

## **ROCK SPORTS YOUTH FOOTBALL CLUB**

### **CHILD PROTECTION & BEST PRACTICE GUIDELINES**

#### **Use of images of children/young people under the age of 18**

#### **TEN GOLDEN RULES TO REMEMBER**

1. All children must be appropriately dressed.
2. Photography or recording should focus on the activity not on a particular young person.
3. Images should focus on small groups rather than individuals.
4. Images of a child who is under a court order should never be used.
5. If a young person is named avoid using their photograph.
6. If a photograph is used avoid naming the person or use their first name only. Personal details should never be revealed.
7. Make sure parents / guardians have returned the electronic form.
8. Use photographs that represent the broad range of youngsters participating in football.
9. All people taking photographs or recording footage at a football event should register with the event organizer.
10. All concerns regarding inappropriate or intrusive photography should be reported to the child welfare officer.

**Guidelines issued by The FA Child Protection Department 2003**