



## Zero Tolerance Policy

Dawes Hernhill Herons Football Club is proud to operate a strict Zero Tolerance Policy for inappropriate language and referee abuse. With no exceptions.

We acknowledge that every child, young person or adult who plays or participates in football should be able to do so in an enjoyable and safe environment.

It is our responsibility to our club members, visiting team and referees, that all are protected from poor practice and all forms of abuse.

Hernhill Herons will not tolerate any form of inappropriate language or threatening behaviour from players, parents, spectators, visitors, officials or club representatives.

All spectators must adhere to the FA Respect Campaign and remain behind any designated spectator barrier (Respect Line) at all times. Non-players may only enter the field of play with clear invitation from the referee.

Dawes Hernhill Herons FC reserves the right to ask any individual demonstrating actions deemed to be in conflict with this policy, to move away from pitch-side, and if necessary, to leave the Club premises. Any such need will also result in Dawes Hernhill Herons FC reporting both the individual and their associated club to the relevant controlling Footballing Organisation.

Dawes Hernhill Herons FC appreciates your understanding and thanks you for your cooperation.



**RESPECT**

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