

## **St Brendan's Park FC - Parents Charter**

1 – Parents must always show respect for all players, opponents, managers/coaches and officials. A Parent should always conduct his/herself in a manner which will never bring St Brendan's Park FC's good name into disrepute.

2 – Players must be on time for training and matches and must be collected on time afterwards.

3- Please ensure that all membership fees and training/match fees are paid on time when requested. This is essential for the financial security of the club and to enable the club to provide Football for your child's benefit.

4 – Coaches and team managers must be allowed to carry out their club duties without interference from parents. If you wish to have a discussion with the coach, please contact them after training or the match. If you are unhappy with any aspect of a coaches behaviour you should contact the Director of Football/Club Secretary to discuss.

5 – Respect the manager's / coaches decisions.

6 – Please never criticise our players or visiting players, encouragement and support is what they really need.

7 – Support the club's fund-raising activities where possible. Your help is always welcome and appreciated.

8- Support the club's strategy in promoting skill development and practice over winning and be patient in giving your child the time to play and learn the game. Be realistic in your expectation of your child's football abilities, given time and support they will always improve as players.

9 – Be aware of the clubs strict Anti-Bullying stance. If you have concerns, talk to a coach, Director of Football or a member of the Clubs Management Committee. If you have a serious Child Welfare concern, then please speak in confidence to the Club Chairperson/ Child Welfare Liaison Officer.

Parents: Please note that the above Parents Charter is intended to provide clarity for parents as to what the club expects of you. We also intend that as parents you will feel informed of what you can expect from the club and what to do if you wish to talk to the coach or the club management on any issue.

Finally, please note that the club is run by volunteers, can you help?? If coaching is not for you then perhaps you can help in other ways, we would love to hear from you. There is a huge amount of work to be done to keep a club like ours going. All help is valued and appreciated.

## **St Brendan's Park FC - Players Charter**

1 – Players must show respect for team-mates, coaches, opponents and all club officials. A player should always conduct his/herself in a manner which will never bring St Brendan's Park FC's good name into disrepute.

2 – Players must be on time for matches and training.

3 – Players must wear their club kit/ clothing on club duty and are encouraged to show pride in displaying the colours of St Brendan's Park FC. Take responsibility for preparing properly to play football.

4 – Players should help coaches tidy up after training and matches and respect our club facilities at all times.

5 – Players must pay membership fees and training fees when requested,

6 – Players must co-operate with coaches and participate fully in training drills when required.

7 – Players should ensure that coaches are aware if they cannot train or play matches for whatever reason. (Parents, please note that in the case of younger players we ask that you assist with this)

8 – Bullying and Anti-Social Behaviour will not be tolerated and if you feel you are being bullied please tell your coach and your parents immediately. This includes all forms of Racism or Offensive/Threatening Conduct

9 – Play Football to enjoy yourself, have fun and look after your health and well-being.

Note: Academy players are not required to sign this form but parents are requested to explain to their children what is required of them when on club duty.