



Transport and Supervision of Children Policy

- Parents/guardians are responsible for junior players' transport arrangements to and from any training session or competitive event, except when the club is providing transport.
- Arrangements made between parents/guardians to transport one another's children are at the sole discretion of the parents/guardians concerned. MKJIHC will not facilitate, encourage or take responsibility for the safety of these arrangements. If the parent/s are also club volunteers this arrangement will be made between parents and at this time the individual will not represent the club.
- Coaches and volunteers should not transport junior players in their private vehicles in non-emergency situations. In an emergency the child's welfare is paramount and where a failure to act may place them at risk of harm, transporting a child may be necessary. In such a situation, two Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) checked adults from the club will transport the child. In all cases the child should be seated in the back seat. If possible, consent from parents/guardians should be obtained in advance.

Supervision

- The parent or guardian of any player younger than 18 is to be present during all training and events and will retain responsibility other than inside the changing room.
- In the event that a child is being left under the supervision of the club or another adult (such as another child's parent), the parent or guardian should ensure that their team manager or coach is aware and that you have provided prior written consent for emergency medical treatment if required.
- If parents/guardians are not accompanying their child, valuable items and cash should be limited and the club takes no

responsibility for any losses.

- Children requiring personal or regular medication or medical care should always be accompanied by a parent or guardian able to administer their treatment.