

# Vallance Community Sports Association

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## Vallance Player Signs for Premier Club

Local Tower Hamlets boy Siddikuzzaman Munna (Saddik) aged 17 who was born in London and has Bangladeshi parents has fulfilled a life time dream and signed for a Professional football Club. He signed a 1 year contract for a Bangladesh Premier Division team based in the capital Dhaka, **Sheikh Jamal FC of Dhanmondi**. They are currently 3<sup>rd</sup> in the league and have players from all over the world. They are dubbed the Manchester City of the Bangladesh League. Saddik has also met with the current Bangladesh national U19 team manager who has selected him for upcoming games.



Saddik attended the Bethnal Green Academy and played his entire junior and youth team football for Vallance Football Club. Saddik joined us as an 11 year old and eventually made his debut for the senior team aged just 16. The Vallance football development officer Mohammad Iqbal Hussain said *"We are happy for Saddik. We always knew he was a special talent. His first coach said he was naturally gifted and played a year up from the day he joined. While with us he got to play at the ground of his boyhood club Arsenal FC in a tournament for the U14 which they won and he was Player of the Tournament. A special mention to his parents who were always supportive of him and always wanted him to follow his dream."*

Saddik has paid tribute to his local team and said *"I am grateful to Vallance FC from my first coach Ruhul Islam, My first team manager Hamidul Islam who managed me from U11 to U16 and Junel Uddin who gave me my senior team debut at 16 in the "East London Barking & Dagenham Sunday Football League". They all had faith in me and told me to push my dream but also enjoy the game of football. I will always come back to help them when I'm back in London"*.



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# Vallance FC – Player profile



Name: Mudabbir Choudhury  
Age: 8  
Favourite football team: Liverpool FC  
Favourite player: Mommed Salah  
Favourite subject at school: Science

1. What team do you play for? Vallance FC U9
2. What position do you play? Midfield
3. What Other Sport Do You Like? Basketball
4. What do you want to do after school? Become a Teacher

## Players of the Month

Dec 2018/Jan 2019



Under 7



Under 7



Under 7



Under 8



Under 8



Under 8



Under 8



Under 9



Under 9



Under 11

## Jack Petchey Foundation Achievement Award

Zain Amani has been awarded the **Jack Petchey Foundation Achievement Award** for January 2019 because of admin volunteering at the Youth Club.



## Christmas Party

It was a time to let their hair down and have a good time. On Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2018 was the Christmas Party at the Vallance Disability Social Club. Over 50 participants' came to the centre and enjoyed Pizza and drinks. The Social club is run in partnership with Outward and Spitalfields Housing Association and most of the participants take part in the Sports sessions for people SEN provided by Vallance.



## Coaching For Beginners

Vallance Football Club in partnership with First Touch is pleased to offer football coaching for boys and girls. The sessions will be delivered from George Green school by FA qualified and DBS checked football coaches. Our sessions start from January 2019. Please book your space in advance to avoid any disappointment as spaces are limited. To register your interest please contact Abu on 07496187936 or [abu@vallancecsa.org.uk](mailto:abu@vallancecsa.org.uk)



### Boys Only

- Beginner Level
- Aged 7 to 9
- Year 3 and 4
- 5pm to 6pm

### Girls Only

- Beginner Level
- Aged 11 to 13
- Year 7 and 8
- 6pm to 7pm

## Club among Countries Best

As a Charter Standard Development Club we represent the very best in grassroots football. The accreditation certifies that our club upholds values that appeals to players, coaches, officials and supporters. It demonstrates that our club is a place where everyone can enjoy



## Volunteers Wanted

**Are you aged 16-25 and not in education or working?**

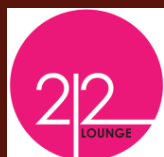
You can now get involved with Vallance and take part in their programmes as a volunteer. There are roles from football coaching to administration. As a volunteer you will be sent on training courses and reimbursed for your expenses.

**For details and to book a place please contact Junel Uddin:**  
[info@vallancecsa.org.uk](mailto:info@vallancecsa.org.uk)





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## Aims and Objectives of VCSA

A service to youths and adults in the London Borough of Tower Hamlets and surrounding areas of London.

Creating a team spirit and identity, to foster healthy competition rather than hostility and violence

Promote and celebrate diversity, harmony and co-operation amongst communities regardless of race, creed, gender etc and foster and encourage shared interest and goals

Promote healthy living through dieting, regular physical training and abstention from substance abuse to improve and maximize overall health

To widen young peoples horizons by helping them to develop skills, talents and to compete in the widest forum possible

To create a physically stimulating environment, which will channel energy and relieve stress and enable young people to bridge the gaps between peer groups from different areas

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