



Wodonga Citizens Band Inc

Child Protection Policy

Adult Member's Code of Conduct

All adult members of Wodonga Brass are required to observe child safe principles and expectations for appropriate behaviour towards and in the company of children.

By observing some simple obligations and behaviours the adult members can enhance the overall quality of the band so that the participation of children and young people is safe and enjoyable.

Please:

- Treat all children and young people with respect and dignity.
- Ensure that their welfare and safety are paramount at all times.
- Help to make band activities fun and enjoyable for children and young people.
- Always act in a professional way and do not accept bullying, swearing or other disruptive behaviour.
- Liaise openly with parents and carers.
- Only use physical contact if absolutely necessary
- Avoid being alone with children or young people at all times.
- Listen to and act upon, any disclosure, allegation or concerns of child abuse (physical, sexual, emotional or neglect).
- Report any allegations of child abuse to Wodonga Citizens' Band Inc the person in charge or designated person immediately.
- If an allegation of child abuse is made, ensure as quickly as possible that the child(ren) are safe.
- Attend such training as the band committee consider necessary.

If you believe a child is at immediate risk of abuse phone 000.

Please sign this form and return a copy to the Secretary of the band. You should keep a copy to remind you of the main principles of the policy.

Thankyou.

Print Name:.....

Signed..... Date.....

Please keep a copy of this code of conduct safely. If you lose it please ask for another copy