



CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS AND CARERS (abridged)

The Club endorses the **ECB Anti-Discrimination Regulations (ADR) 2025**

Essentials:

- Ensure your child has the right kit for the session and wears any protective kit we provide for them.
- Ensure your child arrives on time and is picked up promptly; please let us know if you're running late or if your child is going home with someone else.
- Ensure all consent, contact details and medical forms are completed and you update us as soon as anything changes.
- Maintain a good relationship with your child's coaches and catch up with them as much as you can about your child's development.
- Talk to us as soon as you have any concerns about any aspect of your child's involvement - we want to hear from you.

Behaviour:

- Talk to your child about what you both want to achieve through sport; remember that children get a wide range of benefits from sport such as exercise, making friends and developing skills. It's not all about winning or losing.
- Listen when your child says that they don't want to do something.
- Behave positively, lead by example and give encouragement. Let your child know you're proud of what they're doing. The way you react affects not just your child but other children around you.
- Use social media responsibly and respectfully.
- Encourage your child to respect and celebrate difference across the club.
- Accept the match official's decisions and do not enter the field of play.
- If a parent/carer behaves in a way which contradicts the code set out above, we will seek to address the problem straight away and aim to resolve the issue.
- Persistent concerns or breaches may result in parents/carers being asked not to attend training/matches if their attendance is considered a risk to the welfare and enjoyment of young participants.
- **Regrettably, continued issues or repeated breaches of this code may result in us asking your child to leave an activity, event or even the club permanently, something we would never wish to do.**