



## **Cronkbourne Bacchanalians Hockey Club**

### **Junior Welcome Pack 2010/2011**

Welcome to Cronkbourne Bacchanalians Hockey Club, one of the Isle of Man's premier hockey clubs. Please take your time to read and digest this pack which hopefully contains all the information needed to become an active member of our successful Junior Section.

The aim of this pack is to make the season as enjoyable as possible for players, helpers, coaches and spectators. We hope you will gain an idea of how we function, what you can expect of us, what we expect of our members, how to order kit and importantly how parents/carers can become involved in the Junior Section. We are always keen to listen to new ideas and if you feel there is information that we should include for future seasons please tell us.

All members need to read and digest the contents of this Welcome Pack, complete a club registration form, preferably prior to, or during your first visit. We then look forward to meeting you and making you welcome at Cronkbourne Bacchanalians Hockey Club. If you have any questions please contact us.

#### Subscriptions:

The junior subscription fees (all under 13s) is £50. This includes training fees any match fees for junior leagues and social membership of CSSC for your parent .

Hockey items can be purchased at:

- Intersport, Strand Street, Douglas
- Barrington Sports ([www.barringtonsports.com](http://www.barringtonsports.com))

Club kit can be ordered by contacting the club Secretary  
[Bacchashc@hotmail.com](mailto:Bacchashc@hotmail.com)



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### Junior Section Guidelines 2010

Cronkbourne Bacchanalians Hockey Club is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the wellbeing 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, 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 either the Lead coach, any of the hockey committee or the welfare officer, Joyce Vernon-Browne ([Bacchaswelfare@hotmail.com](mailto:Bacchaswelfare@hotmail.com))

As a member of Cronkbourne Bacchanalians Hockey Club you are expected to abide by the following junior club guidelines:

- + All members must play within the rules of hockey and respect the officials and their decisions
- + All members must respect opponents and team mates. If players are unable to do this then the coaches will warn them and the player could be withdrawn from the match or the competition.
- + 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 should wear suitable kit and coaches have the right to withdraw players who do not have the appropriate personal equipment –
  - shin pads suitable for hockey
  - mouth guard
  - suitable footwear for playing on Astroturf – for training and matches as agreed with the coach/team manager
- + Members must pay any fees for training or events promptly.
- + Junior members are not allowed to smoke in or around the training venues or at any time whilst representing the club.
- + Junior members are not allowed to consume alcohol or drugs in or around the training venues or at any time whilst representing the club.
- + We strongly suggest that a drink and a snack is brought to all sessions and that you always have suitable clothing for wet/cold weather.



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### Our principles whilst looking after your child

Cronkbourne Bacchanalians Hockey Club has adopted the EH Child Protection Policy and Equity policy to ensure that the welfare and safety of children in the care or custody of Cronkbourne Bacchanalians Hockey Club is always the primary consideration. Full versions of these are available in the hockey download section of our website [www.cronkbourne.org.im](http://www.cronkbourne.org.im)

Our policies are predicted on the following three principles:

1. A child's welfare is the paramount consideration.
2. A child, regardless of age, ability, gender, racial origin, religious belief and sexual orientation has a right to be protected from abuse
3. The rights, dignity and worth of a child should always be respected.

Cronkbourne Bacchanalians Hockey Club believes:

- + That the safety and welfare of children should always be of paramount importance, whatever the circumstances.
- + That everyone with a role in working with children has a moral and arguably a legal responsibility to safeguard and promote a child's welfare particularly when it comes to protecting children from abuse.
- + That special care is needed in dealing with children whose age, inexperience or physical state makes them particularly vulnerable to abuse.
- + It is committed to providing an environment where children can learn about, participate in and enjoy hockey free from harassment or abuse.

### Information on players – 2010

Information on young players is collected via registration forms. It is collated on a database by the membership secretary and is shared with the club secretary and junior coordinator. The leader of each coaching session has a register which contains all relevant medical information and is accessible to all representatives of the club at the sessions or matches. Coaches and representatives of the club who have access to this information treat this information sensitively.



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### Accidents

Coaches plan all sessions to be as safe as possible however due to the nature of the game and the playing surface accidents can and do occur. We have an established first aid assessment procedure and accident reporting system. We will always inform you of any first aid incident involving your child and the action that we took.

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