

## Acceptable use of Mobile Phone Policy

- **Introduction**

Smartphones contain a wide variety of functions which can be susceptible to misuse. Misuse includes taking and distribution of indecent images, exploitation and bullying. Misuse of smartphones can cause distress to individuals, impacting upon self-confidence, mental well-being and is an infringement on a person's privacy and right to confidentiality.

- **Purpose**

To promote the safe and appropriate use of mobile phones within Dawlish Swimming Club.

- **Scope**

The policy applies to all members of Dawlish Swimming Club.

- **Policy Statement**

Within Dawlish Swimming Club All changing rooms, toilets and showers are considered 'Mobile Free Zones'.

Unannounced spot checks of changing rooms will be made by the club to ensure compliance with this policy.

There is a zero- tolerance policy with regards to use of mobile phones by any individual in these areas and will face disciplinary actions as sanctioned by the club, and may be subject to criminal proceedings.

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