**Brundall Bolts F.C - Policy for Parent/Carer supervision at Training, Matches and Tournaments.**

At Brundall Bolts F.C we actively encourage, and value the involvement and support of Parents/Carers and families to create a fun, safe, inclusive environment for the children to enjoy playing football.

In order to ensure this is achieved we ask that:

* Parents/Carers ensure that they have downloaded the Heja app and have profiles for themselves and all children who attend training and/or matches for Brundall Bolts.
* Parents/Carers must use Heja to register their childs attendance at training. This is vital to ensure that ratios are adhered to in line with FA regulations.
* Parents/Carers must write a note on Heja in the comments box if your child is to be collected by someone other than yourself, along with the collector’s emergency contact number for that session.
* Parents/Carers are expected to verbally communicate with the coach, and add a note on Heja, if you intend to leave your child at the session. If this is not done the assumption will be that you, or your designated adult responsible for your child, are in attendance. Please note that if due to unforeseen circumstances we are unable to meet FA ratios, we may ask you to stay at the session.
* Parents/Carers are requested to inform their child that they are not permitted to leave the session until the Coach has informed them the session has finished, and the Coach has visibly identified the person collecting.
* It is the Parents/Carers responsibility to ensure that the correct emergency contact number is on record for your child.

For Matches and Tournaments, Parents/Carers must be present, or arrange for a designated adult to be responsible for their child. This allows the Coaches to concentrate on coaching, and helps to ensure higher supervision ratios to maximise safety in busier environments. If, however Parents/Carers are not able to attend or stay for the whole Match/Tournament, please discuss with the team Coach so they are aware and can see if appropriate arrangements can be made.

All Parents/Carers/Families/Spectators/Coaches are expected to adhere to the FA Respect Code whether at “Home” or “Away”. Brundall Bolts F.C are committed to promoting a fun, safe and inclusive environment for our Players. Please familiarise yourself with the FA Respect code at:

<https://www.englandfootball.com/participate/explore/inclusive-football/Respect>