

Richmondshire Cricket Club

Code of Conduct for Junior Members

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Richmondshire Cricket Club (The Club) is committed to ensuring all Children (i.e., all persons under the age of 18) participating in cricket have a safe and positive experience.

As a Junior Member at The Club taking part in cricket, we'd like you to follow this guidance to make sure you are able to participate safely.

The Essentials

- Keep yourself safe by listening to your coach or team-manager, behaving responsibly and speak out when something isn't right.
- When you're with us, stay in the places where you're supposed to, don't wander off or leave without telling a coach or team-manager.
- Take care of the club's equipment and premises as if they were your own.
- Make it to matches and training sessions on time and if you're running late, let your coach or team-manager know.
- Bring the right kit to matches and training sessions and wear appropriate kit/clothing for the weather.
- Wear suitable protective equipment for matches and training sessions – when using a hard ball, helmets are compulsory for batting and for wicketkeepers. Club kit is available to borrow for those who do not have their own.
- Pay your match fees (Junior games – £2 cash per game, Senior games – £8 cash for NYSD/D&D league games and £3 for cup and evening league games) and annual membership fees promptly.
- Do not smoke or consume alcohol or drugs on our premises or during training sessions, matches, competitions or when representing us.



Behaviour

- Respect and celebrate difference in The Club and treat everyone equally no matter what.
- Report any incidents of bullying, to a coach or team manager or the Club Safeguarding Officer, even if you're just a witness.
- Treat other young people with respect and appreciate that everyone has different levels of skill and talent.
- Help to make our Club a welcoming and friendly place to be.
- Support and encourage your teammates. Tell them when they've done well and be there for them when they're struggling.
- Respect our coaches, team-managers, and other staff, and the staff and young players from other teams.
- Be a good sport, celebrate when we win and be gracious when we lose.
- Play by the rules and have fun.
- Get involved in the Club's decisions, it's your sport too.
- Respect the adults that support your team, thank the umpire and wait until the end of the game to ask the scorer for any information about your personal performance.

Please complete the linked GoogleForm to show you have read and adhere to the Code of Conduct - <https://forms.gle/sRbyTm4T78v7Zyu36>

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