

Shetland Fencing Club

To reduce the considerable admin time taken by the club officials, we now use the app Spond for club communication, memberships, events and registers etc. We need members to use this app and to keep checking it. It will work in combination with our web site.

What is Spond?

Spond is an app developed by ex-police officers to provide a means of club communication which streamlines club admin, but more importantly is completely safe and secure in comparison to whatsapp, facebook etc. Once you have signed up it is easy to use.

How to use Spond

1. Download Spond app onto phone, tablet or on desktop – search depending on what platform you need.
2. You will need the code emailed / or provided by the club.
3. Under 15's must have guardian approval and be registered by an adult.
4. Over 15-year-olds (and under 18), may be joined as for a child, by a parent/guardian or choose to join separately. In this case they must join and set up their own profile with their contact details. A guardian can still be added.

Key Steps for Adding Children

- **Initial Setup:** Download Spond app and use the code emailed / provided to you from the club.
- **Create your profile:** A parent / adult must register with their own name, phone number, and email. **Don't use your child's name here**
- **Join Group:** Select "join an existing group" and enter the group code sent to you by the club.
- **Choose role:** Select "I'm a parent".
- **Add child:** Enter the child's name and date of birth.
- **Guardianship:** Add your contact information as the guardian to ensure you receive notifications.
- **Multiple children:** You can add multiple children one-by-one, all linked to your single account.

Important Tips:

- **No child contact info:** Do not enter the child's email or phone number in their profile on your account, (otherwise system thinks they are adults).

- **Adding another Guardian:** You can add another parent/guardian to the club's profile to ensure both parents receive alerts.