

## CONQUEST MARTIAL ARTS LTD

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### Our Safeguarding Policy

This safeguarding policy applies to all instructors, coaches, officials, referees, trustees, secretaries, students, parents, volunteers and other members or associated instructors of [CLUB NAME].

The purpose of this policy is to;

- Protect children and young people who receive instruction, classes or martial arts lessons through Conquest Martial Arts Ltd
- To provide our instructors and other members of the club's adult support team with the principles that guide our approach to safeguarding and child protection;

CONQUEST MARTIAL ARTS LTD BELIEVES THAT A CHILD OR YOUNG PERSON SHOULD NEVER EXPERIENCE ABUSE OF ANY KIND. WE HAVE A RESPONSIBILITY TO PROMOTE THE WELFARE OF ALL CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE AND TO KEEP THEM SAFE. WE ARE COMMITTED TO TEACHING AND PROMOTING MARTIAL ARTS IN A WAY THAT PROTECTS THEM.

### Conquest Martial Arts Ltd Recognise That;

- The welfare of the child is paramount, as enshrined by the Children Act 1989.
- All children, regardless of age, disability, gender, racial heritage, religious belief, sexual orientation or identity, have a right to equal protection from all types of harm and abuse.
- Some children are additionally vulnerable because of the impact of previous experiences, their level of dependency, communication needs or other issues.
- Working in partnership with children, young people, their parents, carers and other agencies is essential in promoting young people's welfare.

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### Conquest Martial Arts Ltd seek to keep children and young people safe by;

- Valuing them, listening to and respecting them.
- Appointing a Designated Safeguarding lead (DSL) for children and young people.
- Adopting child protection and safeguarding practices through procedures and a code of conduct for staff and volunteers.
- Proving effective management for staff and volunteers through supervision, support, training and quality assurance measures.
- Recruiting staff and volunteers safely, ensuring all necessary checks are made.
- Recording and storing information professional and securely, and sharing information about safeguarding and good practice with children, their families, staff and volunteers via leaflets, posters, one-to-one discussions.
- Using our safeguarding procedures to share concerns and relevant information with agencies who need to know, and involving children, young people, parents, families and carers appropriately.
- Creating and maintain an anti-bullying environment and ensuring that we have a policy and procedure to help us deal effectively with any bullying that does arise.
- Ensuring that we have effective complaints and whistleblowing measures in place
- Ensuring that we provide a safe physical environment for our children, young people, staff and volunteers, by applying health and safety measures in accordance with the law and regulatory guidance

### Contact Details

#### **Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL);**

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Conquest Martial Arts Ltd are committed to reviewing our policy and good practice **annually**.

This policy was last reviewed on 15/10/2023

Signed: David Parker