



AFC Corsham

Child Welfare Information for Parents

AFC Corsham is committed to the safeguarding and welfare of all children and young people, including youth referees. We are committed to the enjoyment of football for your child and all children at the club.

We are signed up to the FA Respect Code of Conduct. We ask you to read the Code of Conduct for players, parents and coaches at the start of each season so that you know what you can expect from the Club and what the Club expects from you. We ask you to help your child understand and keep to the Players Code of Conduct.

If you would like to know more about how to support your child in football take a look the Respect guide for parents and carers at www.youtube.com/watch?v=jLivcha2-ZI.

AFC Corsham has a number of policies in place to help protect children. You can find copies of the Child Protection Policy, Equal Opportunities Policy and Anti-bullying Policy on the notice board in the clubhouse. You can also request a copy of these policies.

If you have a welfare/safety concern about your child or another child, or concern about the conduct of any adult at the club, your first port of call will be to contact the Club Welfare Officer.

If you have a practise concern, then your first port of call will usually be your Team Manager. If you unable to resolve any issue, AFC Corsham has a Complaints Procedure; however you might like to contact the Chairperson or Welfare Officer first, as they may be able to help address any issue. Complaints should be put in writing to the AFC Corsham Management Committee.

AFC Corsham Welfare Officer's role is to promote and support the welfare of children and young people at the club. She is always happy to talk with you and listen to any concerns or suggestions. In the first instance please email deblewishome@gmail.com or phone 01249 701216. You can also contact Debbie



for copies of policies. Debbie's role is also to make sure the Club follows FA best practice recruiting procedures and if you become a volunteer at the Club she will contact you about CRB/DBS and volunteer applications.

We hope your child enjoys their football at AFC Corsham and you will see them grow in confidence and skill during their years here.

Simon Bray
Chairman
AFC Corsham