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Where Football Meets Friendship
Footy Friends United Ltd

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Safeguarding & Child Protection Policy

Footy Friends United Ltd is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all children attending our sessions, camps and events. We provide a safe, positive and inclusive environment where every child feels supported and valued.

Scope: This policy applies to all coaches, assistants, volunteers and anyone involved in activities delivered by Footy Friends United Ltd.

Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL): The Designated Safeguarding Lead for Footy Friends United Ltd is the Director. All safeguarding concerns must be reported immediately using the contact details above.

Safeguarding Standards: Enhanced DBS checks for all coaches; safeguarding training completed; first aid trained staff present; appropriate coach-to-child ratios; clear behaviour expectations; no inappropriate use of mobile phones or devices around children.

Code of Conduct: Coaches and volunteers must treat children with respect, avoid one-to-one situations without visibility, use appropriate language, avoid unnecessary physical contact, and follow venue changing room guidance.

Photography & Social Media: Images will only be taken with parental consent and used responsibly.

Reporting Concerns: All concerns are taken seriously, recorded, and handled sensitively. Where required, concerns will be referred to the appropriate safeguarding authorities.

Confidentiality: Safeguarding information is shared on a need-to-know basis only.

Policy Review: This policy is reviewed annually or following any safeguarding incident.

Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL):

Kevin Lenton, Director Footy Friends United Ltd

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Director, Footy Friends United Ltd

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