

Mobile Phone Usage Policy

Changing Rooms, Poolside, and Balcony Areas



Purpose

To ensure the privacy, safety, and comfort of all club members and families, the use of mobile phones and other electronic devices is strictly prohibited in the changing rooms and poolside, and has restrictions in the balcony viewing areas.

Scope

This policy applies to all HDDC members, staff, and visitors within the Leisure Centre.

Policy

1. Changing Rooms:
 - The use of mobile phones, cameras, tablets, and any other recording devices is strictly prohibited..
 - All devices should be switched off or set to silent mode before entering the changing rooms.
 - Devices should be placed in kit bags and not visible.
2. Poolside:
 - Mobile phones are not allowed within the poolside area to maintain a safe and enjoyable environment.
 - Any calls should be made in designated areas away from the poolside.
 - Photography and videography are strictly prohibited to protect the privacy of all pool users.
 - HDDC Coaches are not permitted to use any device other than the Club or Leisure Centres iPad on Poolside.
3. Balcony:
 - The use of mobile phones for photography and videography is strictly prohibited unless consent has been granted by the Leisure Centre's reception staff and HDDC coaches have authorised.
 - Coaches will advise when photography can take place to ensure only the relevant child is within the frame.

Enforcement

- Responsibility:
 - Staff members are trained to monitor and enforce this policy.
 - Any staff member noticing a breach of this policy should politely remind the individual of the rules.
 - Other members of the pool community are asked to report any violations to the Leisure Centre reception.
- Consequences:
 - Anyone who fails to comply will be given a warning.
 - Continued non-compliance may result in being asked to leave the premises.
 - Repeated violations could result in a temporary or permanent ban.

Review and Updates

- This policy will be reviewed annually and updated as necessary to ensure its effectiveness and relevance.