

Safety Policy

Somerset Community Rowing Club has zero tolerance for anyone being harmed because of our members' participation in the sport.

We believe harm is not an inevitable consequence of our activities and that incidents which cause harm can be avoided. We will strive to provide an environment in which the sport can be practiced safely and enjoyably by our members. We will guide and lead our members in a way which fulfils these aims.

We recognize that our members have primary responsibility for their own safety and the safety of others. The Club, through its Officers and Committee, will encourage safe practice having due regard for the guidance provided by British Rowing in Row Safe.

The Club has safety rules which it expects members to follow; these can be found on the website. Complying with these rules will help to prevent harm.

The Club is committed to learn from the incidents it becomes aware of and will share this information to help others. We are also committed to make appropriate use of British Rowing's Incident Reporting System.

Members are invited to refer any questions and concerns, relating to safety, to the Club's Rowing Safety or to the Chairman.

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