

Registered Charity No 1133063

## WHITLINGHAM BOATHOUSES FOUNDATION CHANGING ROOM POLICY FEBRUARY 2017

Whitlingham Boathouses has adopted all British Rowing's Policies and all users are required to abide by these policies. This Policy sets out the standards for the use of the Boathouse changing rooms.

- Separate changing rooms are provided for Male and Female users
- The changing rooms are for mixed age groups and parents of U18s need to be aware of this
- Where possible, there should be no time when one adult is alone in the changing room when U18s are using them
- Where possible, there should be no time when an U18 is alone in the changing room when adults are present, unless the U18 is accompanied by their parent
- Parents of U18s can supervise their own child (of the same gender) whilst in the changing room
- Children under the age of 8 may change, when accompanied by their parent, in the changing room of the opposite gender
- Mobile phones, cameras or any other recording device must not be used in the changing room at any time
- Remember, not everyone (adult or child) will be comfortable
  using group changing facilities. No pressure should ever be put
  on someone using the facilities and the option to change at home
  or for an individual to find alternative provision is available
- If anyone wishes to report ANY concerns or breach of policy, they should contact their Club Welfare Officer, Club Committee member or members of Staff. Details are on the Noticeboards.

This policy is complementary to but does not override any more specific policies that may be required by the Schools using the facilities as part of their own organisation's safeguarding policies.