



Child Protection Policy

The CoMWPC has adopted and fully endorses the ASA Child Protection Policy as detailed in Child Welfare in Swimming – Procedures and Guidelines published April 2004. If you would like to view this publication please contact the CoMWPC Welfare Officer – Mrs Ann Huck.

The above child protection procedures stem from the following principles:

1. The child's welfare is the first consideration
2. All children regardless of age, any disability, gender, racial origin, religious belief and sexual identity have the right to enjoy sport free from all forms of abuse or sexual exploitation
3. The ASA and the CoMWPC have a responsibility for the welfare of children and young people who take part in our sport
4. The ASA have a responsibility to maintain confidentiality in all cases involving child protection in line with the current legislation
5. The ASA and the CoMWPC will not tolerate poor practice in dealing with child welfare

At the CoMWPC we seek to provide a safe environment for all our members to enjoy our sport. All Coaching Staff and Team Managers are registered as Helpers with the ASA and have attended the Sports Coach UK Child Protection Course. The ASA, as part updating of records, will be conducting CRB checks on all existing Registered Helpers. It is now policy that new helpers are automatically asked to complete a CRB form on registering.

If any you have any concerns regarding the above then please contact in the first instance the Club Welfare Officer

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