



# Barnsley Cricket Club



Chairman – Peter Brannan      Vice Chairman - Adrian Willis

## Child Protection Policy Statement

Barnsley Cricket Club is committed to creating and maintaining the safest possible environment for children and young people to practice Cricket.

We do this by:

- Recognising that all children have the right to freedom from abuse.
- Ensuring that all our staff and volunteers are carefully selected and are supported in their role and responsibility with regard to the duty of care for children and young people.
- Responding quickly and appropriately to all suspicions or allegations of abuse, and providing parents and children with the opportunity to voice any concerns they may have.
- Appointing a Child Welfare Officer who will take specific responsibility for child safety and act as the main point of contact for parents, children and outside agencies.
- Ensuring access to confidential information is restricted to the Child Welfare Officer or the appropriate external authorities.
- Reviewing the effectiveness of our Child Welfare Policy and activities each year at the end of our Annual General Meeting.

Our Club Welfare Officer is **Kath Grigg – 07803 047 444**

Deputy Club Welfare Officer is **Jayne Shaw – 07903 930 884**

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