**Football Vocabulary: Clubs**

1. **Vocabulary:** manager  
   **Action:** manager  
   Example: The manager is in charge of the football team. He selects the team for each game and decides the match strategy.

2. **Vocabulary:** groundsmen  
   **Action:** groundsmen  
   Example: The groundsmen are responsible for preparing the pitch for matches. They make sure that the pitch is in good condition.

3. **Vocabulary:** first team coach  
   **Action:** first team coach  
   Example: The first team coach is in charge of developing the players' football skills. He helps them to practise specific moves.

4. **Vocabulary:** fitness coach  
   **Action:** fitness coach  
   Example: The fitness coach is in charge of making and keeping the players fit. He helps them to prepare physically for the matches.

5. **Vocabulary:** club doctor  
   **Action:** club doctor  
   Example: The club doctor is in charge of medical policy, such as deciding how long an injured player must rest.

6. **Vocabulary:** kit man  
   **Action:** kit man  
   Example: The kit man is responsible for the players' football clothes. For example, he makes sure that each player has the right shirt.

7. **Vocabulary:** steward  
   **Action:** steward  
   Example: Stewards are responsible for looking after the crowd. They have to watch the fans, not the game!

8. **Vocabulary:** physio  
   **Action:** physio  
   Example: The physio is responsible for treating players who have injuries. He runs onto the pitch to help when a player gets injured.

9. **Vocabulary:** chairman  
   **Action:** chairman  
   Example: The chairman is in charge of the club as a community and as a business. In some cases he is also the owner of the club.

10. **Vocabulary:** chief scout  
    **Action:** chief scout  
    Example: The chief scout is in charge of recruiting new players for the team. He looks for talented young footballers for the club.

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Write the English words for the people who work for a football club under the pictures.

1. _______ watch the crowd during a football match to make sure everyone is enjoying the game safely.

2. The club _______ is in charge of the players. He / She decides which players play and what positions they play in.

3. The _______ is responsible for the players physical fitness. He / She trains the players and helps them to prepare for matches.

4. The _______ is responsible for the medical decisions. He / She decides when an injured player is ready to play again.

5. The _______ helps players when they are injured during games. He / She treats players on the pitch.

6. The _______ is responsible for all of the players’ clothes. He / She makes sure the players have the right clothes to wear.

7. The _______ is responsible for finding new talented players for the club. He / She travels around watching young players.

8. The _______ are responsible for preparing the pitch for matches. They make sure that the grass and the markings are in good condition.

9. The _______ is responsible for helping the players develop their football skills.

10. The _______ is in charge of the whole club as a business. Sometimes he / she is also the club owner.

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