

Policy Statement by Chairman Blandford Rugby Football Club

The responsibility for ensuring the successful management of Blandford Rugby Football Club on behalf of all members is vested in me as the Club Chairman.

My objectives are to:

- Prevent injury to all players, including any visiting players.
- Provide a safe environment in which the Health and Safety of all club members is paramount.
- Provide volunteers who act as Coaches and Team Managers or other roles within the club with suitable training to undertake their role and ensure that they are supported by more experienced coaches or club members.
- Ensure that all who assist with the running of the Mini and Youth Section, Blandford Rugby Football are correctly vetted in accordance with current RFU requirements.
- Develop and adhere to a series of Codes of Conduct and Procedures to ensure the safety and well being of all members of Blandford Rugby Football Club
- Maintain a Discipline Policy to ensure all members of the club act in a manner appropriate to the Core Values of Rugby.
- Ensure that all personal information relating to club members is managed in accordance with our Privacy Policy in accordance with the advice and guidance on this matter issued by the RFU and in accordance with the General Data Protection Regulations.

To achieve these objectives, policy statements on Health and Safety, Safeguarding (including Child Protection), Equity, Discipline and Privacy have been prepared as necessary and are to be reviewed on an annual basis. To aid in the implementation of these documents and policies set out in this document are the Terms of Reference for the Committee and Job Descriptions for all roles within the club.

Thomas Davis-Richings
Chairman
Blandford Rugby Football Club
Dated August 2021