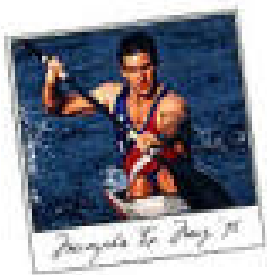


# Club Code of Conduct



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***It is the policy of Shropshire Paddlesport Club that all paddlers, volunteers, coaches and parents show respect and understanding for each other and conduct themselves in a way that reflects the principles of the club. The aim is for all paddlers to improve performance and have fun.***

*Everyone involved in the club should abide by the club rules and policies.*

## *Paddlers*

- Take care of all property belonging to the club or club members.
- Treat other club members with respect at all times- on and off the water.
- Control tempers and avoid behaviour which may inconvenience others.
- Co-operate and listen to your coach or club officials.

## *Club Officials, Coaches and Volunteers*

- Consider the wellbeing and safety of paddlers before the development of performance.
- Make sure that all activities are appropriate to the age, ability and experience of those taking part.
- Display consistently high standards of behaviour and appearance.
- Follow BCU and Club guidelines and policies.
- Hold the appropriate, updated qualifications and insurance.
- Encourage paddlers to value performance and not just results.
- Never condone the use of prohibitive substances.

## *Parents/Guardians*

- Never force your child to take part in sport.
- Never punish or belittle a child for losing or making mistakes.
- Publicly accept official's judgements.
- Support your child's involvement, and help them to enjoy the sport.
- Set a good example by applauding good performance of all paddlers.