

NEWS RELEASE

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Footballers kick off new kit thanks to housebuilder



A football club in Hanham has scored brand new kit thanks to a donation from a local housebuilder.

AEK-BOCO FC received a cheque of £600 from Bellway South West, which has paid for new kit for two girls' teams at the club.

The housebuilder is building a range of homes at Abbotscroft, off Greenbank Road, just north of the club's main headquarters.

Donald Russell, general manager of the club, said: "We are delighted to have received this generous donation from Bellway and the girls are delighted with their new kit.

"The club has given so many children and adults the chance to take part in a sport, keep fit and socialise over the years and donations such as this one helps us to continue to offer them this opportunity.

"Not only does the kit look great on the pitch, but they have given the players a new-found confidence, so we are extremely grateful."

Rachel Way, Sales Manager at Bellway South West, said: "AEK-BOCO FC plays a huge part in the community, so we are delighted to be able to offer our support and help them to provide their players with new kit.

"We are committed to supporting local communities within the areas in which we build new homes and we are looking forward to continuing to build our relationship with the club."

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AEK-BOCO FC runs 38 teams with more than 600 children and adults playing regularly.

More information can be found at aekboco.co.uk

More information on the three and four-bedroom homes being built at Abbotscroft can be found at bellway.co.uk

CAPTIONS

- **AEK-BOCO FC's U10 and U8 girls' teams with Bellway's Julie Ells (centre) and AEK-BOCO FC's, Kevin Allen (left), Ellie Kitchener and Shania Lindsey-Powell (right)**