

Marlborough Youth FC Emergency Action Plan - March 2026

General Provisions and Emergency Club Contacts:

All MYFC teams have at least one team official with an in date FA Introduction to First Aid in Football (IFaIF) qualification as required by the FA. MYFC is currently working towards all active coaches having this qualification.

All MYFC teams are issued with an emergency First Aid kit and all team managers are reminded on at least an annual basis to check that their kit remains in date. New and top-up kits are procured and distributed by MYFC's Equipment Manager and funded by the Club.

All MYFC teams have access to emergency contact details and medical information concerning their players and are instructed to have this information available to coaches at training and on match days, ensuring personal data concerning players is protected.

Club Secretary, John Whitehead – secretary@myfc.club

Club Welfare Officers, Becky Knox and Georgie Bevan - cwo@myfc.club

Club Fixtures Secretary, Alex Reynolds – football@myfc.club

Venue Specific Provisions:

Venue (Pitch/Pitches) (A-Z order)	Nearest AED location	Access for emergency services	Nearest hospital(s) and distance/time
Avebury Cricket Ground (11v11) Beckhampton Road, Avebury SN8 1RD	Outside north facing wall of café	Ambulance access directly onto pitch from main field gate (accessed off Beckhampton Road).	Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A4361: 13 miles / 25-30 minutes
Burbage Recreation Ground (5v5, 7v7, 9v9 (blue) and 11v11) Eastcourt Road, Burbage, SN8 3AJ	Outside wall of village hall at the front of the building	Ambulance access directly onto pitches from Burbage Village Hall car park (accessed off Eastcourt Road).	Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 15 miles / 25-30 minutes OR <u>Minor injuries unit only:</u> Andover War Memorial Hospital, Charlton Rd, Andover SP10 3LB Via A338 and A342: 15 miles / 25-30 minutes
Elcot Lane – Main Pitch (11v11) Marlborough Town FC, Elcot Lane, Marlborough SN8 2BG	Outside wall of football club clubhouse	Ambulance access directly onto pitch from Marlborough Town FC car park (accessed off Elcot Lane).	Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 10 miles / 15-20 minutes
Elcot Lane – Town Council Pitch (9v9) Elcot Lane, Marlborough SN8 2BD	Outside wall of football club clubhouse	No ambulance access directly onto pitch. Access to pitch on foot from either Elcot Lane itself or from Marlborough Town FC car park (accessed off Elcot Lane).	Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 10 miles / 15-20 minutes
St John's School – 3G All Weather Pitch	Outside wall of main school building opposite entrance to 3G pitch.	Ambulance to park at bottom of emergency access slope leading up to 3G pitch from school car park. Member of school staff on duty can unlock nearest gate to 3G pitch if required.	Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 10 miles / 15-20 minutes

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St John's School – New Sports Hall	Office behind main school reception. If reception is not manned and atrium closed, use walkie talkie located in reception to contact school staff member on duty. An alternative is the AED near the 3G pitch entrance (see row above).	Ambulance to park in drop off zone near entrance to new sports hall.	Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 10 miles / 15-20 minutes
Marlborough Common – Training Pitches Marlborough Rugby Football Club, Free's Avenue, Marlborough SN8 1DL	Outside wall of rugby club clubhouse	No ambulance access directly onto pitches. Access to pitches on foot from either rugby clubhouse car park or cemetery car park.	Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 10 miles / 15-20 minutes
Marlborough Common – Main Pitch (small 11v11) Marlborough Common, Free's Avenue, Marlborough SN8 1DL	Outside wall of rugby club clubhouse	Ambulance access directly onto pitch off gravel track (accessed off Free's Avenue). Barrier is usually unlocked on matchdays and during training.	Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 10 miles / 15-20 minutes
Marlborough College Astro – Training Pitches Hyde Lane, Marlborough SN8 1JL	Inside the College Medical Centre, opposite the entrance to College swimming pool. The Medical Centre is staffed at the times the training sessions are running.	No ambulance access directly onto pitches. Access to pitches on foot either from: - Hyde Lane access road (SN8 1JL) or - Bath Road (A4) (SN8 1NL) through College Security operated barrier up past College Medical Centre. College Security: 01672 892201	Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 10 miles / 15-20 minutes
Marlborough Cricket Club (5v5 and 7v7) Savernake Forest, Marlborough SN8 3HN	Outside wall of cricket pavilion	Ambulance access directly onto pitches from bottom of car park near cricket nets.	Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 10 miles / 15-20 minutes
Marlborough Recreation Ground (9v9) Salisbury Road, Marlborough SN8 4AE	Outside wall of bowls club by entrance	Ambulance access directly onto pitch from outside bowls club entrance (accessed via Salisbury Rd).	Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 10 miles / 15-20 minutes

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Minal Sports and Cricket Club (5v5 and 7v7) Mildenhall, Marlborough SN8 2ND (most useful postcode to find sports field)	Outside wall of village hall, a few minutes' walk back along the road heading West towards Marlborough.	<p>Ambulance access directly onto pitches from main sports field gate.</p> <p>MYFC coaches have gate padlock code and gate is usually open on matchdays.</p>	<p>Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 10 miles / 15-20 minutes</p>
Shalbourne Recreation Ground (small 11v11) Rivar Road, Shalbourne SN8 3PX (postcode for car park)	Outside northeast facing wall of pavilion.	<p>Ambulance access directly onto pitch through gate in car park. Or through gate to rear of pavilion – this gate is accessed via The Lynch, SN8 3PZ</p> <p>MYFC coaches have padlock code for both gates for use in emergencies.</p>	<p>Great Western Hospital, Marlborough Road, Swindon, SN3 6BB Via A346: 15 miles / 25-30 minutes</p> <p><u>Minor injuries unit only:</u> Andover War Memorial Hospital, Charlton Rd, Andover SP10 3LB Via country lanes heading due South on Rivar Rd: 12 miles / 25-30 minutes</p>