

Chichester Vulcans Health and Safety Policy Statement

Chichester Vulcans Handball Club is strongly committed to encouraging our members to take part in the activity of Handball, but the health, well-being and safety of each individual is always our paramount concern. We recommend levels of training dependent on age and ability.

HEALTH AND SAFETY POLICY:

To support our Health and Safety policy statement we are committed to the following duties:

- Undertake regular, recorded risk assessment of the club premises and all activities undertaken by the club.
 - Create a safe environment by putting health and safety measures in place as identified by the assessment.
 - Ensure that all members are given the appropriate level of training and competition by regularly assessing individual ability dependant on age, maturity and development.
 - Ensure that all members are aware of, understand and follow the club's health and safety policy, as well as the club's insurance cover policy.
 - Appoint a competent club member to assist with health and safety responsibilities.
 - Ensure that normal operating procedures and emergency operating procedures are in place and known by all members. (Please see relevant risk assessments provided).
 - Provide access to adequate first aid facilities, telephone and qualified first aider at all times.
 - Report any injuries or accidents sustained during any club activity or whilst on the club premises.
 - Ensure that the implementation of the policy is reviewed regularly and monitored for effectiveness.
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- **AS A CLUB MEMBER YOU HAVE A DUTY TO:**
 - Take reasonable care for your own health and safety and that of others who may be affected by what you do or not do.
 - Co-operate with the club on health and safety issues.
 - Correctly use all equipment provided by the club.
 - Not interfere with or misuse anything provided for your health, safety or welfare.
 - Tell your coach/captain of any potential injuries or concerns immediately whether in a game, at training or outside of either of these.

CLUB HEALTH AND SAFETY OFFICER: James Chadburn

FIRST AID: Location of first aid facilities: Side of the Sports Hall – if unsure always ask the coach

Location of telephones: Lead Coach or Captain present at game/training

QUALIFIED FIRST AIDERS:

- James Chadburn
- Dan Hurst

