



## **CHILD PROTECTION POLICY**

Football can contribute to the physical, social, emotional and spiritual development of young people. However, this only applies if all the adults involved are positive role models and display high moral and ethical standards.

### **In recruiting staff and volunteers the Club shall:**

- Appoint a nominated contact for child protection (Child Welfare Officer).
- Ensure staff/volunteers are checked by:
  - Completing a criminal record check
  - Completing a personal disclosure form
  - Taking up references (two if possible – one on work with children one on involvement with sport)
- Ensure staff/volunteers complete The FA's Child Protection and best practice workshop.

The Club is committed to the development of the programme of ongoing training and awareness events and activities in order to promote Child Protection within its own organisation and in the wider context, within football as a whole.

### **ADOPTION OF POLICY**

CHAIRMAN Chilcompton Sports FC	<i>Secretary holds signed copy</i> Name	Date: <i>Secretary holds signed copy</i>
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