



Code of Conduct for Junior Members

1. Always arrive 'netball ready'! This means no jewellery, hair tied back, nails short and smooth and shoelaces tied securely.
2. Wear suitable sports clothing and well-fitting trainers or netball shoes with good grip. Fashion trainers are **not** allowed (no Converse, Nike Air Force Ones, etc). Club kit is encouraged but not essential for training sessions but **from September 2020 a club dress is required to play in senior matches (Year 7 upwards)**.
3. At the end of a match, whether you have won or lost, always show good sportsmanship with a handshake for each player of the other team and by giving three cheers. (Handshakes are suspended during social distancing but we will still do three cheers for the other team).
4. Show respect for the umpire. Never argue with the umpire's decisions, whether at training or in a match.
5. Please give positive encouragement to other members at all times. Support **all** members of the club, not just your friends, and act in a way that sets an example of good sportsmanship to others.
6. Always act considerately and speak respectfully to other players, coaches or umpires. We do want you to shout for the ball though!
7. Please listen when the coaches have asked you to, and do not bounce balls while the coach is talking.
8. Please help to look after the kit we share and help put bibs, balls and other equipment away at the end of your session.
9. Please be on time for training and competitions or tell your coach or team manager if you are going to be late or are unable to play.
10. Please go to the toilet before a training session so you don't need to go during that hour. If you do need to go during a session, you must ask your parent or one of our responsible adults to accompany you.
11. Bullying of any sort is unacceptable and will not be tolerated. Please talk to your coach if you are experiencing any kind of issue around this.



12. **COVID-19:** There are temporary new game rules in place while social distancing is necessary. Please listen carefully to your coach who will explain them to you and stick to the rules as much as you possibly can. Remember to stay at least 1m from your team mates wherever possible when at training.

13. Have fun! The rules are in place so that everyone can enjoy netball, stay safe and develop at their own pace. We welcome your feedback too so let us know if you have any ideas that might make your sessions better!

Thank you for reading and we look forward to seeing you at training!