

## CHANGING ROOM POLICY<sup>1</sup>

Chipping Campden Tennis Club (CCTC) strives to ensure that all children (anyone under 18) are safeguarded from abuse and have an enjoyable tennis experience.

This policy applies to all staff, coaches, volunteers, players, parents/carers, and any other individuals associated with CCTC.

This document sets out the CCTC policy for the acceptable use of our changing rooms.

- 1. 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.
- 2. Under no circumstances will adult staff, coaches or volunteers change at the same time as children using the changing rooms.
- 3. Mixed gender groups of children will have access to separate changing rooms.
- 4. 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 <a href="https://thecpsu.org.uk/help-advice/topics/lgbt-young-people-and-sport/">https://thecpsu.org.uk/help-advice/topics/lgbt-young-people-and-sport/</a>)
- 5. Mobile phones and other electronic devices must not be used in changing rooms.
- 6. For younger groups of children, it will be necessary for a DBS checked member of staff or volunteer to be nearby to allow children to call for assistance if required when using the changing facilities.
- 7. If it is difficult to adhere to any of these requirements players should be encouraged to come to the club for tennis already changed.

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