



# CAYTHORPE & FULBECK JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB

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## ***A CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS/SPECTATORS AT CAYTHORPE AND FULBECK JUNIOR FOOTBALL CLUB MATCHES AND TOURNAMENTS***

- 1) Parents/spectators have a great influence on children's enjoyment and success in football. All children play football because they first and foremost love the game - it's fun. It is important to remember that however good a child becomes at football within the club it is important to reinforce the message to parents /spectators that positive encouragement will contribute to:
  - ◆ Children enjoying football
  - ◆ A sense of personal achievement
  - ◆ Self esteem
  - ◆ Improving the child's skills and techniques
- 2) A parent's/spectators expectations and attitudes have a significant bearing on a child's attitude towards:
  - ◆ Other players
  - ◆ Officials
  - ◆ Managers
  - ◆ Spectators
- 3) Parents/Spectators will be positive and encouraging towards **ALL** children, not just their own.
- 4) Parents/Spectators are encouraged to :
  - ◆ Applaud the opposition as well as our own teams
  - ◆ Avoid coaching during the game
  - ◆ Refrain from shouting, screaming, swearing or commenting on a player's performance or actions.
  - ◆ Respect the referee's decisions
  - ◆ Give attention to each of the children involved in football, not just the most talented
  - ◆ Give encouragement to everyone to participate in football
- 5) Parents and spectators should be made aware of these issues together with the club's other adopted codes of conduct and child protection policy.
- 6) CFJFC abide by the ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY and RESPECT POLICY of the local junior football leagues and the FA.
- 7) CFJFC requests that a parent/guardian is on site for the duration of training/matches in the younger age groups.
- 8) **A player can talk to the Welfare Officer if they are unhappy about anything at the club. The Welfare Officer for CFJFC is Victoria Windsor, Email: [welfare@cfjfc.net](mailto:welfare@cfjfc.net)**

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