



Stepps Lawn Tennis Club Unsupervised Children Policy

Stepps Lawn Tennis Club recommend that children under the age of 13 are supervised by their parents/carer/guardian whilst at this tennis venue for general play.

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

Arriving and Leaving The Club Alone

Children under the agreed age of supervision should not be allowed to arrive at or leave Stepps Lawn Tennis Club alone unless the club have explicit consent from the parent/carer/guardian.

Parent's Responsibility

It is a parent/carer/guardian's responsibility to teach their child how to respond to emergencies or situations that may arise outside the house, so they feel confident when their child is not under their supervision.

Parents, carers and guardians are advised to refresh their knowledge of the following Stepps Lawn Tennis Club policies available in the Policy Folder in the clubhouse or at clubspark.lta.org.uk/SteppsLTC/ClubPolicies:

- Anti-Bullying.
- Code of Practice for Members.
- Health & Safety.
- Photography & Filming of Children.
- Safeguarding.
- Use of Changing Rooms.

Welfare Officer contact details: Dorothy Tracey (steppswelfareofficer@gmail.com).

Other advice on keeping children safe is available at

www.nspcc.org.uk/

www.gov.uk/topic/schools-colleges-childrens-services/safeguarding-children

www.northlanarkshire.gov.uk/social-care-and-health/public-protection/child-protection