



Sherburn Community Gymnastics Club

Photography Policy

At Sherburn Community Gymnastics Club we strive to provide a safe environment to enable the participants to develop skills to their full potential. Sherburn Community Gymnastics Club fully supports the British Gymnastics Safeguarding Children: Safe Environment Policy. It is not the intention of Sherburn Community Gymnastics Club to prevent parents/guardians from taking pictures of their children but rather to ensure that photographic practices are carefully managed and effective prevention measures are in place to deter anyone with undesirable intentions from taking and publishing inappropriate images.

Photography/Filming by Parents/Guardians

Any person wishing to film/photograph **MUST** first seek permission from the Head Coach

- The permission to photograph or video your child at a gymnastic training session/event is regarded as a privilege and not a right
- Parents/guardians should try as far as reasonably possible to restrict filming or photography to their own child
- Any photograph/film containing another child **MUST NOT** be shared on social media
- Parents/guardians must not interrupt the training session/event for the purpose of photography or filming
- For Safety purposes flash photography is prohibited
- You must not use photographs/films for any reason that could be derogatory to the gymnasts, coaches or to discredit the club
- This policy applies to all forms of photography/filming including hand held tablets and mobile phones
- Any breach of these conditions will be taken seriously and could result in disciplinary action as set out in the disciplinary policy

Photography/Filming by Sherburn Community Gymnastics Club

Sherburn Community Gymnastics Club may use photographs/films for training purposes and club promotion. However:-

- The club will not publish photographic images/ films of any gymnast without written consent
- No personal information will be published with any images
- Care will be taken to ensure that no images are recorded or published of children under court orders. (Please make Head Coach or Welfare Officer aware of any children this applies too)

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