

e-safety policy

All club members and guests will:

- Take responsibility for their own use of communication and interactive technologies, making sure they use new technologies safely, responsibly and legally
- Not use any communication device or service including social networking, to bring the club, its members or snowsports into disrepute
- Not use any communication device or service, including interactive services such as social networking for inappropriate behaviour online within the context of snowsports including bullying or harassment of others in any form, defamation, obscene or abusive language, the uploading of material which is libellous, defamatory, obscene, illegal, shows nudity or is violent
- Report any known misuses of communication and interactive technologies within the context of snowsports, including unacceptable behaviour, inappropriate contact with children online and illegal content including sexual abuse/indecent images of children, to the Club Welfare Officer according to club and SSE safeguarding policies and procedures
- Be aware that any report of the misuse of communication and interactive technologies within the context of snowsports will be investigated according to the club's policy and procedures and may result in the club's sanctions being enforced. Where suspected criminal activity has taken place a report will be made to the police.

Where the club provides network access or communication devices all members & guests will:

- Protect passwords and personal network logins. Where available security settings should be set on mobile devices. Any attempts to access, corrupt or destroy other users' data in any way using technology is unacceptable.

In addition to the above; coaches, club officers and appointed volunteers will:

- Take responsibility for their professional reputation in the online environment, making sure they follow e-safety advice, adhere to privacy and safety settings and report any concerns in accordance with the club and SSE policies and procedures.
- Not use their own personal Facebook or other social networking account to communicate with members of the club who are Under 18; ie have separate accounts for personal and professional use.
- Not ask for e mail addresses, mobile phone numbers or social networking profiles of junior members under the age of 18, or search for junior members on social networking services or search engines – club officials will have been given the details of those they need. The membership form enables parents to give consent for the e mail addresses and mobile phone numbers of their children to be used, if the child is aged 15 or over.