Berwick Camera Club: Online Code of Conduct

Berwick Camera Club's online activities are subject to the Online Safety Act. As a condition of membership, therefore, we are required to ask all members to comply with the following terms of reference. By accessing the club's website, social media platforms and online meetings members agree to comply with these Terms of Use. If you do not agree, please speak to a member of the committee.

1. Scope

These terms apply to all areas of the club's activities, including:

- Public-facing pages websites
- Member-only areas (login required)
- Image galleries, discussion forums, or comment-enabled features
- The club's social media channels
- Meetings and other club activities

2. Content Standards

All content published or uploaded to any of the club's channels:

- Be respectful, lawful, and appropriate for general audiences (including children)
- Not contain or promote harassment, discrimination, hate speech, explicit material, or illegal activity
- Respect copyright and intellectual property rights of others

In the context of photographic uploads, nude or sensitive artistic imagery must be clearly marked and not submitted into any public area of the website or any other publicly accessible channel with the prior agreement of a member of the committee.

3. User Accounts (Members)

If you are given access to any member-only area:

- You are responsible for keeping your login details secure
- You must not share or repost content outside the member area without permission
- You are accountable for any content you upload

The Club reserves the right to remove access or content if the terms are violated.

4. Moderation and Enforcement

The Club <u>may</u> moderate or remove content without notice, particularly if it:

- Clearly breaches these terms
- Is deemed inappropriate by a moderator
- Is reported by any user (whether a club member or not) through the complaints procedure

Any content that is removed will be reviewed by the Committee and, if appropriate, may be reinstated. Repeat violations may result in account suspension or removal.

5. Use of Comments or Forums

Where commenting is enabled please stay on topic, be respectful, and do not spam. Comments that appear threatening, abusive, or otherwise harmful will be deleted. Repeat violations may result in account suspension or removal.

6. Contact

If you have questions about these terms or wish to report a concern, contact <u>berwickcameraclub@gmail.com</u>.