



KCC Junior & Parent/Guardian Codes of Conduct

Junior Code of Conduct

Junior members of Knaresborough Cricket Club are expected to abide by the following code of conduct:

- All members must play within the rules and respect officials and their decisions.
- All members must respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants, regardless of age, gender, ability, cultural background, race or religion.
- Members should keep to agreed timings for training and competitions, or inform their coach or team manager if they are going to be late.
- Members must wear suitable kit for training and competitions, as agreed with the coach/team manager.
- Members must pay any fees for training or events promptly.
- Junior members are not allowed to smoke on club premises or whilst representing the club at junior competitions.
- Junior members are not allowed to consume alcohol or drugs of any kind on the club premises or whilst representing the club.

Parent/Guardian Code of Conduct

All parents/guardians of junior members will:

- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person within the context of cricket.
- Treat everyone equally and not discriminate on the grounds of age, gender, disability, race, ethnic origin, nationality, colour, parental or marital status, religious belief, class or social background, sexual preference or political belief.
- Not condone, or allow to go unchallenged, any form of discrimination if witnessed.
- Display high standards of behaviour.

- Promote the positive aspects of cricket e.g. fair play.
- Encourage all participants to learn the laws and rules and play within them, respecting the decisions of match officials.
- Actively discourage unfair play, rule violations and arguing with match officials.
- Recognise good performance, not just match results.
- Place the well-being and safety of young people above the development of performance.
- Ensure that activities are appropriate for the age, maturity, experience and ability of the individual.
- Respect the opinions of young people when making decisions about their participation in cricket.
- Not smoke, drink alcohol or use banned substances whilst actively working with young people at the club.
- Not provide young people with alcohol when they are under the care of the club.
- Follow ECB guidelines set out in the 'Safe Hands - Cricket's Policy for Safeguarding Children' and any other relevant guidelines issued.
- Report any concerns in relation to a young person, following reporting procedures laid down by the ECB.

Thank you for following these guidelines and discussing with your child(ren) what is expected from them.