

Hale Tennis Club

Code of Conduct – Changing Rooms

Hale Tennis Club strives to ensure that all children are safeguarded from abuse and have an enjoyable tennis experience. This document sets out the club's policy for the acceptable use of our changing rooms.

- Groups of children will have sole use of changing rooms. This reduces any risks and potential vulnerability associated with mixing adults and children when changing and showering.
- If adults and children need to have access to changing rooms at the same time, the children will use the disabled toilet for changing.
- Under no circumstances will adult staff, coaches or volunteers change or shower at the same time as children using the changing rooms.
- Mixed gender groups of children will have access to separate changing rooms.
- If we are made aware that a child or adult self-identifies as a gender that differs from the gender they were assigned at birth, we will work with them and their parents/carers (where it relates to a child) to make reasonable adjustments to changing arrangements to suit their needs.
- Mobile phones and other electronic devices must not be used in changing rooms.
- For younger groups of children, a DBS checked member of staff or volunteer will wait outside the changing rooms to allow children to call for assistance if required.