



BRADSHAW CRICKET CLUB

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CHILD PROTECTION POLICY

Dear Parent,

Bradshaw Cricket Club has followed the Child Protection Guidelines (ECB Safe Hands Policy) in developing its Club Child Protection Policy, a copy of which is enclosed.

Whilst we ensure that there will be adequate supervision for specific Junior Programmes, we draw your attention to the fact that we cannot ensure your child's safety when using the club facilities at other times. We therefore ask you to exercise your parental responsibilities in ensuring that your child is adequately supervised when using the club, especially as it is located in a somewhat isolated position.

Your son / daughter will not be able to play cricket at Bradshaw unless you have filled in your details on "The Goggle Form Membership Form" before the beginning of the cricket season.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Yours sincerely

Mike Buckley



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CHILD PROTECTION POLICY STATEMENT

Good Practice at Bradshaw Cricket Club

1. Bradshaw Cricket Club aims to create an enjoyable environment for all juniors that wish to take part in Cricket, other sport and social activities at the club
2. The club emphasises that young people have the right to be safe, secure and free from threat.
3. The club acknowledges that young people have the right to be treated with respect and for their concerns to be listened to and acted upon
4. The club will ensure that junior members have specific programmes and facilities designated for them, with adequate supervision
5. The club has procedures in place to help any young person who requests help and support on a confidential basis, in issue relating to Child Protection.
6. The club will ensure that coaches and coaching assistants are either Licensed or have signed the club declaration form in relation to Child Protection
7. The club will ensure that any club members and volunteers working with young people are aware of and apply the Child Protection Guidelines, and they have obtained a DBS Check before they coach.
8. The club may use Video equipment to assist in training techniques
9. The club an adult member who are specifically responsible for young people.

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SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN POLICY STATEMENT

Bradshaw Cricket Club is committed to ensuring all Children (aged under 18) participating in cricket, have a safe and positive experience.

We will do this by:

- Recognising all children participating in cricket (regardless of age, gender, race, religion, sexual orientation, ability or disability) have a right to have fun and be protected from harm in a safe environment
- Ensuring individuals working within cricket at, or for, Bradshaw Cricket Club provide a safe, positive and fun cricketing experience for children
- Adopting and implementing the England and Wales Cricket Board (ECB) "Safe Hands – Cricket's Policy for Safeguarding Children" and any future versions of this
- Appointing a Club Safeguarding Officer(s) and ensuring they attend all current and future training modules required by the ECB, so they have the necessary skills to undertake their role effectively
- Ensuring all people who work in cricket at, or for, Bradshaw Cricket Club (such as staff, officials, volunteers, team managers, coaches etc) understand the "Safe Hands Policy" applies to them according to their level of contact with children in cricket
- Ensuring all individuals working within cricket at, or for, Bradshaw Cricket Club are recruited and appointed in accordance with ECB guidelines and relevant legislation
- Ensuring all individuals working within cricket at, or for, Bradshaw Cricket Club are provided with support, through education and training, so they are aware of, and can adhere to, good practice and code of conduct guidelines defined by the ECB, and Bradshaw Cricket Club
- Ensuring the name and contact details of the Club Safeguarding Officer(s) is available:
 - As the first point of contact for Bradshaw Cricket Club staff and volunteers
 - As the first point of contact for parents and children
 - As a local source of procedural advice for Bradshaw Cricket Club, its committee and members
 - As the main point of contact within Bradshaw Cricket Club for the ECB Child Protection Team, and as the main point of contact within Bradshaw Cricket Club for relevant external agencies in connection with child protection and safeguarding
- Ensuring correct and comprehensive reporting procedures exist for raising and managing child safeguarding concerns within the County. These procedures recognise the responsibility of the statutory agencies and are in accordance with predefined child safeguarding procedures as set down by the ECB, Statutory Agencies and Local Safeguarding Children Board (LSCB) guidelines and policies
- Providing everyone connected with Bradshaw Cricket Club (including children, parents, staff and volunteers) with the opportunity to voice any concerns they have, about possible suspected child abuse, and/or about poor practice, to the Club Safeguarding Officer(s)
- Ensuring all suspicions, concerns and allegations are taken seriously and dealt with swiftly and appropriately



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- Ensuring access to confidential information relating to child safeguarding matters is restricted to the Club Safeguarding Officer(s), his/her deputy and the appropriate external authorities, such as the Local Authority Designated Officer (LADO), as specified within ECB child safeguarding procedures.