

# Bournville & Selly Oak Little League

## LITTLE LEAGUE KIT – notes for parents

For your deposit of £10.00 you will be provided with a skirt, shirt and sweatshirt for your daughter's team. Please take great care of them: they have to last us several more years. The skirts in particular are impossible to replace. **Each item is numbered and recorded: you are responsible for those particular numbered items.** This means that if for any reason you swap kit with anyone, you must let us know. If the skirt needs adjusting to make it fit, speak to Dianne.

**Kit should be worn only for Bournville and Selly Oak Little League matches, and should be changed out of as soon as possible (and before a meal) and stored carefully.**

### Dress code for matches:

Players should wear their team skirt with the shirt tucked in. If the sweatshirt is worn, it must be outside the skirt, NOT tucked in. Trainers must have **laces tied**. Finger nails must be short: that means not visible from the palm side of the hand. Jewellery should not be worn for matches. Any 'non-removable' jewellery must be taped to the body so that it cannot catch on anything.

### Washing of kit:

Polo shirt: wash after 2 or 3 wearings and with other whites only. Wash it before it becomes grubby, so it stays white. Please ensure that sun cream does not come into contact with the shirt – it leaves yellow marks that are impossible to remove. If sun cream is needed, rub it in thoroughly half an hour before wearing the shirt.

Sweatshirt: if necessary to wash it, turn it inside out and hand wash or gentle machine wash at 40°C. Slow spin.

Skirt: keep it on a skirt hanger and **try not to have to wash** it. Should the skirt become dirty or stained, hand wash or gentle machine wash at 30°C, **do not spin**, put on skirt hanger to drip dry and pleats will naturally re-form. **Do not iron**. It is easier to prevent a skirt from flaring than to put it right afterwards. If in doubt, speak to Dianne for advice.

### Returning Kit:

Instructions for kit return will be given towards the end of the Season.