

# CHARTER STANDARD COMMUNITY CLUB

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# Kew Park Rangers Football Club 'RESPECT' Policy.

"Respect" is The FA's programme of activities to combat unacceptable behaviour in our game at every level - on the pitch and from the side lines.

The Respect initiative came into being following an opinion survey of grass roots football carried out in late 2007. The objective of the initiative is to ensure a safe, positive environment for everyone to enjoy football and, in particular, to have an impact on the following areas:

# Referee recruitment and retention:

By tackling abuse towards match officials, the FA hope to reduce the stream of referees understandably leaving the game.

#### Participation within youth football:

Abuse and pressure from the side lines needs to stop if we are to ensure young children enjoy, stay and progress in the game.

# Coaching and player development:

An encouraging and player-centred approach is vital if we are to improve coaching standards - particularly for the key 5-11 age-group. It's simple: better coaches produce better players.

# Safeguarding children:

Everyone in football has a duty of care towards children - ensuring they are able to play football in a safe, enjoyable environment free of abuse, bullying and discrimination.

Signed for and behalf of Kew Park Rangers FC

Chair

Secretary