

Reference McDonald's 'Grassroots Coach of the Year' 2007

8th June 2007

Roy Bland



Dear Roy

Re: McDonald's 'Grassroots Coach of the Year' 2007

On behalf of the Football Association, I am very pleased to inform you that you have been awarded the McDonald's 'Grassroots Coach of the Year' 2007 for **Sheffield County FA**.

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate you on your achievement, which has been made in recognition of your contribution to grassroots football within your local area.

You are now invited to attend the McDonald's 'Grassroots Coach of the Year' Regional Final where you will compete alongside coaches from East Riding, North Riding, Sheffield & Hallamshire and West Riding. This event will decide who will represent the Yorkshire Region at the McDonald's 'Grassroots Coach of the Year' National Final which will be held at **Bisham Abbey on Friday 20th July**.

As part of the selection process for the Regional Event you will be required to plan and deliver a practical coaching session with a group of Under 11 players from a grassroots club. You can select your own coaching topic and must be prepared to work for approx 20 minutes. This will be followed by a short and very informal Q+A session.

Date : Saturday 23rd June 2007

Times : 10.30am – 12.30pm

Venue : Dene Park Sports & Social Club, Hull. (Details attached)

As mentioned earlier, sessions will be delivered by the 4 coaches who have been selected by their respective County FA Football Development staff.