

## Fans Chip In

The Trust wishes to thank Alan Holmes & his son Cain for making a £309.18 donation to Shrimps Trust. The pair held a bucket collection at the Shrimps home league fixture vs Coventry City on Saturday 9th December. They were looking to recover the cost to repair a private hire mini bus which was vandalised at a recent away game. Owing to private donations & amounts collected on the day, they have raised £769.

Faced with the prospect of forking out £460 for the repairs out of his own pocket close to Christmas, Alan was relieved & overwhelmed by the generosity shown by all the supporters, officials & players that contributed from both clubs. Having raised £689.18 from the bucket

collection, Cain, happy that his dad might now be persuaded to organise future minibus trips, kindly donated the surplus to Shrimps Trust.

The collection was organised by Morecambe FC match day announcer & Shrimps Trust trustee, Mark Swindlehurst - who arranged for 12 year old Cain & dad Alan to have a behind the scenes tour of the dressing rooms & meet some of the Shrimps playing & backroom staff. Jim Bentley handed over the cash in a scene reminiscent of the famous collection that took place last season, which saw the clubs supporters pay his £1000 fine. It shows how we look out for each other at this family club!

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### **The following people are Trustees of Shrimps Trust**

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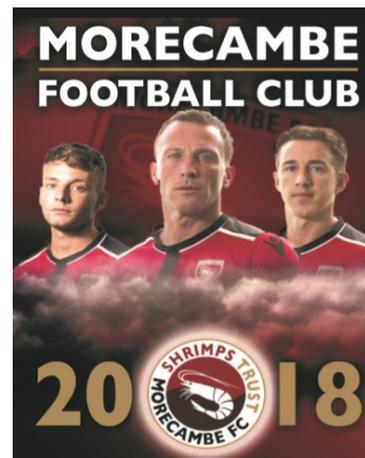
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# SHRIMPS TRUST MORECAMBE FC

## STRONGER TOGETHER

### December 2017



### 2018 Trust Calendar

Looking for a stocking filler for Christmas? Then look no further— Shrimps Trust is pleased to announce that it is now taking orders for a limited edition 2018 Morecambe FC wall calendar, featuring action shots from the 2017 season. This has been made possible thanks to Morecambe Press Ltd (a partner of the Trust), who have designed and printed the calendars, and the consent of Morecambe FC.

Calendars are available for £6 each, with a £2 discount applicable to Trust members. All proceeds from calendar sales will be used to fund fan lead projects at Morecambe FC and within the local community.

If you would like to place an order, please visit our website on the address shown below. Calendar orders can be delivered (local area only), posted (additional fees apply), collected from the Trust information point in JB's Bar (match-days) or from the club shop (non-match days).

The Trust would like to thank Michael Williamson, Ian Lyon and Morecambe FC Digital Media Officer Matt Rushton for the use of their photographs.

[www.shrimpstrust.co.uk/  
campaigns/2018-calendar](http://www.shrimpstrust.co.uk/campaigns/2018-calendar)

## #StrongerTogether





Left to right: Aaron Wildig, Max Muller, Barry Roche, Adele Mundy, Max Burrow, Rod Taylor, Graham Howse, Mike Hinchcliffe

## Mighty Max

The Trust has been informed that Max Burrow raised £1,202.10 for BBC Children in Need last Saturday, following his generous offer to pay for two supporters' coaches to Morecambe's second round FA Cup tie at Shrewsbury. Max, a Trust member from Hutton Roof, collected donations on the day from Morecambe supporters who wanted to travel to Shropshire to cheer on the Shrimps.

Bookings were facilitated through the Trust membership and Sardines On Tour (an Independent Morecambe FC travel group), with trustee Jimmy

Goulding co-ordinating efforts from a Trust perspective. Those supporters that took up the offer formed a large proportion of the Shrimps 312 travelling support, who did their best to cheer the team into the third round - for what would have been only the fourth time in the clubs history. Sadly it was not to be, as the home side progressed following a 2-0 victory courtesy of two first half goals.

After the defeat at Shrewsbury, Max joked that he will have to take three coaches next time! A big thank you to Max, and a well done to everybody who made a donation.

**#StrongerTogether**



## Members Monthly Prize Draw December

We had 12 brilliant prizes and lucky winners this month:-

		SHRIMPS TRUST PRIZE DRAW	Dec-17
Prize:	Member No:	Member Name:	
Prize 1: Hospitality for 2 @ MFC	361	Brian Woodhouse	
Prize 2: Meal + Free Bingo	177	Mark Packham	
Prize 3: Meal for 4 (Burger	386	Nigel Parker	
Prize 4: Meal for 4 (Burger	334	Scott Carter	
Prize 5: 5 day passes at DW	128	Glen Cooper	
Prize 6: 5 day passes at DW	354	Linda Walker	
Prize 7: 4 day passes at DW	147	Colin Wild	
Prize 8: £10 Cut & blow-dry	125	Carmel Woodhead	
Prize 9: £25 voucher for	395	Helen Simpson	
Prize 10: Teatime special at	87	Sharon Catton	
Prize 11: 4 vouchers for Reel Cinema Morecambe	165	Patrick Stoyles	
Prize 12: 2 tickets to Ghost	290	David Harrington	

### **Congratulations to all our winners**

Join us for our next draw in JB's Bar after the Morecambe v Stevenage game on Saturday 13th January 2018. The trustees would like to wish all of our members a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

**Come On You Shrimps**