

# LMCC Young Cricketers Parents and Families Code of Conduct

## Long Melford Cricket Club

Meeting Field  
Long Melford  
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<b>POLICY NAME</b>	LMCC Young Cricketers Parents and Families Code of Conduct		
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Whilst we at LMCC have always had an extremely supportive and dedicated group of parents, we also realise that the role they play in the cricketing development of their children is pivotal to the success of our player development programmes.

Each official, as well as each child are subject to strict Code of Conducts.

The Parental code exists merely to guide and help parents to give all the young cricketers the best opportunity of performing.

### Parents, guardians and families agree to

- Attend matches as often as possible to support their child and the team they are representing – without your support LMCC young cricketers' youth programme would not be able to function.
- Encourage and help the players to meet targets, including abiding by the players Code of Conduct.
- Support the players without pressure, praise good work and refrain from criticising lapses.
- Set a good example to the players.
- Encourage their child to participate in cricket activities.
- Demand that their child treat other players, coaches, officials and spectators with respect regardless of race, creed, colour, sex or ability.
- Not engage in any kind of unsportsmanlike conduct with any official, coach, player or parent such as booing and taunting, refusing to shake hands or using profane language or gestures.

- Communicate with the LMCC age group coach and manger, keeping them informed about matters affecting the player.
- Avoid going onto the field of play or to give advice about the game to their child at any stage of the game.
- Not enter the dressing room at any stage of the match except in exceptional circumstances, such as injury, when this may be waived at the discretion and invitation of the Coach or Manager.
- Not interfere, unless specifically requested, with the warm-up, or comment on involvement of their child in the match.
- Respect the privacy of scorer and the score box, only entering when requested to do so.
- Respect the role of the Coach and/or Manager during or after matches by not giving different advice to that which has been given.
- Emphasise skill development and practices and how they benefit their child over winning.

## **BREACH OF POLICY**

If there is a breach of the policy or you feel there has been please contact the club welfare officer -Shelley Davey [jsidavey27@gmail.com](mailto:jsidavey27@gmail.com), as soon as possible.

If you are found to be in breach of this policy this will be investigated by either your clubs welfare officer, county welfare officer, or ECB safeguarding team. You will also be asked not to attend the club until this matter is resolved.