



OLDHAM

NETBALL CLUB



Player Rules

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By registering as a member of **Oldham Netball Club (ONC)**, players and their parent/carer (where the player is under 18) confirm that they have **read, understood and agree to abide by the club rules outlined below.**

These rules are in place to promote a positive, respectful, safe and team-focused environment for everyone at ONC. Membership of the club is conditional upon following these expectations at all times when training, competing or representing Oldham Netball Club.

Players are expected to uphold the standards and values of ONC both **on and off the court**. Parents/carers are responsible for ensuring that their child understands these expectations and supporting them in meeting the standards required by the club.

By providing consent, you acknowledge and agree that **failure to follow these rules may result in appropriate action being taken by the club**, which may include discussions with the player and/or parent/carer, restrictions on participation, or a review of the player's membership where concerns are serious or repeated.

By consenting, I confirm that I have read and understood the Oldham Netball Club Player Rules and agree that I/my child will abide by them as a condition of membership.

- **Play not only to win, but to learn and grow.**
- **As an ONC member, you are required to represent ONC exclusively at the club level. Playing for multiple teams or attending training academies is not allowed.**
- **Always follow the rules of the game.**
- **Never argue with the umpire. If you have a concern, ask your captain to calmly approach the umpire during halftime or after the game for clarification.**
- **Do not use abusive language towards players, umpires, or spectators.**
- **Understand that being part of the squad means you might not start or play in your preferred position every game. The needs of the team come first. While we will support your personal development, team decisions may take priority.**
- **Treat your opponents with respect, as you would like to be treated. Without them, there is no game.**
- **Show respect to yourself, your teammates, coaches, managers, and parents. Be courteous to all adults and officials. Negative or offensive comments toward teammates, coaches, or umpires will not be tolerated.**
- **After a game, give three cheers, and captains should always thank the umpires.**
- **Follow the club's kit policy, ensuring you arrive presentable and in full kit—no fashion or franchise hoodies.**
- **Warm up properly, as it helps prevent injuries.**

- **Don't ignore pain or discomfort. If you're injured or suspect an injury, inform your coach immediately.**