

## PRESS RELEASE

# Community Sports Foundation launch inaugural Armed Forces Day celebration event.

On Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June the Norwich City Community Sports Foundation are hosting their inaugural Armed Forces Day celebration at <u>The Nest</u>. From 10am – 3pm the public are invited to take part in a range of family friendly activities to celebrate Norfolk's Armed Forces Community, free of charge.

Activities will include a youth football festival (kick off at 10:15am, all ages welcome), tug of war, face painting and the chance to explore The Nest's <u>Challenge Woods</u>. At 11:30am the City of Norwich Pipe Band will conduct a military parade of service personnel and veterans.

Indie and Britpop tribute band, The Stereotypes, kick off the afternoon festivities which will see Armed Forces representatives competing against the Foundation's Community team on the pitch.

"We are extremely proud to be hosting this event for Norfolk's Armed Forces Community. In celebrating service past and present, we hope to understand how the Foundation can support this proud community going forwards and build a legacy for the future." - The Community Sports Foundation Armed Forces Advocate, Neil Hall.

The event is open to the public and free to attend. Tickets can be booked here.

#### **Notes to Editors:**

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#### **About The Nest**

Opened in 2018 and located in Horsford near Norwich International Airport, The Nest is the Norwich City Community Sports Foundation's community hub. The green, leafy and secure 22-acre site has a range of facilities including floodlit 3G pitches, high-quality grass football pitches, residential bunk boxes, a café and conference and event spaces.

#### **About the Community Sports Foundation**

The <u>Norwich City Community Sports Foundation</u> are Norwich City FC's official charity partner, and work with over 43,000 every year through four key impact areas: driving inclusion for people with disabilities, boosting mental health and wellbeing, raising aspirations for disadvantaged people, and engaging with the community.

**URLs**:



### Armed Forces Day Event Page -

https://www.communitysportsfoundation.org.uk/fundraising-events/armed-forces-day/ The Nest - https://www.thenest.org.uk/

#### **Event poster:**





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