



SHERIFF HUTTON BRIDGE CRICKET CLUB

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SHBCC Code of Conduct: Set of Rules for Young People

Sheriff Hutton Bridge Cricket Club (SHBCC) is committed to ensuring all children (i.e. all persons 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 the right to have fun and be protected from harm in a safe environment.
- Ensuring individuals working within cricket at, or for, our club provide a welcoming, safe, and fun experience for children.
- Adopting and implementing the England & Wales Cricket Board (ECB) "Safe Hands- Cricket's Policy for Safeguarding Children" and any future versions of this.
- Appointing a Club Welfare Officer and ensuring they attend all current and future training modules required by the ECB.
- Ensuring all people who work in cricket at, or for, our club (such as staff, officials, volunteers, team managers, coaches and so on) have a responsibility for safeguarding children, and understand how the "Safe Hands Policy" applies to them.
- Ensuring all individuals working within cricket at, or for, the club are recruited and appointed in accordance with ECB guidelines and relevant legislation.
- Ensuring all individuals working within cricket at, or for, the 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 the club.
- Ensuring the name and contact details of the Club Welfare Officer is available.
 - As the first point of contact for parents, children and volunteers/staff within the club.
 - As a local source of procedural advice for the club, its committee and members.
 - As the main point of contact within the club for the ECB County Welfare Officer and the ECB Safeguarding Team.
 - As the main point of contact within the club for relevant external agencies in connection with child safeguarding.
- Ensuring correct and comprehensive reporting procedures exist for raising and managing child safeguarding concerns.
- Providing an environment where the views of children, parents and volunteers are sought and welcomed on a range of issues. This will help us create an environment where people have the opportunity to voice any concerns (about possible suspected child abuse/neglect, and/or about poor practice) to the Club Welfare Officer- Lydia Harrison-07864 256964. If the Club Welfare



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Officer is unavailable contact Barrie Speake-07662 343445 or Kate Willink-07903 655341.

- Providing details of other qualified Safeguarding members of the club and the County Welfare Officer will be made available, in case the Club Welfare Officer is unavailable, or the concerns relate to the Club Welfare Officer.
- Ensuring all suspicions, concerns and allegations are taken seriously and dealt with swiftly and appropriately.
- Ensuring access to confidential information relating to child safeguarding matters is restricted to those who need to know in order to safeguard children- including the Club Welfare Officer and the appropriate external authorities, such as the Local Authority Designated Officer (LADO), as specified within ECB child safeguarding procedures.

SHBCC is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the wellbeing of all its members.

SHBCC believes that it is important that members, coaches, administrators and parents, carers or guardians associated with the club should, at all times, show respect and understanding for the safety and welfare of others.

Therefore, members are encouraged to be open at all times and to share any concerns or complaints that they may have about any aspect of the club with Kate Willink, Club Secretary- 07903 655341, Barrie Speake, Junior Cricket Secretary: 07762 343445, or Lydia Harrison, Club Welfare Officer: 07864 256964.

As a member of SHBCC you are expected to abide by the following junior 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 gender, ability, cultural background 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 match sessions, as agreed with the coach/team manager; e.g. Helmets, protector, pads & gloves.
- Members must pay any fees for membership, training or other events promptly.
- Junior members are not allowed to smoke on club premises or whilst representing the club at competitions.
- Junior members are not allowed to consume alcohol or drugs of any kind on the club premises or whilst representing the club.