



# **POLZEATH SURF LIFESAVING CLUB**

## **CODE OF CODUCT**

### **April 2023**

At all times a member shall uphold the good standing and reputation of the Club and shall:

#### **CODE OF CONDUCT FOR ALL CLUB MEMBERS**

1. To agree to abide by the Club rules and Code of Conduct.
2. To treat everyone as you would like to be treated – with respect.
3. To be fair, considerate, and honest with others.
4. To operate within the rules of the SLSGB.
5. To be professional and accept responsibility for your action.
6. To show concern and caution towards others who may be sick or injured.
7. To refrain from making remarks based on race, religion, gender, or ability.
8. To compete by the rules – never argue with a Coach, Referee or other Official.
9. To co-operate with your Coach, the Referees, and team-mates.
10. To be punctual and dressed in the appropriate kit.
11. To be a positive role model for SLSGB, Polzeath Surf Lifesaving Club and be a team player.
12. To play for your own enjoyment and to improve your skills.
13. To attend at least 1 in 4 training sessions – if not your Coach will discuss your absence.
14. Not misuse their authority or office for personal or other gain
15. Have a duty to provide information if requested by the Disciplinary Committee investigating any breach of this code.
16. Fully uphold the good practice and conduct requirements set out in the SLSGB Safeguarding Guidance adopted by the Club.
17. Fully uphold the Clubs Policies.



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**CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS AND SUPPORTERS**

1. To agree to abide by the Club rules and Code of Conduct.
2. To remember that their child participates in surf lifesaving for their own enjoyment.
3. To encourage participation but not enforce it.
4. To focus on their child's efforts and performance rather than winning and losing - never to ridicule or yell at their child or other children for making a mistake or for other situations that might arise
5. To show appreciation for good performance by all participants.
6. To respect Officials' decisions and teach their children to do likewise.
7. To lead by example and respect all participants, Coaches, Referees, and spectators – physical or verbal abuse will not be tolerated
8. To recognise and respect all volunteers who are giving up their valuable time.
9. To raise any personal concerns with Club Officials in private.
10. To refrain from making remarks based on race, religion, gender or ability.

**Parent/Guardian signature & date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Member signature & date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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