

## **Code of Practice for junior members**

Chiltern Harriers A.C. is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the well-being of all its members. The club believes that it is important that members, coaches, administrators and parents associated with the club should, at all times show respect and understanding for the safety and welfare of others. Therefore, members are encouraged to be open at all times and to share any concerns or complaints that they may have about any aspect of the club with Martyn Cartwright, the Young Athletes Coordinator or Sue Ellerby and John McCarthy, the Athletes Welfare/Child Protection Officers. The contact details for these Officers of the club are available on the clubs website – www.chiltern-harriers.org.uk

As a member of **Chiltern Harriers A.C**. you are expected to abide by the following code of practice:

- All members must participate within the rules and respect coaches, officials, volunteers and their decisions.
- All members must respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of age, gender, ability, race, cultural background, religious beliefs or sexual identity. All members must respect their competitors and each other.
- Members should keep to agreed timings for training and competitions or inform their coach or team manager if they are going to be late or absent.
- Members must wear suitable kit for training sessions and club kit for all competitions.
- Members must pay annual membership fees and any fees for training or events promptly
- Junior members are not allowed to smoke at training sessions or while representing the club.
- Juniors are not allowed to consume alcohol or drugs of any kind (other than prescribed medication) at any club training sessions or while representing the club.