

Code of Conduct for Coaches, Volunteers, and Members

The Code of Conduct sets out the standards of behaviour expected from all members, coaches, volunteers, and parents involved with Ballinasloe Athletics Club.

Responsibilities of Coaches and Volunteers:

- Prioritise the safety and welfare of children at all times.
 - Treat all athletes with respect and dignity.
 - Ensure a safe and inclusive environment for all.
 - Avoid any behaviour that could be considered inappropriate or abusive.
 - Maintain appropriate boundaries with children.
 - Report any concerns about child welfare or inappropriate behaviour to the CCO or DLP.
 - Comply with the club's safeguarding and anti-bullying policies.
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Responsibilities of Members:

- Treat fellow members, coaches, and volunteers with respect.
 - Participate in club activities in a safe and fair manner.
 - Adhere to the rules and regulations of the club.
 - Report any bullying, harassment, or inappropriate behaviour to a coach or club official.
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Responsibilities of Parents/Guardians:

- Ensure children are dropped off and collected on time for club activities.
 - Encourage children to follow the club's rules and respect others.
 - Support coaches and volunteers in creating a positive environment.
 - Report any concerns to the CCO or DLP.
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Breaches of the Code of Conduct:

- Any breaches of this code will be addressed through the club's disciplinary procedures.
 - Serious breaches may result in suspension or expulsion from the club.
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Review

This Code of Conduct will be reviewed annually or as necessary to reflect changes in club practices or legislation.