



PHOTOGRAPHY (including video)

BEFORE TAKING PHOTOS

- The individual intending to take the photographs must have authorisation to do so from the event planners, venue management and any other key stakeholders
- Children and their parents/carers must be informed how, where and for how long the photo will be used and provide their written consent for the photography to take place.

WHEN TAKING PHOTOS

- Children should be informed who is taking the photos and be introduced to them
- Children should be fully and appropriately dressed for the activity
- Children should be shown engaging in tennis and positively reflecting their involvement in the sport
- Any children whose parents have not given consent for them to be photographed should be easily identifiable (for example, by wearing a sticker) without being excluded from the tennis activities
- Photos should be of a group of children or adults where possible
- Photos should be representative of the diversity across tennis, with regard to age, gender, gender alignment, ethnicity and disability

WHEN PUBLISHING PHOTOS

- Do not include the full name of a child whose photo is being used. If naming a child or group of children, only use their first names, as this will reduce the risk of inappropriate or unsolicited attention
- Avoid including other identifying information about children (such as their school, friends and other hobbies and interests as this information can be used by others to identify them)
- Be clear about how and for how long photos will be securely stored
- Report any inappropriate content to the LTA Safe and Inclusive Tennis team as soon as possible

CODE OF CONDUCT

All have read and understand this statement.

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SOCIAL MEDIA STATEMENT

Cheddar Lawn Tennis Club recognizes the importance of social media for children and young people's development. However, we recognize that relevant safeguards need to be put in place during any tennis session and/or competition to help keep children and young people safe whilst online or using social media.

We therefore ask that all parents/carers read through and discuss this Social Media Statement with their child/children:

- I will be responsible for my behaviour when using the internet and social media, including the content I access and how I conduct myself.
- I will not deliberately create, browse or access material that could be considered offensive or illegal. If I accidentally come across any such material, I will report this to Sarah Strawbridge, the club's Welfare Officer.
- I will not use social media or the internet to send anyone material that could be considered threatening, offensive, upsetting, bullying or illegal.
- I understand that all my use of internet and social media is potentially visible to everyone in the online world and that any issues involving my behavior may be addressed by Sarah Strawbridge, the club's Welfare Officer.
- I will not give out any of my personal information such as name, age, address or telephone number online.
- I will not share my passwords with anyone else.
- I will not arrange to meet someone that I have met online.
- I understand that these rules are designed to keep me safe and if they are not followed my parents/carers may be contacted.
- I will avoid using my mobile or smartphone during activities as I understand that it will have an impact on my safety and my opportunity to learn and achieve.
- I am aware that if I am experiencing bullying behaviour or abuse online, I can contact Sarah Strawbridge, the club's Welfare Officer.
- I know I can also contact Childline on 0800 11 11 if I have any worries about something I've seen or experienced online.