

## Unacceptable Behaviour Policy

### Amended Rules for Ground Safety and Behaviour at Matches

In accordance with the Amended Rules for Ground Safety and Behaviour at Matches, Albion Rovers Football Club has a duty to ensure that its Players, Officials, Supporters, and any other person connected with the club do NOT engage in any conduct deemed unacceptable under these rules.

This applies both on the occasion of an official match at our home stadium of Reigart Stadium or at official away matches played by the Club.

The definition of unacceptable conduct covers conduct which is violent and/or disorderly.

Violent conduct includes: -

1. Actual attempted or threatened violence against a person or persons.
2. Intentional damage to property.

Disorderly conduct includes: -

1. Conduct which is designed to create or sustain hatred or ill will against a group of persons based on their membership, or presumed membership, of the following categories of defined

groups:

- a) Female or male gender
- b) Colour, race, nationality or ethnic or national group.
- c) Membership of a religious group or a group with a perceived religious affiliation.
- d) Sexual orientation
- e) Transgender identity
- f) Disability

2. The use of threatening, abusive or insulting language.

3. The display of written words, or other visual display, which is threatening, abusive or insulting.

Albion Rovers Football Club will always accept its responsibility under these rules and will NOT tolerate any behaviour deemed unacceptable.

Any Albion Rovers official, employee or other person connected with the Club who engages in such behaviour will be dealt with under the Clubs internal disciplinary procedures.

Any supporter who engages in such behaviour will be liable for sanctions imposed by the club

which could include withdrawal of season ticket, exclusion from future Albion Rovers matches or, in the event of serious and/or persistent offending, an application being made towards obtaining a football banning order.

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