



VENTNOR CRICKET CLUB – JUNIOR SECTION

Parents/Guardians Code of Conduct

Effective: 21-March-2024

All parents of Ventnor Cricket Club Junior Players 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 identity, 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, the club, and the 'Spirit of Cricket' at all times.
- 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 children above the development of performance
- Respect and defer to the decisions and expertise of Club Managers and Club Coaches
- Not offer coaching or tactical advice from the boundary during play
- Parents should not enter the dressing room before, during or after the match
- Parents should not enter the field of play while the match is in progress unless invited by the umpires.
- Respect children's opinions when making decisions about their participation in Cricket
- Not provide children with alcohol when they are under the care of the club.
- Abide by the ECB codes on use of Social Media relating to Cricket at all times
- 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 child, following reporting procedures laid down by the Club.

Signed (Parent): _____

Print Name: _____

Age Group: _____ Date: _____

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