

Responsible Use of Social Media Policy

HCC welcomes and positively encourages the responsible use of all forms of social media for the purposes of promoting the club and its events, social communication, sharing of experiences and information.

For all forms of social media HCC expects Members and Volunteers to be aware that the same standards of behaviour are expected as those within the HCC Code of Conduct and that any form of harassment, abuse or bullying will not be tolerated and will be taken extremely seriously.

Members & Volunteers must not post, share or otherwise submit any personal information relating to any HCC Volunteer / Member or any information / image which has been shared with the Poster by an HCC Person in confidence.

Any Member or Volunteer who feels this policy has been contravened should if at all possible take a snap shot of the offending material and report it to any member of the Committee along with the details of any additional witnesses if any so that it can be investigated. The Committee will deal with the complaint as per Section 13 (Discipline) of the Club constitution.

Members & Volunteers posting on any club headed social media account should also respect copyright and fair use of material.

The Committee reserve the right to remove posts from club headed accounts if they believe they contravene any of the above.

HCC accepts no liability for legal infringements by Members or Volunteers on social media. Members and Volunteers should be aware they are fully accountable for their own actions.