



Camberley & District Athletic Club

Founded March 1954. Affiliated to UKA, EA, SEAA, SCAA & SPFA

Code of Conduct for Parents/Guardians

Camberley & District Athletic Club is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the wellbeing of all its members. The club believes that it is important that members, coaches, administrators and parents associated with the club should always 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 **any of the coaches or committee members**.

As a responsible parent/guardian or person with parental responsibility you agree to:

- Encourage your child to learn the rules and play within them.
- Support your child's involvement and help them to enjoy their sport.
- Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results.
- Encourage fair play, respect and dignity of all athletes and officials.
- Set a good example by recognising fair play, good manners and applauding the good performances of all.
- Publicly accept officials' judgements.
- Always use correct and proper language.
- Never place undue pressure on children to perform, participate or compete in sport.
- Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.
- Know exactly where your child will be and who they will be with, at all times.
- Pay membership and training fees promptly when requested.
- Inform your child's coach or team manager of any illness or disability that needs to be taken into consideration for athletic performance.
- Ensure the club is aware of any medication your child is taking and that they are carrying essential medications with them at all times.
- Register cameras, phones or videos, which are to be used to take photographs or film at events or training. This is in line with UKA guidelines and outlined in our Club Welfare policy.
- All athletes and guardians are responsible for ensuring that explicit permission is gained for photographs from the athlete's parent or guardian and that intention for usage is outlined. Inappropriate images of club athletes are not to be used on social network sites. Images must not be 'tagged' (named).