BRITISH TAEKWONDO COUNCIL

Safeguarding – Protecting Children Policies and Procedures

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PARENTS AND CARERS CODE OF CONDUCT

The BTC recognise that to make children feel safe, valued and to enhance the learning and development of those who attend our training sessions, a positive and effective partnership with parents/carers is essential and is encouraged by our clubs at all times. All BTC clubs strive to provide a safe welcoming and happy environment for all children and families. The policy is used as a guide for parents/carers to achieve our goals.

- Remember that children play for their fun, not yours!
- Encourage your child always to abide by the rules and to respect the Instructor, club officials and volunteers.
- Encourage children to train, do not force them.
- Praise your child's efforts whether it be in training or competition whether they win or lose.
- Never ridicule your child for not performing or making a mistake.
- Children learn best by following a good example.
- Learn the rules to better understand what you are looking at and commenting on.
- The Instructors decision must never be questioned.
- If any problems, questions, concerns, discuss them with the Instructor, Club Welfare Officer and not other parents/carers.
- Condemn the use of violence, profane language and any form of abuse.
- Think of how you can best help the Instructor, club or your child to improve.
- Unless in an emergency or you are requested to do so by a Club Official, do not enter the training area**.**