



CODE OF CONDUCT:

CLUB OFFICIALS AND VOLUNTEERS:

Club Officials and Volunteers must:

- ❑ Consider the well-being and safety of participants before the development of performance.
- ❑ Develop an appropriate working relationship with participants, based on mutual trust and respect.
- ❑ Make sure all activities are appropriate to the age, ability and skill level of participants.
- ❑ Promote the positive aspects of sport.
- ❑ Always display high standards of behaviour and appearance.
- ❑ Follow all club and association guidelines.
- ❑ Hold appropriate qualifications and insurance.
- ❑ Never exert undue influence over performers for personal benefit or reward.
- ❑ Never condone rule violation, rough play or the use of prohibited substances.
- ❑ Encourage participants to value their performance and not just results.
- ❑ Encourage and guide participants to accept responsibility for their own performance and behaviour.



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PARENT AND CARERS:

Parents / Carers must:

- ❑ Encourage your child to learn the rules and act within them.
- ❑ Discourage unfair play and arguing with officials.
- ❑ Help your child to recognise good performance and not just results,
- ❑ Never force your child to take part in sport.
- ❑ Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.
- ❑ Publicly accept official's judgements.
- ❑ Support your child's involvement and help them enjoy sport.
- ❑ Use correct and proper language at all times.
- ❑ Encourage and guide participants to accept responsibility for their own performance and behaviour.

Junior Members:

WE are fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the well being of all our members. The club believes that it is important that members, coaches, administrators and parents associated with the club should, at all times, show respect and understanding for the safety and welfare of others. Therefore members are encouraged to be open at all times and to share any concerns or complaints that they may have about any aspect of the club with an instructor.

As a member of a SSK club you are expected to abide by the following junior code of practice:

- ❑ All members must follow the dojo etiquette.
- ❑ All members must play within the rules and respect officials and their decisions.
- ❑ All members must respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of age, gender, ability, race, cultural background or religious beliefs or sexual identity.
- ❑ Members should keep to agreed times of training and competitions or inform their instructor if they are going to be late or have to leave early.
- ❑ Members must bring suitable kit for the class or competition – Karate gi, belt and sparring gloves (mitts).
- ❑ Members must pay training and event fees promptly.