



## **SHENLEY CHURCH END CRICKET CLUB**

### **Child Protection Policy**

Shenley Church End Cricket Club (SCECC) has a duty of care to safeguard all children involved with SCECC from harm. All children have a right to protection and the needs of disabled children and others who may be particularly vulnerable into consideration. The Club will ensure the safety and protection of all children involved, through adherence to the Child Protection Guidelines adopted by SCECC.

### **Policy Aims**

- Provide children and young people with appropriate safety and protection whilst in the care of SCECC
- Adopt a procedure for dealing with concerns about possible abuse
- Encouraging and supporting parents and carers
- An awareness and education of others to understand what factors cause young people harm
- Identifying risks to young people

### **Promoting Good Practice**

SCECC recognise the need to provide a safe and caring environment for children and young people. The Club also acknowledges that children and young people can also be victims of physical, sexual, emotional abuse and neglect.

SCECC has therefore adopted the procedures set out in the ECB document “Safe Hands – Welfare of young people in cricket policy”.

The Club also recognises the need to build constructive links with statutory and voluntary child protection.

This policy will be reviewed annually