



# BRADFORD & BINGLEY CRICKET CLUB

Wagon Lane, Bingley, BD16 1LT

Dear Parent/Carer

Bradford & Bingley Cricket Club welcomes you and your child(ren) to the club. We hope that your child(ren) will enjoy playing cricket, the coaching and training given and match playing. We also hope that as members you will enjoy the social interaction at the Club. The aim of this letter is to provide information that may be helpful to you as members. Please do ask me; the Club Welfare Officer, or any Committee Member or Coach/Team Manager if you have other questions not answered in this letter.

The club is run by a number of volunteers. We welcome offers of help from all members and players, and hope that you will feel able to get involved. We do not under-estimate the contribution made by parents both with taxiing juniors to and from practices and matches, washing kit, cheering them from the sidelines and much more. We also value parental involvement with the running of the Club: coaching, fund raising activities and support at social events whenever you can. In the registration form we ask for your occupation, this is not compulsory but we are grateful if you fill this in, as we may appreciate your knowledge or advice. The Club is always looking for parental help – please do consider helping out if you can, contact Sue Critchlow at [bbccsecretary2018@gmail.com](mailto:bbccsecretary2018@gmail.com).

We are a Clubmark club and we adhere to the 'Safe Hands' Policy for Safeguarding Children in Cricket (available to view online at [www.ecb.co.uk/safeguarding/policy-and-procedures](http://www.ecb.co.uk/safeguarding/policy-and-procedures)). Details are also available on the notice board at The Pavilion, included with this welcome pack and on the Bradford & Bingley C.C. website. All of the adults at the club who work with children and meet the necessary criteria are vetted by the ECB. This includes the enhanced DBS and 'Barred List' check (formerly known as CRB checks).

Whilst we hope your child(ren) will be happy and content at the club we understand that sometimes questions, concerns or difficulties may arise. Please feel able to raise these as soon as possible so we can rectify things at the earliest opportunity. If you have a question regarding coaching; please approach the Coach/Team Manager in the first instance. However, please do not interrupt coaching sessions, especially nets practice, as this may distract the coach when he needs to be supervising the children. Our coaches will be happy to speak to you before or after training or at another convenient time. Likewise if you have questions about kit requirements, training times, pick up arrangements etc.

If you have any concern about your child(ren) or another child, or about the behaviour of any adult at the club, please speak to me, the Club Welfare Officer, you can contact me using the details at the end of this letter. Additional support can be gained via the YCB County Welfare Officer; Ray Knowles who you can contact via email [ray.knowles@live.co.uk](mailto:ray.knowles@live.co.uk), or telephone 07917 205860.

Finally, all members are reminded of the Bradford & Bingley Cricket Club Code of Conduct for Members and Guests, which is included in this pack along with our Club Expectations for Juniors, which we would request that you could ensure your child(ren) are aware of.

Please note that your child/ren should not be left unsupervised at training sessions or matches and should you not be at the ground/pitch it is your responsibility to appoint someone in loco parentis.

Yours faithfully

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