



Camberley & District Athletic Club

Founded March 1954. Affiliated to UKA, EA, SEAA, SCAA & SPFA

Use of Photographic and Video Equipment and Images of Children / Young People under the age of 18

Policy Statement

Camberley & District Athletic Club is committed to providing a safe environment for children/young people under the age of 18 to participate in athletics. Essential to this commitment, is to ensure that all necessary steps are taken to protect children/young people from the inappropriate use of photographic images.

Camberley & District Athletic Club has adopted the following good practice guidelines issued by UK Athletics:

Publishing Images

- Through our Membership Form we will ask for the permission of young athletes and their parents / guardians to take and use their image.
- If an athlete is named, we will avoid using their photograph
- If a photograph is used, we will avoid naming the athlete
- We will **NEVER** publish personal details (email addresses, telephone numbers, addresses etc) of a child/young person
- We will only authorise the use of images of players in suitable dress (Tracksuit, on track clothing i.e. T-shirt/shorts, off track clothing)

Use of Photographic Filming Equipment at Athletic Events

Camberley & District Athletic Club will:

- Remind athletes and parents that photographers will be in attendance at events and their consent should be sought for the taking and publication of films or photographs
- Require parents, spectators and authorised photographers (e.g. press) to register at an event if they wish to use any photographic equipment including mobile phones with photographic technology.
- Issue an identification pass which must be worn and clearly visible at all times during club hosted events
- Not allow unsupervised access to athletes or one to one photo sessions at events
- Not approve/allow photo sessions outside the events or at an athlete's home
- Act on the concerns of any athletes and parents regarding the inappropriate use of photographic equipment
- Gain consent through our membership form for the use of cameras/video equipment as training and coaching aids
- Ensure that any photographic images taken are used and stored safely.