

Photography Policy

Photography, with both still and moving images, is widely used at Lincoln Canoe Club and at venues used for racing and other canoeing activities.

There are three main purposes:

- Images may be used to assist improvement in the technique of the paddler pictured and may also be used in a group session to help other members.
- Images may be shared e.g. on club notice boards and/or on the closed group Facebook page, for social interaction amongst club members, fostering team spirit and mutual understanding, respect and encouragement. The club's Facebook Editor and the Hon Sec monitor material shared in this way.
- Images may sometimes be used to illustrate club publicity and documentation. People featured in this way will normally be consulted before any images are made available beyond the club's membership.

Coaches and committee members monitor photography within the club, but as canoeing activities take place in public places, the club cannot be responsible for other people taking photographs, though it will seek an explanation from anyone who seems to be taking a 'more than landscape' interest.

New members, or in the case of children and young people - parents /carers, are given the opportunity to consent to such use of photography. If consent is declined, the club will do its utmost to avoid any inappropriate action.