



Offerton Park JFC House Rules



The following points have been agreed by the OPJFC committee as a way of ensuring that the club is run in a safe and professional manner. A copy of the FA Respect Policy is also attached for your reference.

As an FA Charter Standard club it is imperative that all players, officials, coaches, parents and spectators adhere to these.

For more information on the Charter Standard and Respect code please follow the link on our website

www.offertonparkfc.co.uk

1. Parents are required to attend all matches (and where applicable training sessions). Where you are not able, coaches and the Child welfare officer must be informed. This ensures the safety of your child which is no 1 priority. In addition as our coaches are involved in matches/sessions, their time can be increasingly diverted away from the game/session by children 'storming off' when substituted or not involved, something which is obviously better managed by the child's parent.
2. No smoking on any of the premises on which OPJFC lease, train or play games.
3. Ensure that any home premises that OPJFC play/train on is litter free on exit.
3. Ensuring that coaches/officials are assisted in getting nets/equipment out and putting them away.
4. Encouragement of your child during a game/session is vital. However parents giving direct orders over a coach actually confuse a child and as such can have a negative impact on the session/game & tactics.
5. During a match or training session the tactics/decisions taken by the coach in charge must be respected. Should you feel you need to discuss any aspect of a game/training session please speak with the coach upon completion of the game.
6. On travel to away games the arrangement of lifts with other parents must be pre-arranged where possible. Please swap mobile numbers/email addresses and liaise with other parents.
7. All parents/spectators are required to stand behind the Respect line/barrier. OPJFC can be disciplined by the FA if this is not observed.
8. No swearing on any premises leased by the club, around officials and more importantly our players. This includes any dressing rooms or car parks, home or away.

The above points are by no means exhaustive and will be updated as the committee sees fit. Your child's safety and welfare are our number one priority; helping to adhere to the above will not only ensure this but also assist the clubs reputation and keep OPJFC looking like a professional club, ensuring we do not breach the FA rules and ultimately are not fined or suspended from our footballing activity.

Please remember that all coaches and officials of the club give their time for free. Please support them and your child by signing below and helping to ensuring the above points are noted and adhered to.

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