

TOGETHER WE CAN DO

Code of Conduct for Parents, Guardians, Carers and PAs

Our sports & social sessions should be safe and enjoyed by all. Your actions must be compatible with our ethos, policies and procedures.

YOU MUST

- 1. Have the <u>legal authority</u> to act on behalf of the individual you support if emergency first aid or medical treatment is needed.
- 2. <u>Sign in</u> at the Registration Desk and record the names(s) of the individuals you are supporting.
- 3. Inform the Registration Desk staff when you leave the session.
- 4. Inform us of any recent <u>illness or injury</u> as well as their specific support needs of the individual(s) you support.
- 5. <u>Adopt</u> good safeguarding practices and <u>report</u> any concerns or suspected misconduct our staff or Welfare Officer.

WE EXPECT YOU TO

- 1. Maintain confidentiality in your conversations and adopt a positive approach, leaving any issues or negative feelings at the door.
- 2. Actively participate in the session by providing the necessary support to enable individuals to take part in the activities to the best of their ability.
- 3. Only to use the equipment and take part in activities with the agreement of our staff and volunteers.
- 4. Respond to instructions and / or reasonable requests for assistance from staff and volunteers.
- 5. Treat our staff and volunteers with <u>respect</u> and conduct yourself appropriately.
- 6. Treat everyone <u>equally</u> regardless of age, gender, ability, race, cultural background, religious beliefs or sexual identity.
- 7. Accept that <u>your actions</u> may result in disciplinary <u>sanctions</u> being imposed on you.



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WE WANT YOU TO

- 1. <u>Encourage</u> the individuals you support to regular participation in the sessions, but never to force them to take part.
- 2. Teach that <u>effort and teamwork</u> are as important as victory.
- 3. <u>Set a good example</u> by recognising fair play and applauding good performances.
- 4. Support efforts to <u>remove</u> verbal, physical and racist <u>abuse</u> from sport.

WE REQUIRE YOU

- 1. <u>Not</u> to upload or share photographs and videos of our members, volunteers or staff taking part in the sessions.
- 2. <u>Not</u> to use a mobile phone during the session unless it is essential to do so.
- 3. <u>Not</u> to attend a session under the influence of alcohol or illegal substances, nor wager on any match or event you are attending.
- 4. <u>Not</u> to ridicule or shout at anyone for making a mistake or losing a game.
- 5. <u>Not</u> to behave in a way that would disrespect or harm anyone involved.
- 6. <u>Not</u> to use any form of communication which could bring the charity into disrepute.
- 5. <u>Not</u> to make an inappropriate comment about a player, coach, volunteer etc.
- 6. <u>Not</u> to publicly questioning the judgement or honesty of match officials.

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