



# Churchdown Panthers Football Club

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## **Churchdown Panthers – Parent/Guardian/Adult Code of Conduct**

The committee of Churchdown Panthers FC ask you to abide by this code of conduct at all training sessions and club matches.

If you cannot, then we may ask you not to watch Panthers sessions, or be involved as a volunteer. Please be responsible, follow the code, and allow everyone to enjoy great football.

Please remember:

- These are young people playing for their enjoyment, not yours. This is not the world cup!
- You have a responsibility to encourage young people to play by the rules.
- Please accept that the game is about enjoyment and teamwork, and not always about winning.
- Please ensure respect of those players on losing teams.
- Please never shout instruction or disappointment at any young player. Use your voice to support positive encouragement.
- Set an example – applaud both teams.
- Never publicly question a referee decision, or doubt his or her integrity.
- Help to remove all verbal and physical abuse in football.
- Recognise the value and importance of coaches, the time they give up, and that they may have given teams and individuals certain challenges that you are not aware of.
- Please adhere to the FA Respect guidelines, and remain behind the crowd barriers where in use.

### **Safeguarding:**

Please remember that it is everyone's responsibility to report any concerns around child welfare. Please see the clubs safeguarding policies for how.