

## **Online Safety**

Our aim is for all Southwark Gymnastics sessions to be safe and inclusive spaces where all young people and staff feel respected, safe and understood. This includes when we use online platforms like Zoom.

To help us achieve this we have a group agreement which we ask everyone to follow when online.

We expect all young people and staff to agree to these and support us in keeping SGC Safe for All.

## **SGC Online Group Agreement**

All members of SGC, young people, volunteers, members of staff help create a safe space for each other by agreeing to the following:

- 1. Treating each other with respect.
- 2. Respecting confidentiality.
- 3. Avoid getting involved in gossip of any kind.
- 4. Being understanding of each other's differences.
- 5. Not using sexually inappropriate language or innuendos.
- 6. Not taking photos or making video calls during groups.
- 7. Not swearing or using violent, bullying or abusive behaviour/language.
- 8. Ensuring the only appropriate online content is being viewed/used.
- 9. Not making assumptions about anyone's gender identity or sexual orientation.
- 10. A minimum of two adults will always be present during an online session. A member of SGC staff will not run a session one on one with a child.
- 11. Not screen recording or screen shotting other participants

These are our priority ground rules but there may be other behaviours not covered that may require action if SGC is made unsafe as a result.

If you have questions or queries about online safety please contact the Louise Mearns (Club Welfare Officer) louise-mearns@hotmail.co.uk

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