

Cuckfield Cricket Club

Photography, Filming and Social Media Broadcasting Policy

Cuckfield Cricket Club wishes to ensure proportionate controls are in place for the use of photographic equipment (cameras, and videos, including mobile phones). This policy is in place to ensure safeguarding good practice is followed, therefore for the avoidance of doubt, these guidelines also apply to live broadcasts on social media or other platforms.

- Photographs/images are not to be taken at matches or training without the prior permission of the parents/carers of the child.
- The children should be informed a person will be taking photographs
- The children should be informed that if they have concerns, they can report these to the coach or team manager
- Any concerns regarding inappropriate, or intrusive, photography should be reported to the coach or team manager and escalated to the Safeguarding Officer. These concerns should be recorded in the same manner as any other child protection concern.
- The Club will ask for parental and child permission to use images and wherever possible, show the image to the parents and child in advance. This ensures they are aware of the way the image will be used to represent cricket and The Club
- If the cricketer is named, The Club will avoid using their photograph
- If a photograph is used, The Club will avoid naming the child
- The Club encourages the reporting of inappropriate use of images of children. If you are concerned, report your concerns to the County or Club Safeguarding Officer
- The club will only use images of children in appropriate kit (training or competition), to reduce the risk of inappropriate use, and to provide positive images of the children
- The Club encourages the reporting of inappropriate use of images of children. If you are concerned, report your concerns to the County or Club Safeguarding Officer
- Coaches and Team managers, are responsible for ensuring visiting teams are aware of this policy and adhere to it in accordance with safeguarding practices

Using video as a coaching aid:

Video equipment is a legitimate coaching aid. If in use, players and parents/carers should be aware that this is part of the coaching programme. Any material taken in connection with coaching, must be stored securely and deleted or destroyed when a parent requests this, or when the material is no longer needed. The parents/carers and children must provide written consent for the use of photography and video analysis.

Cuckfield Cricket Club participate in the live online streaming of adult league games. Those in attendance at The Club on these occasions, consent to being so in the knowledge of this live streaming. This notice should be clearly displayed at The Club.

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