

## **Fan Code of Conduct**

Oxford City FC is committed to creating a safe, comfortable and enjoyable sports and entertainment experience. We are a friendly club and welcome support from all regardless of age, gender, race, nationality, ethnic origin, sexual orientation, religion or disability. We want everyone to feel welcome when they visit Court Place Farm whether they are our own supporters or supporters of other clubs. Likewise, we want to be welcome when we travel away from home. We want our supporters to encourage the team but at the same time show respect for our opponents, match officials, opposition fans and our own staff, stewards and volunteers.

## Oxford City fans have a right to expect an environment where:

- Players respect and appreciate each and every fan.
- Fans will be treated in a consistent, professional and courteous manner by all Club personnel.
- Fans will enjoy the football experience free from disruptive behaviour, including foul, offensive, insulting, abusive language or obscene gestures.
- Fans will consume alcoholic beverages in a responsible manner.
- Fans who engage in anti-social behaviour, fighting, throwing objects or causing distress to any other supporter will be immediately ejected from the game.
- Fans that enter the field of play will automatically be ejected and banned from the club.
- There will not be any obscene or indecent messages on signs or clothing.
- Fans will comply with requests from club personnel regarding stadium operations and emergency evacuation procedures.
- Fans will also be responsible for reporting inappropriate behaviour to a representative of the club.

Club personnel have been trained to intervene where necessary to help ensure that the above expectations are met, and fans are encouraged to report any inappropriate behaviour to the nearest steward.

Fans that choose not to adhere to these provisions or behave in an inappropriate manner bringing the Club into disrepute may be ejected and/or banned from Court Place Farm. Such fans may receive a lifetime ban or loss of season ticket. In extreme cases, fans may be subject to arrest by the police. Oxford City Football Club thank you for adhering to the provisions of the Fan Code of Conduct.