

DUNBAR AMATEUR SWIMMING CLUB

Photograph & Video Policy



Aim

The aim of the photographic policy is to promote safe and appropriate practice to maintain the dignity and privacy of the swimmers.

Scope

This policy applies to all involved with DASC: swimmers, parents, carers, siblings and friends, coaches, volunteers and lifeguards. It relates directly to appropriate codes of conduct and principles of child protection.

Responsibility

It is the responsibility of each person involved with DASC to adhere to, and communicate where appropriate, the following:

Statement

It is recognised that photographic equipment includes a range of devices. It is not permitted for camera and recording/filming equipment to be used at DASC, without prior permission. Prior permission can be obtained by requesting and completing a Photographic permissions form. These are available from the DASC Child Protection Officer. Permission may be sought for examination and competition purposes.

In particular, under no circumstances must camera and/or filming equipment be used for any purpose within the following areas:

- Changing rooms
- Toilets
- Showers
- Swimming pool

Children/swimmers must not be photographed or filmed at any time when undressed or dressed in swimming kit. This includes in the above mentioned areas and during swimming club sessions, events and in the cafeteria.

Events

It is recognised that parents may wish to photograph and/or film their children following a swimming event, such as the sponsored swim or club championships. This is acceptable under the following conditions:

- Children will only be photographed/filmed away from the swimming pool area, where other swimmers are not being photographed in the background.
- Children will only be photographed/filmed once changed from swimming kit to non-swimming clothing.
- Photographs/films are not shared on social media sites (please refer to the 'Social media policy' for further information).

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Unless you specify otherwise, you accept that your child may appear in photos/videos taken by the club to promote events. Children in these photos will not be named without parental consent.