



CODE OF PRACTICE & CONDUCT FOR OFFICIALS AND VOLUNTEERS

The essence of good ethical conduct and practice is summarised below. All volunteers must:

- 1 Consider the well-being and safety of participants before the development of performance.
- 2 Develop an appropriate working relationship with players / members, based on mutual trust and respect.
- 3 Make sure all activities are appropriate to the age, ability and experience of those taking part.
- 4 Promote the positive aspects of the sport (e.g. fair play).
- 5 Display consistently high standards of behaviour and appearance.
- 6 Follow all guidelines laid down by BADMINTON England and the association.
- 7 If required to control an activity an appropriate CRB, valid qualifications and insurance cover necessary for the activity must be held by the officer / volunteer. Always try to ensure that when controlling an activity that you are not left as the only adult or official / volunteer at the activity.
- 8 Never exert undue influence over players / members to obtain personal benefit or reward.
- 9 Never condone rule violations, rough play or the use of prohibited substances.
- 10 Encourage participants to value their performances not just results.
- 11 Encourage and guide participants to accept responsibility for their own performance and behaviour.
- 12 Promote the positive aspects of the sport of Badminton whenever possible.

SIGNED:

DATE:

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POSITION: SSBA Chairperson