



Lowdham Colts Football Club - Health & Safety Policy



We will endeavour to provide a safe environment in which players, managers and spectators can enjoy football activities such as training and matches.

Managers and coaches will assess risk and take reasonable measures to prevent harm.

Where local facilities are used the Club will follow the guidance provided by the facility provider.

The club will follow guidelines to comply with the FA Insurance Policy.

The club will establish where and how access is gained by emergency services to the pitch/club house.

The Club will follow any published FA Guidance (eg The FA Goalpost Safety Guidance, Guidance on travel & trips) .

Managers will :

- a. check the pitch before use for obvious dangers e.g. broken glass, drink cans, excreta
- b. Ensure goalposts are erected appropriately and always supervised by adults
- c. Establish where the nearest land line or mobile phone is
- d. Endeavour to ensure a First Aider or Emergency Aider is present at all matches
- e. Establish those individuals who have recognised emergency first aid qualifications and encourage managers to obtain a First Aid qualification
- f. Complete an Incident/Accident Report Form for any incident / accident and send a copy to the Club Secretary