



Safeguarding Agreement for Affiliated Clubs

Sporting excellence and enjoyment are only achieved by participants and spectators through adherence to the highest moral, ethical and sporting standards. Our mission is to establish *British Ice Skating* as a top-performing, financially sustainable National Governing Body that promotes Ice Skating as “*Skate for Fun, Skate for Gold, Skate for Life*”

One of our underlying objectives is to establish a safe, fair and inclusive sporting environment.

Safeguarding Policy

Everyone involved in sport and activity, whether they are a volunteer, participant, spectator or an elite athlete, should never have to worry about abuse or harassment. Safeguarding in sport is the process of protecting children and young adults from harm by providing a safe space in which to play sport and be active. Everyone has a role to play in keeping others safe and people should know what to do if they have any concerns.

- A designated Welfare Officer / safeguarding lead (with support) which encourages a culture of listening to and consulting with children and young adults who can respond appropriately to any concerns.
- The club will have clear safeguarding policies which are enforced across all activities the club take part in.

This club therefore agrees to abide by and / or implement British Ice Skating’s most recently published Safeguarding policies to ensure clarity and standardised practices for all involved in the sport of Ice Skating.

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Date: January 2021

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