



# Stewartby Water Sports Club

## CODE OF CONDUCT

Stewartby Water Sports Club (SWSC) expects all members and their guests to show respect and understanding to each other, treat everyone equally and conduct themselves in a way that creates a friendly, sociable and enjoyable environment while engaging in our sporting activities.

Abusive, aggressive or discriminatory language or behaviour, or lack of respect for other people and their property, will not be tolerated.

### **SWSC MEMBERS ARE EXPECTED TO:**

- Abide by the club's rules and bye laws, also the Health and Safety and, Welfare and Safeguarding procedures, which are available from the Company Secretary, and follow the guidelines of your section's governing body.
- Treat members and visitors with respect and understanding, regardless of age, disability, gender identity, race, religion or belief, or sexual orientation.
- Avoid the use of language that others may find offensive, whether on club premises or when engaging in social media posts associated with the club and its activities.
- Encourage all members to take an active part in the running of the Club and support them in developing their skills and experience.
- Respect the contribution of instructors, officials and volunteers.
- Prioritise the safety and wellbeing of participants in club activities.
- Use established procedures where there is a genuine concern or dispute.

### **SWSC MEMBERS WILL NOT:**

- Remove from the site or damage any property belonging to the club, other members or Affiliate Groups without their permission.
- Profit from their activities at the club or use SWSC premises or equipment to promote private trading or business interests.
- Promote, publish or post views or information that may harm the reputation of the club.
- Defraud, or attempt to defraud SWSC in any way.

**Failure to comply with the rules and procedures of the club may render members subject to disciplinary action.**

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