

Buckhorn Weston Cricket Club

Transport to Matches - juniors



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All parents/carers are responsible for the safe delivery and collection of their child for matches or training. Where they are unable to provide their own transport this will be arranged at the parent's discretion.

It is expected that adult team members DO NOT transport a junior player in the adult team in a vehicle alone.

Coaches, or in an Adult Team, the Captain, will be responsible for children in their care when on the club premises or on arrival at opponents' cricket grounds.

It is not the responsibility of the coach to transport, or arrange to transport, the children to and from the club or match.

The club will ensure permission from parents/carers is given for children to participate in all competitions and away fixtures/events

Policy on Managing Children Away from the Club

In any given season, as many as 50 % of matches can be played away from the club and that's without tours and festivals or similar events. For a club to be able to demonstrate its duty of care to the children in its team/s a robust generic protocol needs to be able to fit all occasions.

The club will:

Follow ECB recruitment guidelines for team managers/coaches and volunteer appointments

Follow ECB supervision guidance for cricket activities involving children

Ensure the team has agreed to act within the appropriate ECB and/or Club Code of Conduct

Be in possession of a written copy of relevant emergency contact details and any medical needs/ information for all children taking part

Ensure team managers/coaches understand the ECB "Safe Hands Policy".