

Solent Radio Controlled Model Yacht Club

Solent Radio Control Model Boat Club.

Safeguarding Policy Dated 01-02-2024.

It is the policy of S.R.C.M.Y.C and Scale section to safeguard children and vulnerable persons while taking part in model boating from physical, sexual, or emotional harm. S.R.C.M.Y.C and Scale section, will take all reasonable steps to ensure that appropriate procedures and training are taken and in place so that all children participating at Setley Pond can participate in a safe environment. They must be accompanied by a parent/guardian at all times and they must exercise supervision and control at all times, It is recognised that the safety and welfare of such persons is paramount and that all children, whatever their age, gender, disability, culture, ethnic origin, colour, religion or belief, social status or sexual identity, have a right to protection from abuse.

As defined in the Children Act 1989, for the purposes of this policy anyone under the age of 18 should be considered as a child. The policy also applies to vulnerable adults.

The Clubs actively seeks to.

- Create a safe and welcoming environment, where children can have fun and develop their skills and confidence.
- Recognise that safeguarding children is the responsibility of all members.
- Be prepared to review its ways of working to incorporate best practice.
- Treat all children with respect and celebrate their achievements.
- Respond swiftly and appropriately to all complaints and concerns about poor practice or suspected or actual child abuse.

It will be kept under periodic review.

All relevant concerns, allegations, complaints, and their outcome should be notified to a committee member.
