

# OTHER ROLES

**There are many different roles required to run a grassroots football club.**

This section provides a summary of other roles that you can get involved in and a brief explanation of their responsibilities to be successful at the role. Some of the roles are roles or functions that should be considered based on your own club's circumstances.



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Many successful clubs have also introduced more informal roles which may be part of the committee or may just 'help out' other roles. These informal roles can add real value at points through a season and can act as a great starting point for potential committee members – so make it a great experience!

## COMMITTEE/BOARD MEMBER

Some clubs may have one or more 'general' committee members who may play an important role supporting the club. Consider creating a role description for this role, providing specific tasks which could be done on a season-by-season basis and consider recruiting this more general support from your helpers as detailed below. Depending on the size and legal structure of the club, these roles may play a role as an 'Independent Committee or Board member' and will help provide expertise or advice objectively in support of the club.

## CLUB HELPER

Someone who helps out occasionally, with everything from matchday catering or refreshment through to supporting club events. Creating a team of helpers may appeal to club supporters who are happy to be involved on an ad hoc basis.

## TEAM SUPPORT/HELPER

Often team coaches or team managers will have additional support who help with administration tasks or provide general 'off-pitch' support at training or on a matchday.

Role descriptions or tasks can be used to help potential helpers understand what will be involved, but be careful not to make it too formal as this may put some people off.

