

STREATHAM ICE FIGURE SKATING CLUB

Junior Members Code of Conduct

- We have the right to be treated fairly, and the responsibility to follow coaches' instructions
- We have the right to be treated kindly, and the responsibility to not hurt others and to look after their feelings.
- We have the right to have our belongings kept safe, and the responsibility to look after the property of others.
- We have the right to talk to an adult who will listen.

Senior members Code of Conduct

- Avoid the use of aggressive, abusive or discriminatory language or behaviour towards other members, officials, volunteers, supporters or other members of the public at all times. This includes all forms of communication, including verbal, written, or visual.
- Ensure familiarity with all relevant policies and procedures of the club – Equity Statement and Code of Practice.
- Respect the instructions and decisions of coaches and club officials during sessions

Code of practice for club volunteers

The essence of good ethical conduct and practice is summarised below.

All volunteers must:

- Consider the well-being and safety of participants before the development of performance.
- Develop an appropriate working relationship with participants, based on mutual trust and respect.
- Make sure all activities are appropriate to the age, ability and experience of those taking part.
- Promote the positive aspects of the sport (e.g. fair play).
- Display consistently high standards of behaviour and appearance.
- Become familiar with the Child Protection Policy of the Club (Appendix 1) and follow its principles.
- Follow other guidelines laid down by the club. The club is not currently affiliated to NISA. If and when it is, NISA's guidelines should be followed.
- Hold appropriate valid qualifications and insurance cover.
- Never exert undue influence over performers to obtain personal benefit or reward.
- Never condone rule violations, rough play or the use of prohibited substances.
- Encourage participants to value their performances and not just results.

Encourage and guide participants to accept responsibility for their own performance and behaviour

Equity Statement

SIFSC exists to encourage individuals to achieve their maximum potential, irrespective of their background, through ice skating and associated social interaction

It will endeavour to be accessible to all sections of the community. All people involved in the club should commit themselves to treat everyone with respect, irrespective of ability, gender, ethnicity, disability, cultural background, sexual orientation, religion, political affiliation, social class or age.

It will strive to identify and eliminate practices that prevent access to sport, or make anyone feel uncomfortable whilst participating. Discrimination or any behaviour against any individual will lead to exclusion from the club.