

EAST RENFREWSHIRE GOLF CLUB'S CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS/CARERS

As a parent/carer of a junior member you are expected to abide by the following code of conduct.

You should:

- Encourage your child to learn the rules and play within them.
- Discourage unfair play and arguing with club staff/officials.
- Help your child to recognise good performance and effort, not just results.
- Set a good example by recognising fair play and applauding good performances of all.
- Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.
- Publicly accept officials' judgements.
- Support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their golf.
- Use correct and proper language at all times.
- Never use threatening or abusive behaviour towards children, officials, coaches or other parents.
- Always notify the Junior Organiser if you will not be attending or going to be late for a coaching session/competition.
- Ensure that coaches are made aware of any pre-existing medical conditions your child has.
- Ensure that all correspondence and consent forms are replied to by the due date.
- Ensure that your child is dropped off and picked up on time after each session.

At all coaching, Junior Sunday club and Junior Week there is always at least one person and frequently more than one, who is PVG cleared and who has completed the relevant CWPS modules. All other volunteer helpers who, on occasion, offer additional support on the course or the practice ground are PVG cleared. In addition, volunteer helpers have been given appropriate guidance from East Renfrewshire Golf Club's Safeguarding Officer, which is regularly updated. All volunteers sign a Code of Conduct confirming that they have received internal training from ERGC. If you have any concerns about this or wish more information, please contact the club office in the first instance on 01355 500256.

I am aware that if I have a concern or would like to speak with someone outside the Club, I can contact Scottish Golf's Safeguarding Team on safeguarding@scottishgolf.org or telephone 07812665164.

Name (print) Signed

Date

NAME OF CHILD

Name (print)

Date