambulance and LIVES as announced [HERE](#).

Charity and Fundraising Requests

All requests from non-charity partners should be emailed to charity@theredimps.com with evidence of the event or fundraising activity you are taking part in along with a covering letter from the charity in question or alternative supporting documentation, such as, event poster/just giving website details etc.

Applications are then collated and at the end of every month, there is a prize draw. One winner receives a signed shirt to raffle for their cause while there are other prizes that include tickets to home fixtures for the fundraising efforts.

As the draw takes place on the last day of each month, requests must be made early. Sending in a request for an event in the middle of the current month, for example, is too late as you will have missed the relevant draw.

Please note:

- All requests emailed to charity@theredimps.com will automatically be entered into draw at the end of the month before their event. For example, if your event is in April, you will be entered into the end of month draw in March.
- Requests will not be rolled forward however you are welcome to apply again in subsequent months if your fundraising is still relevant.



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- Due to the number of requests received, we will only contact the monthly winners to let them know they were successful. We cannot reply to everyone to let them know they were unsuccessful.

Successful winners of the signed shirt or match ticket vouchers will be asked to provide details of how much the event or fundraiser subsequently raises.

For any further enquiries please contact charity@theredimps.com.