

Good evening and a warm welcome to the Moss Rose for the Vanarama National League fixture against Gateshead FC. On behalf of the Silkmen Supporters' Trust (SST) may I extend a warm welcome to the players, officials and supporters of The Tynesiders who have made the long journey from the North-East for our match this evening.

Also by this evening we will hopefully know whom we have been drawn to play in the FA Cup 4th Qualifying Round on Saturday 24th October 2015.

Save Our Silkmen (SOS) Fundraising Event – the £10K Dash

The SST Board is supporting former SST Chairman Andy Worth's SOS fundraiser. It is you, the fans of our beloved MTFC, who can make a real difference for our first team. Thanks to the generosity of our overseas donor we have the opportunity to turn £10,000 into £20,000 in addition to the £15,000 that he has already given. Help us beat the deadline by pledging at <http://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/macclesfield-town-10k-dash>.

If you would prefer to donate by cheque, please make it payable to “Silkmen Supporters' Trust”, endorse it with “SOS” on the back of the cheque and send it to: The SOS Fund, Silkmen Supporters' Trust c/o. SAS Daniels. Churchill Chambers, Churchill Way, Macclesfield. SK11 6AY

SST Membership Renewals

From 01 October 2015, the Silkmen Supporters Trust entered a new membership period when some subscriptions fall due for renewal.

We have not increased the membership fees this year, and have also been able to introduce some new, additional benefits including:

- FA Cup tickets priority to members after season ticket holders
- A Discount voucher for use in the club shop (see our website for more information)
- A 10% discount on non-match day venue hire at the Moss Rose.

Members with Subscriptions Due for Renewal

We have contacted by email everyone whose subscription has ended or is due to end shortly; however, if you believe your membership may have expired and you have not been notified, please contact Bernie Rickman, the SST Membership Secretary (sstmembership@yahoo.co.uk)

New Members

Simply follow the instructions at www.sstrust.uk/join-us/

Five Year and Life Members

You have no need to do anything but you are entitled to all the benefits mentioned above.

As our chairman, Steve Mundy, outlines on the SST website in addition to taking up issues raised by our members we are also providing administrative and logistical support to fans' initiatives including the Silk Lotto and the SOS player fund which has helped to bring both Danny Whitehead and David Fitzpatrick to the Club.

A big thank you to everyone who has been a member during the last subscription period. Many thanks again for all your support - we would not exist without it.

Contacting the Trust

If you want to contact the Trust then you should use the contact form on our website (www.sstrust.uk) or send your name and contact number to sstcomms@yahoo.co.uk or leave a message on Twitter at [@silkmensuptrust](https://twitter.com/silkmensuptrust). Don't forget to check our Facebook page 'Silkmen Supporters' Trust' for updates too.

Up the Blues!

Bernie Rickman
Membership Secretary
Silkmen Supporters' Trust