



### **INCOMING CROSS BORDER MATCH APPLICATION**

THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED IN FULL AND SENT TO GRFU COUNTY OFFICE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND IDEALLY NO LESS THAN ONE MONTH PRIOR TO THE START OF THE PROPOSED MATCH.

#### **HOST CLUB DETAILS:**

**Name of Host Club:**

**Host Club Official Responsible For Organising Match:**

Name:

Address:

Telephone Numbers:

Email:

Position held in Club:

#### **VISITING CLUB DETAILS:**

**Name of Visiting Club:**

**Name of Visiting Club's Union:**

**Visiting Club Official Responsible For Organising Match:**

Name:

Telephone Numbers:

Email:

Position held in Club:

#### **MATCH DETAILS:**

*NB. In relation to age grade rugby, when playing matches in England, clubs are reminded of the need to comply with RFU Regulation 15 at all times including the regulations relating to out of season activity.*

Date:

Venue:

Age Group:

#### **COMPOSITION OF VISITING TEAM:**

Number of Players:

Number of Staff/Coaching Staff:

Are the Staff DBS checked if travelling with players under 18?

### VISITING UNION'S APPROVAL:

It is the responsibility of the **HOST CLUB** to obtain the approval of the visiting Union. The **VISITING CLUB** should facilitate this or the host club can contact the Cross Border Union directly. Please refer to the Cross Border Unions' contact details.

Approval from GRFU will be subject to you obtaining the visiting Union's approval and the CB may withhold approval until such time as it is provided with written confirmation of the visiting Union's approval.

### GRFU CLUB DECLARATION:

**As the HOST Club, I hereby confirm that:**

- (a) All activity will comply and be played in accordance with RFU Regulations, IRB Regulations and IRB Laws of the Game.
- (b) I accept that CB approval will be subject to:
  - completion of Schedule 1 (Incoming Team Consent Form) which has been signed by all members of the visiting team, being sent to County Office prior to match kick-off.
  - the HOST club having obtained the visiting club Union's approval prior to the application being made.

**PLEASE NOTE:** GRFU is entitled to withhold approval until such time as it is provided with written confirmation of the Visiting Union's approval and receipt of a fully completed Schedule 1.

- (c) Visiting clubs from Wales and Scotland have confirmed that their Staff hold DBS clearances if travelling with players under 18.
- (d) The information and statements set out in this form are true and correct.
- (e) The club committee fully endorses this match application.

Signature of Club Secretary/Chairman/President: \_\_\_\_\_

PRINT NAME AND TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### CONSTITUENT BODY APPROVAL [GRFU]

Signature of Hon Secretary or other authorised official: \_\_\_\_\_

PRINT NAME AND TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

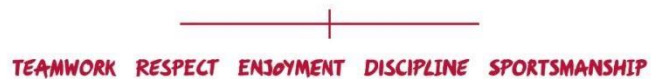
### CONDITIONS OF BLANKET APPROVAL for multiple fixtures [if relevant]

*NB. RFU Regulation 10.5(d) and 10.6(b) permits CBs to provide approvals on a blanket, pre-approval basis for a match or series of matches as the CB determines in its absolute discretion is appropriate. **GRFU may withdraw such blanket approval at any time should there be any disciplinary, safeguarding, player welfare or any other concerns within the club.***

*If blanket approval is required the club should request this by email to County Office at the beginning of each season with details of any known fixtures at the time of application.*



*Please use additional copies of Schedule 1 (Incoming Cross Border Match Consent Form) to ensure all members of the squad have completed the certification.*



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