

**Club Membership Secretary :**

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New Junior /Senior Members must be agreed by committee meeting before his/ her agreed membership to the club.

By signing this completed form, I understand and agree to the following:

- (Parents Micros – u14's) - My son/daughter taking part in the activities of the club and I am responsible for them immediately before and after every club session (including training sessions, matches, social etc.).
- (Parents Micros - u11s) - To remain on site at Scariff RFC at all times. Scariff RFC does NOT operate a 'drop & leave' facility. We like parents/guardians/accompanying adult to stay, watch and encourage the children during the sessions. If a child has to be left for any reason a responsible adult must be left in charge of the child and both the child and the child's coach must be advised as to who that responsible adult is. It is absolutely essential that at the end of the session someone is there to collect the players on time.
- I consent to the club maintaining records and information relating to the above named player in confidential electronic documents and in club information folders for the purpose of club administration in line with the clubs privacy. I understand that I have a right to see this information if I so desire, providing I give appropriate notice. **It is my responsibility to keep the club updated with all relevant information, especially emergency contacts and medical details.** I confirm the details shown on this form are correct
- I agree to abide by the Club's, RFU Codes of Conduct and Club's Disciplinary Code as may be amended from time to time.
- Scariff RFC, its servants, agents or employees (all volunteers), are not under any liability whatsoever for loss of property, accidents or injuries, of or to the above named player however caused during the course of training, matches or other events.
In the event of any injury or illness, all reasonable steps will be taken to contact me, and I give permission for the club and/or any medical authorities present, to administer any appropriate or necessary medical attention.
- ☐ Rugby is a contact sport, the club organises minimum group personal accidents insurance," **it ultimately remains the individual players or parents responsibility to ensure that he/she has adequate personal insurance cover."**
The Union/Club strongly recommends Schemes organised by the Unions Insurance Broker AON
<https://www.aon.com/ireland/groups-individuals/groups-individuals.jsp>
- The club will however will cover **30%** of A&E/ Local injury/physio or GP Payments up to 4 visits per player if he/she membership is paid in full
- We have an assigned physio/medical trained personal for all Senior matches all injuries must be reported at the time of injury and documented and weekly updates re recurrent problems. The physio must be used that is assigned by the club in the club.
- The club Gym is an extra charge to membership Barry Gibbons will need to induct you on equipment. CCTV is active in our club.
- Committee decision is final

The club may wish to take photos or videos of the team or players solely for promotion and celebration of club and RFU activities and training purposes. Please indicate if this is acceptable to you: **YES NO**. Please share any additional information with the club Safeguarding Officer Christina McKenna.

CODE OF CONDUCT

Code for Players

- Play for enjoyment and become part of the rugby family.
- Respect the "Game of Rugby" and play within the laws of the Game.
- Accept the referee's decision and let your captain or coach ask any relevant questions.

- Play with control. Do not lose your temper.
- Always do your best and be committed to the game, your team and your club.
- Be a "good sport". Applaud all good play whether by your team or the opposition.
- Respect your opponent. Treat all players as you would like to be treated. Do not "bully" or take advantage of any player.
- Rugby is a team sport and make sure you co-operate with your coach; team mates and members of your club.
- Remember that the goals of the game are to have fun, improve your skills and feel good.
- At the end of the match thank your opponents and the referee for the match.
- Always remember that you owe a duty of care to your opponents. Tackle hard but fairly, do not intend to hurt your opponent.
- Winning and losing is part of sport: Win with humility - lose with dignity.
- As part of the team it is important that you attend training regularly and ring or text to your coach to explain reason for non-attendance and listen to your coach and help your team.
- As a team sport it is important to understand that all members are important to the team!
- Remember you are representing your team, club, family and the Game of Rugby.
- Leave facilities and buses clean post our use
- Wear our club gear white shirt, black rugby tie with crest with black pants /jeans to all events asked by the President
- Assist the club in a yearly fundraiser
- Attend our after game sponsored food reception organised for you and your opposing team
- Try to help by selling your assigned allocated lotto book this keeps our club a float
- Play in our yearly charity match on ST Stephens day

Code for Parents

- Remember, young people play rugby for their enjoyment, not only yours.
- Encourage your child always to play by the Laws of the Game.
- Teach young children that honest endeavour is as important as winning, so that the result of each game is accepted without disappointment.
- Help young people to work towards skill improvement and good sportsman/woman ship.
- Set a good example by applauding good play on both sides.
- Never ridicule, humiliate or shout at young players for making a mistake or losing a match.
- Do not place emphasis on winning at all costs.
- Do not force an unwilling child to participate in the playing of rugby. If the child is to play, he/she will do so in good time through your encouragement.
- Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from rugby.
- As a spectator do not use profane language or harass referees, coaches or players.
- Do not publicly question the referees' judgement and never their honesty.
- Recognise the value and importance of volunteer referees and coaches.
- Identify and acknowledge the good qualities of the Game of Rugby and uphold these values.
- Remember you and your child's contribution to the Game of Rugby is very important to the IRFU and be proud of your contribution.
- Understand the value of team sport and the importance there of.
- Assist the club in a yearly fundraiser
- Assist catering for home blitzes by helping to provide food
- Try and attend your child's games, it is up to the parents to ask other parents for transport if unable to attend