

SWAFFHAM RUGBY CLUB

GUIDENCE FOR PARENTS ON CHILD PROTECTION POLICY

Swaffham Rugby Club is committed to the well being and care of the children placed under our care.

The RFU/RFUW has a well documented Child Protection Policy which the Club strictly adheres to.

Any allegations or suspicions against the staff, coaches or volunteers at the Club, should in the first instance be addressed to the "Person in Charge". Details of the responsible people are listed at the end of this document.

Should the allegation be against the "Person in Charge" then the allegation should be reported to the Club Youth Chairman.

Once a suspicion is raised or allegation is made there is a set procedure, that the CPP lays out, that the Club will follow. The Club Children Protection person is in possession of all the necessary documentation and contact numbers.

There are 2 routes that the investigation will follow;

If the allegation is deemed to be based on "Poor Practice", then it will be dealt with as an internal club matter.

If, however, it is suspected that the allegation is based on an unlawful act then the investigation will be referred to the RFU/RFUW professional people. They will advise on referral to the Social Services Department and involvement of the Police.

The Policy document is held by the Person in Charge and is available for Parents to read.

Please be assured that all occurrences will be dealt with in strict confidence and within the guide lines defined in the RFU CP Policy.

Swaffham Rugby Club Person in Charge of Child Protection Policy:

Mr Ian Warner, Breydon, Mill Lane, Swaffham.
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