

Southampton University Canoe Polo Club

Code of Conduct

Upon signing the membership form, each member has agreed to behave according to the code of conduct of the club. If it is deemed that a member is behaving in a way that is unacceptable to this code then they may be asked to leave the club by the committee in accordance to the club constitution.

The code of conduct is as follows:

I agree to follow the rules of the sport as set out by the International Canoe Federation. This includes accepting any decision made by referees in any match that is played whether at training or at a tournament.

I acknowledge that behaviour that is considered to be bullying whether physical or emotional is not acceptable whether at training, at tournaments or during socials, I will treat others as I wish to be treated myself.

I agree to treat other members of the club in a respectful manner and that all members will be treated equally regardless of ability. As part of this, I agree to control tempers and avoid behaviour which may inconvenience or upset others.

I agree to accept the decisions made by the elected committee and acknowledge that, if I have an issue with how the club is run, I can raise concerns through my team captain.

I agree to treat external coaches and staff at the pool with respect and that any issues will be raised through the committee for the president to liaise with the respective body over the issue.

I agree to treat the club kit and other people's personal kit with respect including looking after allocated equipment at tournaments. If damage occurs through my personal negligence, I accept I may be asked to contribute money towards the cost of replacement or repair.