Leighton Fun Runners - Code of Conduct

General

Leighton Fun Runners (LFR) is fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the wellbeing of all its members. The club believes that it is important that members, coaches, administrators and volunteers associated with the club should, at all times, show respect and understanding for the safety and welfare of others. Therefore, members are encouraged to be open at all times and to share any concerns or complaints that they may have about any aspect of the club with the Club Secretary or any other member of the Committee as appropriate.

As a member of LFR you must abide by the following points:

- 1. The name of the Club shall be Leighton Fun Runners
- 2. Members agree not to bring the Club into disrepute.
- 3. All Members must compete within the rules and instructions laid down by the Club, English Athletic Association, Bedfordshire County AAA (and any other applicable affiliation) and respect officials and their decisions. In the event of conflict with such rules and instructions those of the club will prevail
- 4. All members must respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants regardless of gender, ability, cultural background or religion
- 5. Avoid abusive language and irresponsible behaviour including behaviour that is dangerous to yourself or others
- 6. Acts of violence, bullying, harassment and physical and sexual abuse will not be tolerated
- 7. Members must support and encourage good practice and correct actions at all times
- 8. Members must pay any fees for membership, training, club kit or events promptly
- 9. Members must when running or wearing club colours behave in a manner appropriate to the sport of running
- 10. Members are actively encouraged to wear club kit to races and events. Members should note that club kit MUST be worn at team events where the event rule specify, e.g. Three Countries Cross Country.
- 11. Members are encouraged to communicate directly with committee members and all other club members
- 12. The Committee shall have power by ordinary resolution to expel any Member who fails to adhere to the Code of Conduct or who acts or behaves in a manner so as to bring the Club into disrepute