



Ware Lions Community Football Club

Briefing for Parents

Ware Lions Football Club, Football for All for 50 Years

This season, Ware Lions FC will celebrate its 50th anniversary. We are, and have always been, a genuine community club and seek to make football fun and affordable for everyone. **Our core value is to promote Football for All.**

The Club Committee

The Club Committee are responsible for the management of the club ensuring it's well run and that our players enjoy their time at Ware Lions. For details on the Club Committee, please visit the club website- www.warelionsfc.co.uk

Ware Lions' Code of Conduct & Respect Programme

Our club code of conduct provides some rules and guidance which must be followed by all players, coaches and parents and all our policies follow the guidance from the FA. The code of conduct is available from the Club Documents section on the club website- www.warelionsfc.co.uk

We all have a responsibility to promote high standards of behaviour at our club. Ware Lions is supporting the FA's Respect programme to ensure football can be enjoyed in a safe, positive environment. Please remember children's football is a time for them to develop their technical, physical, tactical and social skills. Winning isn't everything. Play your part and observe our Code of Conduct for spectators and parents/carers at all times.

Safeguarding Policy and Reporting Concerns

If you are concerned about your child or another child in the club, you should contact our Club Welfare Officer (CWO) in the first instance:

Jane Daffada, Ware Lions Child Welfare Officer
(t) 07767 350198
(e) welfare.warelions@gmail.com

For concerns of a serious nature or for advice and guidance contact the FA:

Gemma Chaffey, FA County Designated Safeguarding Officer
(t) 075538 990836
(e) gemma.chaffey@hertfordshirefa.com

If you're worried about on line abuse or the way someone is communicating on line, you should contact the Child Exploitation and Online Protection Command (CEOP). You can do this from the Safeguarding section on the club website- www.warelionsfc.co.uk

For Further Information

- Visit the club website for short films on the Respect programme and Safeguarding, details of club policies and for club news and events
- Speak to your team manager
- Speak to another member of the Club Committee

The Club Committee wish you all a very enjoyable, successful and positive season at Ware Lions.

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