



NORTH STAFFS



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North Staffs Ski Club Photographic Policy

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PHOTOGRAPHY POLICY

- North Staffs Ski Club (NSSC) is keen to promote positive images of participants including children involved in snow sport activities and is not preventing the use of photographic or video equipment either by club staff or parents
- NSSC recognises the need to ensure the welfare and safety of all young people in snow sport
- NSSC acknowledges that parents may wish to take photographs of their own children but asks that parents do not take photographs of other children without their consent and the consent of their parents where possible
- Parents are asked to refrain from sharing images on social media which contain other children in the background
- NSSC asks parents to consent to their child being videoed and photographed, when completing the membership forms for use to promote NSSC and our activities
- If parents are unable to consent to their child being photographed or videoed the club will make all reasonable attempts to exclude the child from photos and videos, but cannot guarantee this
- Parents should be aware that photographs and videos may be taken of children for promotional, publicity and coaching purposes and these images may appear across all media platforms, including, but not limited to, our Club or Snowsport England social media channels, website, You Tube platforms, e mails, newsletters and PR.
- Parents should be aware that photographs and videos may be put onto our club Facebook page
- Where images of children are used by the club for publicity, promotion, celebration etc, the child’s name will not also be used, unless permission has been given
- Where a child is named in an article, their photograph will not be used if this identifies them, unless permission has been given
- NSSC will store and use photographs in line with the Data Protection Act 2018
- NSSC will take all steps to ensure these images are used solely for the purposes they are intended. If you become aware that these images are being used inappropriately you should inform the Club Welfare Officer immediately
- If an adult or child has concerns about images being taken, they should report this immediately to the Club Welfare Officer or in his/her absence an instructor
- The Club will also seek consent from adult participants in line with our photographic policy.

PHOTOGRAPHIC CONSENT FOR ADULTS

NSSC will take all steps to ensure these images are used solely for the purposes they are intended. If you become aware that these images are being used inappropriately you should inform NSSC immediately. Participants may be named alongside the image, please state whether or not you give consent for this. Please clearly delete any you do not consent to.

PHOTOGRAPHIC CONSENT FORM FOR ADULTS	
To be completed by adult: I give permission for my photograph/video/image to be used: <input type="checkbox"/> within the club for display purposes <input type="checkbox"/> within other printed publications <input type="checkbox"/> on the club's website, social media pages and on YouTube etc <input type="checkbox"/> For coaching and analysis purposes <input type="checkbox"/> I give permission for my name to be published alongside these images. <input type="checkbox"/> I give permission for Snowsport England to use these images <input type="checkbox"/> I confirm that I have read the Club's Photographic policy and been made aware of how these images or videos will be stored within the organisation.	
Signature of participant:	Print name:
Date:	

PHOTOGRAPHIC CONSENT FOR CHILDREN UNDER 18

In accordance with our safeguarding policy, we ask you to give permission for photographs, videos, or other images to be taken of your child, if aged under 18. Photographs are included in the Data Protection Act and we therefore also ask for permission from adults. NSSC will take all steps to ensure these images are used solely for the purposes they are intended. If you become aware that these images are being used inappropriately you should inform NSSC immediately. Participants and children may be named alongside the image, please state whether or not you give consent for this. Please clearly delete any you do not consent to.

PHOTOGRAPHIC CONSENT FORM FOR CHILDREN UNDER 18	
To be completed by parent: I give permission for my child's photograph/video/image to be used: <input type="checkbox"/> within the club for display purposes <input type="checkbox"/> within other printed publications <input type="checkbox"/> on the club's website, social media pages and on YouTube etc <input type="checkbox"/> For coaching and analysis purposes <input type="checkbox"/> I give permission for my child's name to be published alongside these images. <input type="checkbox"/> I give permission for Snowsport England to use these images <input type="checkbox"/> I confirm that I have read the Club's Photographic policy and been made aware of how these images or videos will be stored within the organisation.	
Signature of parent or Guardian:	Print name of Parent or Guardian:
Date:	

EVENTS PHOTOGRAPHY AND FILMING CONSENT

At Special events such as the Oatcake Jam non members may be participating. All participants must be made aware of the photography and filming consent with the use of the form below:

NAME OF EVENT

PHOTOGRAPHY & FILMING CONSENT FORM

At this event there may be an Official Photographer present. We (or the official photographer) will be taking photographs and videos for promotional and publicity purposes. These images may appear across all media platforms, including, but not limited to, our Club and Snowsport England's social media channels, website, YouTube platforms, emails, newsletters and PR. We will store them in accordance with our Photography and Video Policy and in line with Data Protection Act 2018 requirements.

It is not proportionate or possible to ensure that any participant is not included in wide angle pictures. By registering for this event, you are accepting you or your child may be included in these pictures. We, or our Official Photographer, may also be taking close up photographs and videos and you or your child may be named alongside these images. These images may be available to purchase from the Official Photographer. These images may also appear across our social media platforms, as above.

FOR CHILDREN UNDER 18:

- I give permission for my child's photograph/video/image to be taken and used for promotional or publicity purposes by the Event Organisers or Snowsport England
- I give permission for my child to be named alongside these images
- I confirm my child is in agreement for their images to be taken and used as outlined above

Please note, if you do not give permission, we will make every effort to ensure close up images where your child can be identified are not taken but cannot guarantee this. Please speak to the Event Welfare Officer if you have any concerns.

Name of Event:

Name of Child:

Date of Birth:

Signature of Parent or Guardian:

Print name of Parent or Guardian:

Date:

LARGER EVENT PHOTOGRAPHY NOTICE

If organising a large event, particularly in a mountain environment where some wide-angle photographs may be taken by SE/club staff or professional photographers, and where it would not be possible to single out children who must not be photographed, the following wording is recommended on the entry form, or website information. This must be a place where it will be seen by anyone entering the competition. There should also be a notice to this effect on display at Registration together with the Event Welfare Officer's name and pre-competition information should also contain this information. Official photographers should be issued with a badge.

At this event, the Organisers and others may reasonably wish to take general photos or videos of the event. Participants and their parents should be aware this will be taking place. It is not reasonable, practical or proportionate to require consent for this type of photography, or to preclude it on the basis of the concerns of a small number of parents. The Organisers reserve the right to decline entry to any person unable to meet or abide by the Organiser's conditions.

If you are concerned, please contact the Event Welfare Officer who will be pleased to discuss the matter with you.

The Event Welfare Officer for this Event is:

Mobile Contact Number:

- The Organisers are keen to promote positive images of all involved in snow sport activities and are not preventing the use of photographic or video equipment at this event
- The Organisers recognise the need to ensure the welfare and safety everyone in snow sport
- Please ensure you only take photographs or videos of your own children.
- If photographing or videoing other young people (e.g., other members of your Team) please ensure this is only done with their consent and the consent of their parents
- At this event there may be Professional Photographers or photographers acting on behalf of the Organisers.
- The Organisers will provide these photographers with an identification badge
- If participants do not wish to be photographed or videoed by our Official Photographers, they should make their wishes known to the Event Welfare Officer.
- The Event Welfare Officer will relay this information to the Official Photographers who will make all reasonable attempts to exclude the participant, but cannot guarantee this
- You should be aware that photographs and videos may be taken for promotional and publicity purposes and to celebrate snow sport activities by the Club and Snowsport England
- The Organisers will store and use photographs in line with the Data Protection Act 2018
- The Organisers will take all steps to ensure these images are used solely for the purposes they are intended.
- If you become aware these images are being used inappropriately you should inform Clubs Event Welfare Officer immediately or if you become aware after the Event
- If anyone has concerns about images being taken, they should report this immediately to the Event Welfare Officer or organiser
- Where images of participants are used by the Organisers for publicity, promotional or celebratory purposes etc, their name will not usually be used and if a participant is named in an article, their photograph will not usually be used if this identifies them. However: It is recognised that when competing at this event it may be appropriate to name the winners/others and feature a photograph. Permission will be sought from the participant and if appropriate the parent before a they are named alongside a photograph.