



BRENTWOOD RUNNING CLUB

Welfare Policy

Code of Conduct

Within Brentwood Running Club ALL committee members have responsibility to uphold the welfare policies and procedures, to adhere to good practice and to respond to any suspected breaches.

The club has three Welfare Officers, one for adults (Lorna Mess) and one male (Melvyn Cooper) and one female (Jo Day) for youth.

The Welfare Officer's role is to advise and support the committee to implement welfare policies and procedures, to respond to any concerns regarding child protection and to ensure that all coaches/officials/volunteers have completed Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) checks as required.

The Welfare Officer should have attended Safeguarding training, and the time to listen workshop in the last 3 years.

Information about this training and advice, support and information about the welfare responsibilities of athletics clubs and welfare officers can be obtained from the England Athletics Welfare Officer, Dan Brown, on 0121 713 8450 or dbrown@uka.org.uk.

Child Protection

All youth volunteer coaches have been checked by the Disclosure and Barring Service and have undertaken safeguarding and child protection training. Brentwood Running Club will ensure that the coaches undertake this training and checks every 3 years

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