



Safe Use of the Internet and Social Media at Luna Acrobatics and Aerial Arts (September 2020)

Luna Acrobatics and Aerial Arts understand the importance of online communication for children and young people's development. However, we recognise that relevant safeguards need to be put in place to ensure children and young people remain safe while online or using social media.

We ask that all parents/Carers spend a few minutes to read through and discuss this statement with their child and then sign and return this form to Mary Bond or Claire Thompson, Welfare officers at Luna Acrobatics and Aerial Arts.

- I will be responsible for my behaviour when using the internet and social media at Luna Acrobatics and Aerial Arts, including the content I access and how I conduct myself.
- I will not deliberately create, browse or access material that could be considered offensive or illegal. If I accidentally come across any such material, I will report this to a member of staff.
- I will not use social media or the internet to send anyone material that could be considered threatening, offensive, upsetting, bullying or that is illegal.
- I understand that I should only use Luna Acrobatics and Aerial Arts official social media or website communication channels to contact them and should not seek out individual members of staff or coaches.
- I will not follow coach's/volunteer's private or public accounts on social media including Facebook and Instagram.
- I understand that all my use of internet and social media is potentially visible to everyone and that any issues involving my behaviour online may be addressed by my coach or other staff members at Luna Acrobatics and Aerial Arts.
- I will not give out any of my personal information (such as name, age, address or telephone number online), or that of anyone else.
- I will not share my passwords with anyone else.
- I will not arrange to meet someone that I have met online unless accompanied by a member of staff or parent.
- I understand that these rules are designed to keep me safe, and if they are not followed my parents/carers may be contacted.
- I will not use my mobile or smartphone during lessons as I understand that it will have an impact on my safety and my opportunity to learn and achieve.
- I am aware that if I am experiencing bullying behaviour or abuse online, I can contact Mary Bond (Designated Safeguarding Lead) at welfare@lunaacro.com or speak to any coach or volunteer at Luna Acrobatics and Aerial Arts.
- I know I can contact Childline on 0800 11 11 if I have any worries about something I've seen or experienced online.

We have discussed this statement and(*Insert child's name*) agrees to support the safe use of the internet and social media at Luna Acrobatics and Aerial Arts.

Parent's/ Carer's name:	
Parents/Carers signature:	
Date:	
Child's name:	
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