



## HIGH WYCOMBE LAWN TENNIS CLUB

Bassetsbury Lane, High Wycombe HP11 1QU

### HWLTC CHANGING ROOM POLICY

Our changing rooms and toilets are small and combined in a single room for each sex plus an accessible toilet.

As it is impractical to prevent adults and children from using the toilets at all times, a policy of “come changed” has been adopted for all children using the club.

Parents and travelling teams/players will be made aware in advance and advised to make alternative arrangements and to take appropriate additional clothing e.g. tracksuits etc.

In the event that a child needs to change their clothes e.g. after a soiling incident or injury then they should be given access to the accessible toilet and supervised by their parent/carer.

Under no circumstances may a coach or volunteer enter with them.

Coaches and parents will also be asked to be alert to any signs of distress after a child has used the toilets in case an incident with another child or adult using the toilets has occurred.

During group junior coaching sessions signage will be placed on entrance to toilet/changing rooms stating “no adult changing or showering”.

Use of mobile phones and other image capable devices is prohibited in toilet/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 (n.b. for more information on this please go to <https://thecpsu.org.uk/help-advice/topics/lgbt-young-people-and-sport/>)

This policy will be drawn to the attention junior parents/carers by email and by coaches running junior sessions.