

Harlequin School of Gymnastics

CODE of CONDUCT

For Parents and Participants in COMPETITIONS

We are fully committed to safeguarding and promoting the well-being of all our members. Coaches, administrators and parents associated with the club should, always, show respect and understanding for the safety and welfare of others. Therefore, members are encouraged to be open at all times, and share any concerns or complaints that they may have, about any aspect of the club with either Dawn Thurgood, Natalie Stringer or Kelly Billington (contact details on notice boards)

As a member of Harlequin School of Gymnastics, you are expected to abide by the following club rules;

- Encourage your child to learn the rules and participate within them
- All members must participate within the rules and respect coaches, Judges and their decisions.
- All members must respect opponents and fellow club members.
- Help your child to recognise good performance, not just results
- Set a good example by recognising good sportsmanship and applauding the good performances of all
- Use correct and proper language at all times
- Never punish or belittle a child for poor performance or making mistakes.
- Members should keep to agreed timings for training and competitions or inform their coach if they are going to be late.
- Members must wear suitable attire for training and events as agreed with the coach. Keep long hair tied up and remove all body jewellery.
- Discourage challenging / arguing with officials
- Publicly accept official's judgements
- Endeavour to establish good communications with the club, coaches and officials for the benefit of all
- Members must pay any fees for training or events promptly.