



## **CHILD PROTECTION POLICY 2024**

### **Reviewed**

#### **CHAIRMAN'S INTRODUCTION**

Strathspey Thistle Football Club is a full member of the Scottish Football Association and is also a member of the Highland League.

Strathspey Thistle is a club who is heavily involved in the local community and takes the protection of all young people associated with the club very seriously. I.e. Any young person under the age of 18 is considered to be a child.

The Management Committee of Strathspey regard the protection of young people a priority of the club.

This includes all children helping out on match days, be it a ball boy or girl, mascot or spectator who enters Seafield Park.

The club has a full Child Protection Policy in place, along with documentation on our website. Our Coaches are subject to disclosure checks and PVG checks as well.

Sarah McLeod and Tom Clarke are our Child Wellbeing & Protection Officers and attend all the Child Wellbeing meetings.

Sarah can be contacted on T: 01479 87329 or Email: [smcleod123@btinternet.com](mailto:smcleod123@btinternet.com)

Tom can be contacted on M: 07747 626138 or Email: [tomclarke00@yahoo.com](mailto:tomclarke00@yahoo.com)

If anyone has any questions or queries about the protection of children at Strathspey Thistle they should contact Sarah, Tom or anyone on our Management Committee.

Strathspey Thistle recognise that Child Protection is very high on our list of priorities. Their safety is paramount to our club

Donly McLeod Chairman