



Safeguarding at

www.cothamtennis.net and www.simonportertennis.co.uk

If you have any concerns about a child (or if a child discloses to you) or an adult at risk, however small, please contact:

Our new Welfare Officer Rhys Hodson via:



cotham.park.tennis@gmail.com 07763442397

Hi, I'm Rhys, I am keen to keep Cotham Park Tennis Club friendly, welcoming and inclusive and have the safety of our children and adults at risk as a top priority working with our Head Coach Simon Porter and his team of coaches. Please contact me if you have any concerns or questions.

'Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility'- NSPCC

Contact: www.lta.org.uk/safeguarding for LTA secure forms.

You can also direct your concerns directly to

- **The police in an emergency (999)**
- **Local Authority Children's Services Bristol First Response Team: 0117 9036444**
- **Local Authority Adult Services Bristol Care Direct: 0117 9222700**
- **Designated Officer (England only) for concerns/disclosures about a member of staff, consultant, coach, official or volunteer: 0117 9036444**

Our Commitment

- Our Welfare Officer and all coaches are safeguarding trained. We also ensure that this training is kept up to date.
- Any coaches that work for the club have a valid DBS.
- Safeguarding is discussed at all our monthly committee meetings.
- We ask that all our coaches, members, parents and children follow the code of conduct. This can be found on the Safeguarding noticeboard in the clubhouse where there are full versions of all our relevant policies.