

## MIDLAND SKI CLUB INTERNET AND ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION POLICY

- 1. All members will ensure their use of communication and interactive technologies is legal, safe and responsible
- 2. No member will use any online communication or social networking site to bring the club, its members, or snowsports into disrepute.
- 3. No member will use any online communication or social networking site for inappropriate behavior within the context of snowsports, including bullying, harassment, defamation, abuse, and uploading material which is libelous, defamatory, obscene, violent or illegal.
- 4. All members will report any such misuse to the Child Welfare Officer.
- 5. The club's website and social media pages will be moderated by the relevant club officer. Any inappropriate material will be removed and reported.
- 6. All members should be aware that any reported misuse will be investigated and may lead to sanctions and club disciplinary procedure may apply. Any suspected criminal activity will be reported to the police.
- 7. Any member who has a password to online areas of club information should protect that password from misuse by others.
- 8. Any attempt to corrupt or destroy another user's data is not acceptable.
- 9. In addition to the above, coaches and officials will:
  - a. Be responsible for their on-line reputation and report any concerns;
  - b. Not use their personal social media account to communicate directly with members under 18; It is preferable to create a separate account for professional use.
  - c. Use email and mobile numbers of junior members over 13 only if parental permission has been given.