

## WESTWOOD CODE OF CONDUCT

This Code of Conduct aims to encourage a safe and enjoyable environment for all club members and protect the Club's reputation in the community. Members should consider it their responsibility to report any behaviour that does not adhere to the Code of Conduct to the Executive. Disregarding the Code of Conduct may result in suspension of your Westwood membership.

### OUR GUIDING PRINCIPLES

As a member of Westwood I will:

- **Respect the dignity of all club members.**

Verbal or physical behaviours that constitute harassment or abuse will not be tolerated. Any member that has been subject to such behaviour should bring it to the attention of the executive.

- **Respect club property and contribute to the maintenance and upkeep of Westwood's property and facilities.**

When using Westwood property, including the club house, treat it with care, ensure it is appropriately stored after use, and left in a condition suitable for others.

- **Be responsible for my guests.**

Guests are not permitted to be unaccompanied while at Westwood and are expected to comply with Westwood's policies.

- **Not participate in any illegal activity while on Westwood property.**

This includes possession or consumption of any illegal substances, or the supply of such substances, the supply of alcohol or tobacco to minors, stealing or destruction of property of any kind, conduct of a gross, obscene or loud nature

- **Demonstrate good sporting behaviour at all times.**

Learn the rules of sailing so you can abide by them. Abusive language and/or action against another participant is unacceptable.

- **Sail safely at all times and abide by all Westwood policies.**

These policies are for the benefit of all members, and address a variety of issues such as community relations, safety, sporting behaviour and administration. Violations of these policies will be investigated and disciplinary measures may be applied

- **Help members and other sailors when necessary.**

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