



### **ENGLAND BOXING**

### **CHILD PROTECTION POLICY** – CLUB CHILD PROTECTION POLICY

BRENTWOOD CENTRAL BOXING CLUB



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This Club is an Affiliated Member of England Boxing and as such adopts the following Club Child Safeguarding Policy which is supported by and compliments the England Boxing Child Safeguarding Policy – these policies are mandatory and acceptance of them is a non-negotiable requirement when becoming a member of this club. You may obtain copies of the England Boxing Child Protection Policy from the England Boxing website, along with other information on the England Boxing Child Protection & Safeguarding webpage.

## **Our** statement

- This club has a duty of care to Children and Young People [under 18 years of age] and the safety and welfare of them is paramount.
- This club is committed to ensuring that every child & young person regardless of age, ability, racial origin, religious belief, sexual orientation or gender (including gender reassignment) has a right to learn, participate in and enjoy boxing, free of the fear and safe from abuse of any type.

# **Our Policy – What we will do.**

- This club acknowledges that it has a legal and moral responsibility to ensure the wellbeing of Children and Young People within the club.
- This club acknowledges that every child and Young Person has a right to enjoy membership and the sport of amateur boxing within a safe enjoyable setting.
- This club will continually review this policy in the light of identified 'best practice'.
- This club acknowledges that every member including Committee, Coach, Official, and Volunteer have amoral & legal responsibility to safeguard and promote every child & young person's welfare.
- This club ensures that required Coaches, Officials and Volunteers shall at all times possess a current England Boxing Disclosure & Barring Service (DBS) certificate. Non-compliance with this provision will automatically exclude such persons, and possibly the club, from roles requiring DBS certificates as required in the England Boxing Safeguarding Policy.
- This club is committed to preventing the employment/deployment of unsuitable individuals.

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#### Brentwood Central Boxing Club Child Protection Policy

- This club has appointed a Club Welfare Officer ('CWO') whose name appears below, who is responsible for:
- administering this Child Safeguarding Policy;
- ensuring that confidential, detailed and accurate records of all safeguarding concerns are maintained and securely stored;
- your induction, which includes the provision of the England Boxing Child Safeguarding Policy, the Children and Young People's Charter, and instruction on Child Protection within the Club and within England Boxing; and ensuring your appreciation of its requirement of strict compliance.
- This club will treat seriously and deal rigorously with any incidence of abuse and will at all times follow.
- the principles and procedures laid down in the England Boxing Child Safeguarding Policy and the Safeguarding Procedure.
- Any abuse or inappropriate behaviour regarding Children & Young People will be challenged and dealt with appropriately.
- This club clearly understands that abuse comes in many forms which include
- emotional, physical and sexual;
- neglect;
- foul language, bullying and requiring an athlete to train at an inappropriate level is also recognised as a form of abuse; and
- abuse of a position of trust, such as exist between a coach and a child or young person.
- This club acknowledges that it is the responsibility of experts to determine whether or not abuse is /has taken place, it is however everyone's responsibility to report concerns and / or abuse.

### We ALWAYS remember, in cases of concern or abuse – DOING NOTHING IS NOT AN OPTION!!!





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# Monitoring

The policy will be reviewed a year after development and then every three years, or in the following circumstances:

- changes in legislation and/or government guidance.
- as required by the Local Safeguarding Children Board, UK Sport and/or Home Country Sports Councils and/or England Boxing's National Compliance Manager.
- as a result of any other significant change or event, including changes to England Boxing's Child Safeguarding Policy.

## **Contact Details**

	Name:	Contact Number & Email:
Club Welfare Officer	Mark Sculfor	07904241243
	Florin Nicorici	07930903442
Regional Safeguarding	DENICE COE	07752024613
Officer		
National Compliance and	Paul Smith	07590 600001
Safeguarding Manager		safeguarding@englandboxing.org
England Boxing	Contact	0114 2235654
		enquiries@englandboxing.org

In case of EMERGENCY the telephone number of the Children's Social Care Services is:

Children's Social Care Services 'Out of hours' Telephone number:

The telephone number of the Police Child Protection team is:

Local Police 'Out of hours' Telephone number:

Police, Ambulance and Fire Service Emergency Telephone Number : 999

Your nearest Accident and Emergency Department is located at: HIGH ST, BUCKINGHAM,

### MK181NU

Telephone number: 01280813243

Our nearest Automated External Defibrillator AED device is located at: INSIDE THE BUILDING

## <u>Helplines</u>

### NSPCC

Worried about a child? Advice and support whenever you need it.

Tel: 0808 800 5000 Email: help@nspcc.org.uk

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http://www.childline.org.uk/		
A free and confidential helpline for children	who have concerns.	
Tel: <u>0800 1111</u>		
This Club's Welfare Officer is: Mark Sculfo	r / Florin Nicorici	
Contact Telephone numbers:		
Mark: 07904241243	Florin: 0793090344	2
The Regional Welfare Officer is Kerry Norf	olk	
Contact telephone numbers: 07777280137	3	
The National Compliance Manager is:	Paul Smith	
Office: 0114 223 5639	Mobile:	07590 600001
In cases of EMERGENCY the telephone num	ber of the Children's	s Social Care Services is
Brentwood/Essex Council Children Social C Services (Out of hours' Telephone number		· · · /

*Brentwood/Essex Council Children Social Care* 0345 603 7627 (9am to 5pm) *Children's Social Care Services 'Out of hours' Telephone number :03456061212The telephone number of the Police Child Protection team is: 101.Local Police 'Out of hours' Telephone number :999 / 101* 

Police, Ambulance and Fire Service Emergency Telephone Number: 999

Your nearest Accident and Emergency Department is located at:

**Queens Hospital** 

Telephone number: 03304004333.

#### EMERGENCY ADVICE CAN BE OBTAINED FROM:

The NSPCC HELP LINE [24 hours] :	0808 800 5000	
CHILDLINE:	0800.1111	
The ENGLAND BOXING 'BOX LINE' :	0114 223 5639	

Alternatively, you can find invaluable help by visiting www.worriedneed2talk.org.uk

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#### Brentwood Central Boxing Club Child Protection Policy A message to all Children and Young people within this club

If you are, or believe you are being abused in any way and this includes harassment or bullying, you

should speak to your coach, welfare officer or any adult you feel comfortable speaking to.

If you feel you cannot speak to anyone within this club regarding this matter, you should contact any of the Safeguarding Officers at Divisional, Regional or National level their contact details are shown above and you will not be criticised for doing so.

Alternatively – please contact the **NSPCC** Help Line also shown above.

Do not allow any type of abuse to go unreported or to continue against you.

### 'SPEAK UP' YOU WILL BE SUPPORTED'

In a safeguarding emergency, where a young person is at immediate risk of harm, call 999

# Key safeguarding documents:

**England Boxing Safeguarding and Child Protection Policy England Boxing Adults at Risk Policy** England Boxing Safeguarding Procedure England Boxing Safeguarding Pages Guidance web page

# Other related policies and documents:

What to do if you have concerns about the safety of a child

Coach and Volunteer Safeguarding Guidance

Guidance on dealing with bullying

Children and young people's charter

Changing room guidelines for clubs

Travel safe with children team manager's guide

Transporting Children and Hiring Transport Policy

Child protection officers at events

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 Club Welfare Officer handbook
 Safeguarding referral form

 Safeguarding referral form
 Positions and breaches of trust

 Managing challenging behaviour
 Appropriate communication guidance

 Whistle blowing guide
 Parental consent form – doping test

 Parental consent form – photography.
 Parental consent form – travel

 Video and photography at events
 Flowcharts – Disclosure of Information

 Flowcharts – If you have concerns about anyone's behaviour in boxing

 Action Counters Terrorism- advice on extremism

## THIS CLUB POLICY MUST BE DISPLAYED OPENLY WITHIN A PUBLIC AREA IN THE GYM & CLUB SOCIAL MEDIA / WEB PAGES

This is a sample club safeguarding policy statement, for use by sports organisations. Created by the NSPCC Child Protection in Sport Unit and adapted for England Boxing.

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