

Ramsbottom Cricket Club

Junior Foundation

Transporting Children Policy

Parents/carers are responsible for the safe delivery and collection of their child for matches or training. If a parent/carer is unable to transport a child to a match/training/competition the parent/carer must organise for another family member or friend to take/collect the child. It is not the responsibility of the coach or team manager to transport, or arrange to transport, the children to and from the club or match.

Coaches and club staff will be responsible for children in their care when on the club premises or on arrival at opponents' cricket grounds.

The club must receive permission from parents/carers for children to participate in all competitions and away fixtures/events (player profile form).

Parents/carers who are not remaining with their child should ensure that the coach or team manager has at least 2 contact numbers in the event of a late collection.

In the event that it is not possible to contact a parent within half an hour of the match/competition official finishing time, the coach/manager will ensure the safe return of the child to Ramsbottom CC but will not travel alone with the child.

In this event, the club Welfare Officer and Chair of the Committee should be informed and appropriate action taken. Depending on the circumstances, this may result in a child being prohibited from attending matches/competitions unless a parents/carer remains throughout.