

## COLEBRIDGE TABLE TENNIS CLUB

### CODE OF PRACTICE FOR MEMBERS

Colebridge is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the well-being of all its members. The club believes that it is important that members, coaches, administrators and parents associated with the club should, at all times, show respect and understanding for the safety and welfare of others. Therefore, members are encouraged to be open at all times and to share any concerns or complaints that they may have about any aspect of the club with Kate Hughes (Welfare Officer) or Ben Willson (Membership Secretary).

As a member of COLEBRIDGE, you are expected to abide by the following code of practice whilst at the club, or when representing Colebridge during competitions.

- ➔ All members must play within the rules and respect officials and their decisions.
- ➔ All members must respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of age, gender, ability, race, cultural background, religious beliefs or sexual identity.
- ➔ Do not 'hog' a table when others are waiting to play. During busy open sessions, play best of 3 set matches not best of 5, or if practicing, limit your table time to 15 minute sessions.
- ➔ Members should keep to agreed timings for training and competitions or inform their coach or team manager if they are going to be late.
- ➔ Members must wear suitable kit, for training and match sessions, as agreed with the coach or team captain.
- ➔ Members must pay any fees for training or events promptly.
- ➔ Members along with any visitors should sign their name into the attendance book upon arrival.
- ➔ Members are not allowed to smoke on Colebridge premises or whilst representing Colebridge at competitions.
- ➔ Members are not allowed to consume alcohol or drugs of any kind on the Colebridge premises or whilst representing Colebridge (except members over 18 years of age at organised Colebridge social events).