

# **Chepstow Harriers Junior Section**

## **Welfare and Child Protection Policy**

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**“Every child has the right to participate in sport in an enjoyable and safe environment”**

As a club we are committed to the well-being and care of all members and participants at club events and as such we abide by the procedures and policies laid out by Welsh Athletics, working in partnership with UK: Athletics.

The full policy documents may be found at [www.uka.org.uk/governance/welfare](http://www.uka.org.uk/governance/welfare)

All club coaches are CRB checked at the enhanced level and agree to abide by the Club welfare policy.

The appointed Welfare and Child Protection officer for Chepstow Harriers is Chris Rees, email [welfare@chepstowharriers.org.uk](mailto:welfare@chepstowharriers.org.uk). He may also be contacted via mobile by any coach at any session.

If, at any time you have a concern about your or another child's welfare, then please speak to one of the coaches who will take any immediate action deemed necessary, record the concern/incident in the club's Welfare Incident Book and make sure the Welfare Officer is informed as soon as possible. All such concerns will be responded to and confirmation of this response given to the person reporting the incident.

Where an allegation is made, the club will follow the procedures laid down on pages 7-11 of the UK: Athletics Welfare Procedure manual. Copies of this are available on request.

If you have any further questions about Child Welfare, please do not hesitate to ask one of the coaches who will find out the answer for you or you can send an email to [welfare@chepstowharriers.org.uk](mailto:welfare@chepstowharriers.org.uk) .

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