



Calisthenics Buderim Inc

Communication and Technology Policy

Our Commitment

Electronic communication is essential for sharing club news, training videos and information with our members. Our communication will be timely, appropriate, and related to club business.

What we will do

We use a range of electronic tools to communicate with our members. Our communication will protect members' privacy, maintain clear boundaries, and ensure that bullying or harassment does not occur.

A webmaster will be appointed to provide accountability and control over material published on our Club's website and any related discussion groups or social media platforms, such as Facebook and YouTube.

Calisthenics Buderim Website

- Our website will include current information on competitions, social events, committees, policies, constitutions, rules, and by-laws
- No offensive content or photos will be published
- If we intend to publish a photo of a child, we will first seek permission for his or her parents and take care not to provide identifying information
- We will seek feedback from members to improve the information available on the site

SMS and Emails

Committee members, coaches and team managers may use SMS and email to provide information about competition, training, club sanctioned social events and other club business, however:

- SMS messages should be short and about club/ team matters
- Email communication will be used when more information is required
- Communication involving children will be directed through their parents

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Social Media Websites

- We treat all social media postings, blogs, status updates as public 'comment'
- Postings (written, photos or video's) will be family friendly and feature positive club news and events
- No personal information about our members will be disclosed
- No statements will be made that are misleading, false, or likely to injure a person's reputation
- No statements will be made that might bring our club into disrepute
- Abusive, discriminatory, intimidating, or offensive statements will not be tolerated. Offending posts will be removed and those responsible will be blocked from the site.

What we ask you to do

We expect our members to conduct themselves appropriately when using electronic communication to share information with other members and coaches or posting material on public websites connected to the club.

Please ensure not to lodge any complaints/grievances or contact coaches directly through Messenger or Facebook. Please email: info@calisthenicsbuderim.com

Electronic Communication

- Should be restricted to club matters
- Must not offend, intimidate, humiliate, or bully another person
- Must not be misleading, false or injure the reputation of another person
- Should respect and maintain the privacy of members and coaches
- Must not bring the club into disrepute

Coaches and others who work with children and young people must direct electronic communication through the child's parents.

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Non-Compliance

Members may face disciplinary action for sending inappropriate electronic communication or posting online content or comments that harass, offend intimidate or humiliate another member as outlined in our Code of Conduct.

Under certain circumstances cyber bullying (e.g., Bullying that is carried out through an internet service such as email, chat room, discussion group, instant messaging, or website) is a criminal offence that can be reported to the police.

In addition, members that publish false or misleading comments about another person in the public domain (e.g., Facebook, YouTube, or Twitter) may be liable for defamation.