



COLWYN BAY CRICKET CLUB

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ANNUAL APPLICATION FOR JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP

The Club has adopted the Child Welfare Policy of the England and Wales Cricket Board, a copy of which is kept in the Office and with the Club Child Welfare Officer.

This application form is being used to ensure that all relevant areas of the policy are being addressed.

After completion please **return pages 1 & 2 to the Junior coach of the age group**
and **retain pages 3 & 4** for your own information. The **Club Welfare Officers'** details are on the back page.

Please use **BLOCK CAPITALS**

CHILD'S FULL NAME

DOB..... School Year

PARENT'S / GUARDIAN'S NAME

ADDRESS

POSTCODE e-mail address

HOMETEL OTHER NUMBER

EMERGENCY NAME

EMERGENCY TEL: NO

By returning this completed form and ticking the boxes

- ☐ I agree to my son/daughter/child in my care, taking part in the activities of the club.
- ☐ I confirm that my child will comply with the Junior Rules.
- ☐ I confirm that I understand the spirit of the Parents'/Spectators' Code of Conduct.
- ☐ I also give consent to the use of photography in the coaching of cricket in respect of my child.
(more details are available from the Child Welfare Officer)
- ☐ I understand that I will be kept informed of cricket activities at the club - for example timing and transport details for away matches when my child is involved.
- ☐ I understand that in the event of any injury or illness, all reasonable steps will be taken to contact me and to deal with that injury/illness appropriately, and it is my responsibility to inform coaches/managers of any known illness/allergy or injury my child may have.
- ☐ I am aware that should my child play for a senior team he/she may have to share changing and showering facilities (See Guidelines on Page 4).
- ☐ I confirm that, if I am asked to transport players to and from matches, my vehicle will be appropriately taxed, insured and have a valid MOT Certificate if necessary.
- ☐ I accept that when attending matches or practices, my safety, and that of any non-participating children in my charge, is my responsibility.

I enclose my subscription as a cheque/cash for £ 5

Name of Parent / Guardian

Signature of Parent / Guardian Date:

Under guidelines issued under the GDPR in 2018, please sign below if you have no objection to the details given in this form being held on computer. These details will only be used for club purposes and will only be available to committee members and only for the purposes associated with newsletters and membership details. They will not be shared with any other persons or agencies.

..... Date.....
You will be advised how you can have this information removed.

MEDICAL INFORMATION

For statistical purposes the Club needs to record information on disability and we would be grateful if you could complete the next section.

1. Does your child experience any condition requiring medical treatment and/or medication
Yes ☐ ☐ No ☐ **If yes, please give details**
2. Does your child have any allergies?
Yes ☐ ☐ No ☐ **If yes, please give details**
3. Does your child have any specific dietary requirements?

Yes ☐ ☐ No ☐ **If yes, please give details**
4. Please provide any further information you feel is necessary.

I confirm that to the best of my knowledge, my son / daughter does not suffer from any medical condition other than those detailed above. If this should change, I agree to notify the Club as soon as possible.

I consent to my child receiving medical treatment which, in the opinion of a qualified medical practitioner may be necessary.

Disability

The Disability Discrimination Act 1995 defines a disabled person as anyone with 'a physical or mental impairment, which has a substantial and long-term adverse effect on his/her ability to carry out normal day-to-day activities'.

Does your child have a disability? Yes ☒ No ☒

If yes, what is the nature of the disability?

☐ ☐ Visual impairment

☐ ☐ Hearing impairment

☐ ☐ Physical disability

☐ ☐ Multiple disability

☐ ☐ Learning disability

☐ ☐ Other (please specify)

I am able / unable to offer my support regularly / occasionally to the Club on a voluntary basis

- ☐ Administration
- ☐ Practical (please indicate which area, e.g. building, plumbing, general assistance)
- ☐ Team management
- ☐ Coaching - I am willing to attend the appropriate courses and undergo a CRB check

COACHES

The Club's coaching staff are all ECB qualified and their coaching activities are covered by the Club's insurance policy.

Club coaches and team managers have completed a Criminal Record Bureau check and have attended a Good Practice and Child Protection course.

All coaches have a first aid qualification.

All Club members and officials who have regular contact with children have a CRB check.

CODE of CONDUCT for JUNIOR MEMBERS

Colwyn Bay Cricket Club is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the well-being of all its members. The Club believes it is important that players, members, coaches, officials and parents associated with the Club should, at all times, show respect. You are encouraged to be open at all times and to share any concerns or complaints that you may have about any aspect of the club with the Junior Development Officer or either of the Child Welfare Officers.

As a member of Colwyn Bay Cricket Club you are expected to abide by the general rules of the Club, our Code of Conduct for Cricketers and by the following **junior club rules**.

1. All members must play cricket within the laws and in the spirit of the game.
2. All members must respect teammates, colleagues, opponents and officials. They must not make derogatory comments or gestures about teammates or opponents and never try to intimidate the opposition by threats or excessive triumphal behaviour.
3. All members must be polite to umpires and respect their decisions. **They must not show dissent.** Such behaviour invites sanctions from the Club's officials.
4. Members should keep to agreed timings for practice and matches or inform their coach or team manager at the earliest possible opportunity if they cannot play or are going to be late.
5. All members must wear the appropriate kit - properly! Cricket whites and suitable trainers or cricket boots should be worn for matches but tracksuits are permitted for practicing.
6. All players under the age of 18 years must wear helmets when batting and if standing up to the stumps when wicket keeping.

CHILDWELFARE OFFICERS

The Club Welfare Officers with the responsibility for the young members are:

Adam Campion

Huw Roberts

The Club Welfare Officers will:

Act as the first point of contact for the reporting of Child Welfare and Protection concerns.

Help and safeguard young people by assisting in the promotion and implementation of the *Welfare of Young People* at a Club Level.

Assist in raising awareness of others at the Club in respect of Child protection. Be a source of advice and information within the Club

Uphold confidentiality, as far as is practical, in all Child Protection matters.

CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS / GUARDIANS

Parents and / or Guardians must-

Encourage your child to learn the laws of the game and to play within the spirit of those laws.

Discourage unfair play and disputes with officials / coaches.

Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results.

Never force your child to take part in any sport.

Set a good example by recognising fair play and by applauding all good performances. Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.

Publicly accept the judgement of officials, without argument or comment.

Support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy cricket and develop within it. Use correct and appropriate language at all time.

Not forget that children are involved in organised sport for **their** enjoyment and **not yours**.

The Club has a policy for changing as it affects junior members and this is shown below. There is also an equity statement which outlines the open constitution the Club adopts. This is contained in the Club's Rules a copy of which is sent to every member each year.

CLUB CHANGING POLICY

The following guidelines apply to Adults and Young People (under the Age of 16) sharing changing facilities.

Players aged 10 and under must be supervised at all times by 2 adults of the same gender.

Adults should not change or shower at the same time and in the same place as young people under 16 unless there is no alternative

Parental consent should be obtained before youngsters share a changing facility with adults

If youngsters need to share facilities with adults, their parents should be allowed to supervise them whilst they are changing

If youngsters are uncomfortable changing or showering with adults, no pressure should be placed on them to do so. They should be encouraged to change at home.