

Kippen Tennis Club Policy on Unsupervised Children

We recommend that children under the age of 13 are supervised by their parents/carer whilst at this tennis venue and outside of any venue sessions, such as coaching lessons or tennis camps.

Children under the agreed age of supervision should never be left unsupervised by a parent/carer even if there are other adult venue members or staff present. If the parent/carer is unable to supervise their child, arrangements need to be made by the parent/carer to designate an alternative adult to supervise. The venue and child must be aware of any such arrangements.

Arriving and leaving a venue alone.

Children under the agreed age of supervision should not be allowed to arrive at or leave the venue alone unless you have written consent from the parent/carer.

It is recommended that tennis venues should conduct a thorough risk assessment of the venue, including access to its facilities, the location and security measures to help inform the decision about the appropriate age at which children do not need to be supervised by a parent/carer. Once venues decide on an appropriate age, this should be communicated to all members especially ensuring that parents/carers of all junior members are fully aware)