



GUIDELINES FOR USING THIS SECTION ON CHILD PROTECTION, WELFARE AND WELL-BEING

Child protection, welfare and well-being is a top priority for Kanturk GAA club and all involved with the club has a responsibility in this regard. (The term child refers to anyone in the club under the age of eighteen years)

THIS SECTION INCLUDES THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS

- GAA Code of behaviour (underage)
- Maintaining appropriate levels of behaviour in our work with Children and young people
- Kanturk GAA club child protection policy
- Kanturk GAA Club Child safeguarding statement
- Kanturk GAA Club Anti-bullying Policy
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- Role of the club Children's officer
- Role of the club Designated liaison person and Deputy Designated Liaison person

It is hoped that members will become as familiar as possible with the above documents, but at least that, coaches, parents, supporters, referees, and committee members with the document ***'Maintaining appropriate levels of behaviour in our work with children and young people'*** and in particular the relevant section for each.

The issue of **child abuse** is an issue that members need to be aware of. It is a sensitive issue. The club has a responsibility in this regard. The document, ***'Kanturk GAA Club child protection policy'*** is central in dealing with the issue within the club. Please take the time to become familiar with this document.

It is a requirement that anyone in the club involved with children are Garda Vetted.

The person with specific responsibility for the above is the club Children's officer, who is **Pat Bradley (087 6814745)**.

The club's Designated Liaison person is **Pat Bradley** and The Deputy Designated liaison person is **John Healy**.

