



Policy Statement on Photography and Video

The ECB and this club are keen to promote positive images of children playing cricket and does not want to prevent the use of photographic or videoing equipment, in relation to cricket activities.

The ECB and this club understand parents and carers should not be prevented from taking pictures of, or filming, their children. These are normal family practices and help mark milestones in a child's life.

The ECB and this club therefore wishes to ensure photography and video footage taken within cricket is done so appropriately.

Mobile phones or any other technological equipment capable of taking photographic images and/or video recordings are **NOT** allowed to be taken into changing rooms, during Colts' training sessions or matches.

Photographs are considered 'personal data' in terms of the Data Protection Act. Depending on the circumstance, consent from either the child, adult, or both should be sought before capturing, sharing or publishing images where a child can be identified, including posting on the Club's website or Social Media accounts.

Photographs/images are not to be taken at matches or training without the prior permission of the parents/carers of the child/ren

This permission can be given by proxy by the Coach of each team only after parental consent for this has been granted on the Player's Annual Membership Form.

If no consent has been given for a child on the Player's Annual Membership Form, then it is to be made known to the relevant person of the other team (e.g. Coach/Team Manager) so the appropriate person/s taking photographs for the other team is/are aware and can avoid taking photographs of that particular child.



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The children should be informed a person/s may be taking photographs.

The children should be informed that if they have concerns they can report these to the Coach or Team Manager.

Concerns regarding inappropriate, or intrusive, photography should be reported to the Club Welfare Officer and recorded in the same manner as any other child protection or safeguarding concern.

Only images of children in appropriate kit are to be used (training or competition), to reduce the risk of inappropriate use, and to provide positive images of the children.

If the club wishes to use a child's image, parental permission will be requested in advance. The image will be shown to the parents and child before being used. This ensures that they are aware of the way the image will be used to represent cricket and the club.

Using video as a coaching aid:

Parents, carers and players will be made aware that this is part of the coaching programme,

Parents, carers and children must provide written consent for the use of photography and video analysis

All material taken in connection with coaching, must be stored securely and deleted or destroyed when a parent requests this, or when the material is no longer needed.