



Code of Conduct on the use of Social Networking Websites

The Football Association ("the FA") has issued clarification to Participants relating to the use of social networking sites, **including, but not limited to** Twitter, Facebook and internet blogs.

Please note that ALL Participants should be aware that comments made on such social networking sites may be considered and seen as public comment, and that further to the FA Rule E3, that any comments which are deemed improper, bringing the game into disrepute, or are deemed as threatening, abusive, indecent and/or insulting may lead to disciplinary action by Tenterden Tigers JFC ("TTJFC"), the Kent County Football Association ("KCFA") and the football league ("League") to which that or those Participant(s) are registered to.

Comments made by ALL Participants which are personal in nature or could be construed as offensive to one or many person(s), the use of foul language or to contain direct or indirect threats aimed at other participants or language which is deemed to infer unfair or inappropriate behaviour by another participant are likely to be considered improper and will be dealt with by TTJFC, and/or the KCFA and/or the League.

Participants are required to act in the best interests of the game and all those involved with the game at all times. All Participants should be aware of the contents of this Code on Social Networking when using ALL social networking websites. Furthermore, Participants are reminded that postings on social networking sites which they believe to be visible to a limited number of selected people may still result in this posting ending up in the public domain and consequently, therefore, it is imperative that care should be exercised in relation to ALL of the contents to such postings by ALL Participants.

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Finally, TTJFC, the KCFA and the League would remind ALL Participants that social networking postings could also lead to civil proceedings being brought by affected parties.

Please sign and date this Code of Conduct for the use of Social Networking Websites. This document forms part of your Conduct for Players, Parents and Managers for this and forthcoming seasons.

Player/Manager/Parent/Guardian (please indicate your position with Tenterden Tigers JFC – circle one and/or both)

Name of Player/Manager/Parent/Guardian

PLEASE PRINT NAME:

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SIGNATURE:

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DATE:

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