



Exmoor Canoe Club – Since 2004.

ECC Health and Safety Policy – 2018

Exmoor Canoe Club is committed to providing a safe, coaching and learning environment for all coaches/leaders, club members and any related third parties. Responsibility for health and safety ultimately lie with the Club's committee. However, all coaches/leaders, club members have a responsibility to do everything practicable to prevent an accident or injury to themselves and to fellow members and coaches.

Exmoor Canoe Club aims to promote health and safety, so far as reasonably practicable, by ensuring:

- the provision and maintenance of safe equipment that poses no risk to health
- the provision of relevant information to candidates, personnel and any related third parties, including instruction, training and supervision, as is necessary to ensure health and safety
- maintenance of safe environments, including a means of access in a condition that is safe and without risk to health
- progressive identification and assessment of all risk, taking measures to eliminate or control it
- the health and safety and welfare of vulnerable candidates is addressed through positive action

This list is not exhaustive and represents general principles followed by Exmoor Canoe Club in respect of health and safety. Activity specific issues are dealt with through our Risk Assessments, annually these issues are reviewed and the H&S policy is amended/updated accordingly.