

Blackheath Fencing Club

Parents and Carers Code of Practice

- Encourage your child to learn the rules and fence within them
- Discourage unfairness and arguing with officials
- Help your child recognise good performance and behaviour not just results
- Set a good example by recognising fair play and applauding good performances
- Support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their sport
- Never force your child to take part in sport
- Encourage and guide your child to accept responsibility for their own performance and behaviour
- Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes
- Publicly accept official's judgements
- Use correct and proper language at all times
- *Take any issues or complaints about members, coaches or other parents/carers to Club Officials and do not try to resolve it yourself*
- Pay club fees when they are due
- *Please ensure your child is delivered to and collected from the Club at the correct times by persons who are known to the Club Officials.*
- *Ensure the Club has up to date contact details*
- *Ensure the Club is aware of any health issues affecting your child that may need to be addressed while training or in a competition*

Items in italics are additional to the national guidelines