



# PARENTS/GUARDIANS



## CODE OF CONDUCT

Cwmbran Town AFC supports the Football Association of Wales "Behind the Line, Behind the Team" Campaign, which aims to improve behaviours in junior and youth football in Wales. We all have a responsibility to ensure that everyone involved in football finds it to be a fun, safe and positive experience.

As a parent/spectator, please play your part and get 'Behind the Team'; show your support for your child and the team by reading and agreeing to the FAW Code of Conduct. By signing the below declaration you are demonstrating your understanding and willingness to abide by the following:

**Support and motivate all players, including the opposition and encourage my child to do the same.**

**Encourage my child to play by the laws of the game and teach them that they can only do their best.**

**Never publicly criticise or ridicule my child or any another player.**

**Not to place my child under pressure or push them into unwanted activities.**

**Not to interfere with the coach's instructions and not to confuse the players by telling them what to do - LEAVE THE COACHING TO THE COACHES!**

**Show appreciation and support for the coach and match officials.**

**Respect and not question decisions made by the match officials.**

**Avoid pressurising players about winning or losing - applaud effort and good play as well as success.**

**Respect and not question decisions by the coaches.**

**Behave responsibly and never engage in the use of foul, abusive, insulting or inappropriate words, behaviour or gestures.**

**I will pay subs in a timely manner and if I have difficulties, I will contact the coach, I understand the clubs policy that players cannot be more than 2 months in arrears. If 2 months is exceeded then I understand that my child will not be able to partake in training or matches (subs must be up to date to re-register).**

**Understand that ALL Kit belongs to the club and will return it if my child leaves.**

**Get Behind the Line and remain within the Designated Supporter Zone (where provided).**

**If I disagree or have any concerns regarding my child's coaches actions, I will discuss these in a polite manner after the match or training and if required way from children that are present. I will talk problems through with coaches and not other parents.**

**Not to make inappropriate comments about another player, coach, official, spectator or volunteer on any websites or social networking sites which may bring the game into disrepute.**

**Respect all team Coaches equally, no one coach is able to do this without the support of their co-coach.**

**Communicate with the Coaches on a regular basis about child's availability.**

**I will ensure my child wears the correct footwear & shinpads at all times, for their safety & others.**

**Any breaches or concerns will be dealt with by action being taken against you by either the club, Area Association or the Football**

**Association of Wales, including:**

**Verbal warning**

**Asked to leave the side-line**

**Summoned to a meeting with a Club, League or Area Safeguarding Officer or Club Committee**

**Requested to not attend future games**

**Required to leave the club, regrettably along with any other dependants**

**Subjected to a fine and/or suspension on the club imposed by the FAW.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent / Guardian of: \_\_\_\_\_

Cwmbran Town Age Group: \_\_\_\_\_ Child's Photo Consent\* YES  NO

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Photo Consent- I give permission for photographs of my child to be used on CTFC website or other social media channels. NB. When matches are played in public places it is often impossible to monitor that no photo's are taken of your child. Please speak to one of the safeguarding officer along with your coaches if there are certain conditions in which it is paramount that no photos are shared of your child & we can discuss options. Please refer to the personnel section on the website if you need to discuss any concerns.

Please sign this form and return to your Club Safeguarding Officer or Club Secretary. Please note, a signed copy of this form is required before your child can participate in any Matches. Please also retain a copy for your own records.



**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION.**

Details of club officials can be found on our website, if you have any concerns

