

Senior Players Code of Conduct - 2025

- Women's 1st XI
- Men's 1st & 2nd XI
- Men's Over 50s, 60 & 70s

Bucks Cricket is committed to the well-being, development and realisation of potential of all involved in its programmes and teams.

This code applies to all activities run by Bucks Cricket. Any matters regarding this code should be addressed to either the CEO, Richard Hudson <u>Richard.hudson@buckscricket.co.uk</u> or the Safeguarding officer Emma Boswell-Harris <u>safeguarding@buckscricket.co.uk</u> or the Chairman, Ian Hodgson <u>ian@hodgsons.me</u>

BUCKS CRICKET VALUES

- Cricket is a game for everyone
- Enjoyment
- Progress through Collaboration

BUCKS CRICKET AGREES TO PROVIDE:

- A safe and enjoyable environment in which players can learn and develop without fear or abuse.
- A structured programme of training and matches
- Qualified coaching, other relevant staff and appropriate facilities.

THE PLAYER AGREES TO:

- Contribute to creating a safe, welcoming and inclusive environment
- Work towards the attainment of your full potential
- Remember that playing cricket is for enjoyment
- Behave and dress in an appropriate manner (on and off the field)
- Play cricket in a competitive manner but maintain the highest standards of sportsmanship, accepting victory, defeat and umpire's decisions with dignity and grace.
- Not to use foul or abusive language, nor aggressive behaviour, on or off the field.
- Treat all (coaches, officials, team-mates, and opponents) as you would like to be treated remember without them there would be no game
- Ensure that, when applicable, strict confidentiality is adhered to in respect of any Bucks Cricket CIO activity, official, player or parent.
- Abide by the Bucks Cricket social media policy do not use photos/videos of U18s for your own social media unless permission has been granted by their parents. Do not 'follow' or engage with any U18s on social media, including WhatsApp communications
- Be a positive role model for Bucks Cricket in other cricket environments (e.g. Club)

Wherever possible, those representing Bucks Cricket should play for a Cricket Club within Buckinghamshire. Further detail for Men's 1st/2nd and Women's 1st XI is provided here: <u>Player Eligibility Criteria</u>

Anti-Discrimination

Bucks Cricket strives to stamp out any form of discrimination and to make the game more inclusive and diverse. We therefore ask everyone to play an active role in making Cricket a game for everyone and by noting that Bucks Cricket is fully signed up to the <u>ECB Anti-Discrimination code</u>.