

HARLAXTON SPORTS AND SOCIAL CLUB
Manor Drive, Harlaxton NG32 1HU

SAFEGUARDING VULNERABLE ADULTS POLICY STATEMENT

Harlaxton Sports and Social Club is committed to creating and maintaining the safest possible environment for vulnerable adults to play sport and participate in social activities.

We do this by:

- Recognising that vulnerable adults have the right to freedom from abuse and harm
- Responding quickly and appropriately to all suspicions or allegations of abuse
- Providing vulnerable adults, parents and carers, coaches and volunteers with the opportunity to voice any concerns they may have
- Adopting disciplinary measures and sanctions that are non violent and don't impose humiliation
- Adopting a named officer to take specific responsibility for safeguarding vulnerable adults
- Reviewing the effectiveness of our policy and procedures regularly
- Working with external agencies, including social services and the police, to ensure that as far as possible children and young people are protected
- Adopting a zero tolerance approach to bullying. Incidents of bullying will be investigated and treated seriously, with action taken to stop bullying in line with the procedures set out in our Constitution