Vallance Community Sports Association

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Annual Gala Dinner & Awards Ceremony 2016

On the night of Monday May 9th 2016 everyone associated with the Vallance Community Sports Association (VCSA) enjoyed a glitzy event. It was the Annual Gala Dinner & Awards Ceremony 2016. Held at the Atrium Event Hall in Bethnal Green there was over 350 guests which included parents and young members of the teams and projects that VCSA do. The Tower Hamlets Mayor Mr John Biggs was present and he gave a speech about the night and work done by the VCSA, he also presented flowers to the newly elected City & East member for the Greater London Assembly Mr Unmesh Desai who was making his first public appearance since winning the election. Also giving a speech on the night was the Speaker/First citizen of the Borough Mr M.A. Mukit. The FA Cup was there





on show and a football freestyler providing entertainment. VCSA Chairperson Mr Shuhel Ahmed said "tonight is about rewarding the work done by our young members and volunteers over the last 12 months. It was great to see the parents enjoying the evening with their children. We had a show put on for everyone and it was presented by our 2 young members Mahdi Alam (former Young Mayor of the London Borough of Tower Hamlets) and Mohamod Kibria. We will like to thank all the guests for attending and a special thank you to all the sponsors who made the night possible. Only regret is that we have over 1000 registered members so we could not invite them all".

Senior Summer Football

Vallance FC has 2 senior teams competing in the **BFA UK Summer League 2016.** Vallance FC A (pictured right) team are in the 1st division after getting promoted from the 2nd division last year. So far they have played 3 games and are undefeated. The newly formed Vallance B team which has a mixture of Under 16 and 18 players



have played 3 games and got 2 points. Both teams are managed by Junel Uddin.



QUALITY MARK SILVER ACCREDITED

Vallance FC – Player profile



Name: Age: Favourite football team: Favourite player: Favourite subject at school: Jawad Rahman U12 Arsenal FC Theo Walcott Maths

- 1. What team do you play for? Vallance FC U12
- 2. What position do you play? Left Back
- 3. What Other Sport Do You Like? Basketball
- 4. What do you want to do after school? Become a TV Presenter

Players of the Month

June/July 2016



Under 6 Zayd Ibn Ahmed



Under 7 Irfan Hay



Under 8 Musa Aktar



Under 11 Tahseen Haamee Ahmed

Jack Petchey Foundation Achievement

Award

Jawad Rahman has been awarded the *Jack Petchey Foundation* Achievement Award

for July 2016 because of his hard work and determination in training.





Under 9 Muhammed Musa



Under 10 Samuel Bhasit

UK Asian Championship

The Vallance FC senior team took part in the *UK Asian Championship 2016* on Saturday 14th May at the London Tigers Sports Complex in Southall. Vallance were in Group A with London Tigers, Leicester CSA and Smethwick FC and finished bottom. Manager Junel Uddin said "*The team was a mixture of young and senior players. We entered this tournament so they get gain some experience. We were competing with teams from all over England*". The final is at the home of Millwall FC on Tuesday 24th May 2016.

Day to Remember

The sun was out and there were smiles everywhere. On Thursday 19th May 2016 Vallance held the annual **Disability Sports Day Festival.** It was at the Mile End Stadium

from 11am to 2pm with all the participants getting a medal. There were 7 specialist schools taking part and 10 disability organisations from all over London. Project manager Junel Uddin said "On behalf of the



Vallance CSA we will like to thank everyone on making the 8th **Disability Sports Day Festival 2016** one of the best we have done. We had over 250 registered participants who took part. A big thank you to all the staff and Management of the schools and organisations that took part. It was nice to see the Mayor of Tower Hamlets Mr John Biggs coming down and taking pictures and talking to participants".

Undefeated Champions

What an achievement from Vallance FC U14. They have won the **U14 East London & Essex Junior Football League** 2015-16 undefeated all season. They only dropped 4 points from the 22 games they played. They sealed the title on Saturday 28th May 2016 by beating a very good FC Vestry side 2-0. This team beat Vallance FC U14 in the Knockout Cup semi-final recently. Now the team will take a 6 week summer break and return to training in July 2016 to prepare for the U16 season.



Results

SUNDAY 5th JUNE 2016

BFA Summer League 2016 1st Division: Vallance FC A- 2 vs Burdett FC- 2 **BFA Summer League 2016 2nd division:** Vallance FC B- 0 vs London Central- 1

SUNDAY 24th JULY 2016 BFA Summer League 2016 1st Division: Vallance FC A- 1 vs Bow FC- 2 BFA Summer League 2016 2nd division: Vallance FC B- 0 vs PYO- 5 SUNDAY 31st JULY 2016 BFA Summer League 2016 1st Division: Vallance FC A- 1 vs SOUL FC- 3 BFA Summer League 2016 2nd division: Vallance FC B- 0 vs Manor FC- 3

Volunteers Wanted

Are you aged 16-25 and not in education or working? You can now get involved with Vallance and take part in their

programmes as a volunteer. There are roles from football coaching to administration. As a volunteer you will be sent on training courses and reimbursed for your expenses.

For details and to book a place please contact Junel Uddin: info@vallancecsa.org.uk



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Aims and Objectives of VCSA

A service to youths between the age of 8-25, in Bethnal Green and surrounding areas of Tower Hamlets.

Creating a team spirit and identity, to foster healthy competition rather than hostility and violence

Promote and celebrate diversity, harmony and co-operation amongst communities regardless of race, creed, gender etc and foster and encourage shared interest and goals

Promote healthy living through dieting, regular physical training and abstention from substance abuse to improve and maximize overall health

To widen young peoples horizons by helping them to develop skills, talents and to compete in the widest forum possible

To create a physically stimulating environment, which will channel energy and relieve stress and enable young people to bridge the gaps between peer groups from different areas

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