

# TWICKENHAM CYGNETS FC

## CODE OF CONDUCT



As a **player** for Twickenham Cygnets FC I agree to the following:

- **I will** play within the rules and respect the decisions of the officials.
- **I will** be respectful to coaches, team managers, officials and volunteers for the time they give to my sport.
- **I will** respect and never underestimate my opponents, and not try to gain an unfair advantage over them.
- **I will** encourage and support all my fellow team members at all times without behaving in an unsporting way towards our opponents.
- **I will** always do my best in every situation during training and competition.
- **I will** accept success and take victory and defeat equally. Win or lose I will try to enjoy every moment on the pitch.
- **I will** not use foul or other inappropriate language.
- **I will** be punctual at all times for training and competition and be ready and prepared at the appropriate times.
- **I will** inform the club if I am unable to attend training and competition as expected.
- **I will** pay any fees for training and matches promptly.
- **I will** always inform my coach or the team manager of any injury or medical condition, which may affect my performance.
- **I will** take responsibility for myself in and out of competition or training, including ensuring I have appropriate and required kit for football.
- **I will** be proud to represent my club on and off the field.



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As a *parent/carer* for Twickenham Cygnets FC I agree to the following:

- **I will** be respectful to coaches, team managers, officials and volunteers for the time they give to my child's sport.
- **I will** encourage and support all team members at all times without behaving in an unsporting way towards our opponents.
- **I will** celebrate effort and good play from both sides.
- **I will** encourage my child and her team members at all times and never criticise them for making mistakes.
- **I will** accept success and take victory and defeat equally. Win or lose I will encourage my child to enjoy every moment and prioritise my child's football development over match results.
- **I will** never attempt to coach or offer instructions or advice that may contradict the guidance of the coaches.
- **I will** not use foul or other inappropriate language.
- **I will** help ensure my child is punctual at all times for training and competition and be ready and prepared at the appropriate times.
- **I will** inform the club if my child is unable to attend training and competition as expected.
- **I will** pay any club membership fees or costs for club events promptly.
- **I will** always inform the coach or the team manager of any injury or medical condition, which may affect my child's performance.
- **I will** recognise the club is run by volunteers and offer to help when I can.



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As a **club official** for Twickenham Cygnets FC I agree to the following:

- **I will** place the well-being, safety and enjoyment of each player above everything.
- **I will** promote a positive culture of learning and fun and prioritise player development over match results.
- **I will** ensure all activities are suited to the players' ability and age.
- **I will** encourage all team members at all times and never criticise them for making mistakes.
- **I will** encourage fair play and high standards of behaviour.
- **I will** not behave in an unsporting way towards our opponents nor seek to gain an unfair advantage over them.
- **I will** respect and abide by the league rules and always play the game in the right spirit.
- **I will** celebrate effort and good play from both sides.
- **I will** be gracious in victory and defeat. Win or lose I will encourage team members to enjoy every moment and promote learning and development over match results.
- **I will** not use foul or other inappropriate language.
- **I will** be prepared for training sessions and competitions and ensure the club's equipment is fit for purpose.
- **I will** take the relevant courses available to me to support me with player development and welfare.
- **I will** communicate with others (parents, opposition, league officials) in a respectful manner consistent with the values of the club.