Roke Volleyball Club Safeguarding Policy



Roke Volleyball Club is committed to ensuring the safety and welfare of its junior members, and follows <u>Volleyball England's safeguarding policy and guidance</u>. The club believes that all junior members should be able to train and play volleyball in a safe environment

Key principles

- All members should feel protected from abuse while participating in the sport, regardless of age, ability or disability, gender reassignment, race, religion or belief, sex or sexual orientation or socio-economic background
- The rights of the members should be respected at all times
- The club will
 - take all reasonable steps to ensure that unsuitable people are prevented from working with or having responsibility for other members
 - ensure that all member coaches have up to date DBS checks
 - ensure that members with responsibilities for junior members understand their roles with regard to safeguarding those junior members
 - appoint a Club Welfare Officer
 - ensure that, in the event of (or concerns of) abuse, appropriate action is taken and support is given to the individuals reporting the incident
 - ensure that there is no discrimination or harassment toward anyone raising a safeguarding concern in good faith
 - ensure that accurate records are taken of all safeguarding concerns, and that those records are treated as confidential and stored securely
 - report all concerns to Volleyball England

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