

# Redditch Hockey Club



## Code of Conduct for Parents and Carers

The role of parents and carers within Redditch Hockey Club is a very important one.

Parents and carers have a big influence on the manner in which the clubs players conduct themselves. It is therefore very important that the parents and carers set an example in terms of their conduct and expect all members of the club to follow that example.

- Encourage your child to learn the rules and play within them.
- Discourage unfair play and arguing with officials.
- Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results.
- Never force your child to take part in sport.
- Set a good example by recognising fair play and applauding the good performances of all.
- Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.
- Publicly accept officials' judgements.
- Support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their sport.
- Use correct and proper language at all times.
- Encourage and guide performers to accept responsibility for their own performance and behaviour.
- Do not film or photograph any training sessions or matches without prior approval of the session organiser.
- Discipline within the club is taken very seriously and will be dealt with by the Club Disciplinary Officer and in accordance with the club constitution.