



FAw code of conduct

PARENTS, GUARDIANS AND SPECTATORS

_____ fully supports the Football Association of Wales Safeguarding policy, practices and procedures and acknowledges that football parents, guardians and spectators have a fantastic opportunity to be a positive role model for the young people involved. **We all have a responsibility to ensure that everyone involved in football finds it to be a fun, safe and positive experience.**

Please show your support for FAW Safeguarding by **signing the below declaration**. By signing this Code of Conduct you demonstrate that you understand the following conditions.

Parents, guardians and spectators are expected to:

- Show exemplary behaviour by respecting and appreciating match officials, opposition players, coaches, managers and spectators.
- Deliver and collect your child punctually before and after training, matches and club events.
- Support and motivate all players, including the opposition, and encourage your child to do the same.
- Encourage your child to obey the laws of the game and teach them that they can only do their best.
- Never publicly criticise, ridicule or embarrass any children.
- Ensure your child has kit and clothing appropriate to the environment and weather conditions.
- Ensure that proper sportswear and protective kit are provided and worn.
- Disclose any medical concerns or changes in medical conditions to the Club Safeguarding Officer and the Team Manager.
- Not place unnecessary pressure on your child or push them into activities they do not want to do. Applaud effort and good play.
- Not to interfere with coach instructions and not to confuse the players by telling them what to do.
- Encourage all children not to discriminate on the grounds of religious beliefs, race, gender, social classes or lack of ability.
- Accept that striving to win is more important than winning itself.
- Respect the decisions of the match officials.
- Ensure that your child has read and understood their Code of Conduct.
- Not to post anything inappropriate, or negative on social media which may bring the game into disrepute.
- Display high standards, behave responsibly and never engage in or tolerate the use of foul, abusive, insulting or inappropriate words, behaviour or gestures.
- Get Behind the Line and not enter the field of play without prior permission from the referee.
- Make football **fun**.

Name:

signed:

date:

