

Junior Code of Conduct

As a young Paddler taking part in a Devizes Canoe Club activity, you should:

- Help create and maintain an environment free of fear and harassment
- Demonstrate fair play and apply British Canoeing's standards both on and off the water
- Understand that you have the right to be treated as an individual
- Respect the advice that you receive
- Treat others as you would wish to be treated yourself
- Respect other people and their differences
- Look out for yourself and for the welfare of others
- Speak out (to your parents or a club representative) if you consider that you or others have been poorly treated
- Tell someone in authority if you are leaving the venue
- Accept that these guidelines are in place for the well-being of all concerned
- Treat organisers and coaches with respect
- Observe instructions or restrictions requested by the adults looking after you
- Be organised and on time, or inform your coach if you are going to be late
- Take care of all property belonging to the club or any club member – and be responsible for caring for your own equipment and clothing.

You should not take part in any irresponsible, abusive, inappropriate or illegal behaviour which includes:

- Using offensive language.
- Publicly using critical or disrespectful descriptions of others either in person or through text, email or social network sites.
- Smoke or consume alcohol / drugs of any kind whilst on club premises or representing the club at events.

Child Signature _____ Print Name _____

Parent/Carer Signature _____ Print Name _____