

## Guidance on Transporting children or young people to and from tennis matches

- Broughton and District Tennis Club do not organise travel for juniors to and from tennis matches.
- It is the full responsibility of parents to ensure appropriate transport arrangements are made.
- Ideally parents/carers should transport their own child/children, if this is not
  possible, they may choose to make private arrangements with another adult
  (such as a family friend) to transport their child. In this instance parents/carers
  are responsible for their children's safety and for the suitability of any travel
  arrangements.

Guidance to Parents transporting someone else's child:

- Avoid transporting someone else's child alone, make sure there is another
  person in the car with you. This could be your own child, preferably it should
  be the parent/carer of the child you are transporting.
- Inform the parent/carer of transport arrangements how long the journey will take
- Make sure you have a point of contact and mobile phone should you break down or the match runs on.
- Always ensure all the children in your car wear seatbelts.

[Guidance regarding the seat-belt law introduced in September 2006, for more information please visit <a href="https://www.gov.uk/seat-belts-law">https://www.gov.uk/seat-belts-law</a>

- Children must have an appropriate child restraint or seatbelt when travelling in a car or goods vehicle.
- Under 12 years old or 135cm tall must use the right type of booster chair or booster cushion
- o Older children should use an adult seatbelt
- The driver will be responsible for letting people know that they must use seat belts.]