

## Dear Parent / Carers,

Each player has been provided with a code of conduct so they understand what is expected of them. This advice to parents/carers is provided in the knowledge that they will be keen to assist in ensuring that young players have the best chance to make the most of their opportunities within DERFC-Cricket Section's coaching and playing programme.

The process that leads to the successful development of players is a complex one, involving the identification of technical strengths and weaknesses and working on both these elements. The development of personal qualities such as honesty, reliability, strong work ethic, and a positive attitude to coaching alongside taking responsibility for their own game and performance make up the key disciplines required.

The support of parents/carers is extremely important to this process. However, it can create difficulties for coaches and players alike if they are receiving mixed messages leading to distractions during games; hence we have put together the 2 following documents that we would ask you to note.

This is intended to guide and assist you so that you feel part of the team involved in DERFC-Cricket Section.