



THE GOOD PARENT/CARERS CODE

Parents and carers should:

- Remember, young people play rugby for their enjoyment, not only yours
- Teach children that honest endeavour is as important as winning, so that the result of each game is accepted without disappointment
- Help young people to work towards skill improvement and good sportsmanship
- Not place emphasis on winning at all costs.
- Recognise the value and importance of volunteer referees and coaches
- Identify and acknowledge the good qualities of the Game of Rugby and uphold these values
- Remember you and your child's contribution to the Game of Rugby is very important to Luctonians RFC and the RFU, and be proud of your contribution

Parents and carers must:

- Encourage your child always to play by the Laws of the Game
 - Set a good example by applauding good play on both sides
 - Never ridicule, humiliate or shout at players for making a mistake or losing a match.
 - Not force an unwilling child to participate in the playing of rugby - if the child is to play, he/she will do so in good time through your encouragement
 - Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from rugby
 - As a spectator do not use profane language or harass referees, coaches, club officials, or players
 - Do not publicly question the referee's judgement and never their honesty
 - Understand the value of team sport and its importance
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