



## **RULES 2010**

### **Conditions of affiliation to the Welsh Sea Rowing Association (WSRA)**

#### **1. Constitution**

All clubs are to have an adequate constitution a copy of which must be held by the WSRA. The WSRA holds a model constitution, a copy of which can be provided by the WSRA for adoption by any club that does not have their own.

#### **2. Safety Officer**

All clubs are to have a safety officer, notified to the WSRA. The safety officer is the point of contact for all safety matters and is responsible for ensuring that WSRA safety guidelines and procedures are adhered to. Individual club members must be made aware that their membership is conditional on their keeping to club safety rules.

*The WSRA Safety Officer will help Club Safety officers if requested.*

#### **3. Child Protection Officer**

All Clubs are to have a child protection officer notified to the WSRA. The child protection officer is responsible for ensuring adherence to the child and vulnerable adult protection policies of the Association. *Smaller clubs who have difficulty providing a CPO may share a CPO with a larger club.*

#### **4. Affiliation Fees**

Each club shall pay an annual affiliation fee.

This affiliation fee includes for Civil Liability Cover for the WSRA Clubs and their officials for WSRA approved activities. (see insurance statement)

#### **5. Safety Audit**

Member clubs are to complete an annual safety audit.

#### **6. Accident Reporting**

Any accident leading to personal injury or substantial damage to equipment should be reported to the WSRA safety officer. The purpose of this rule is not to focus blame. By sharing knowledge the chance of recurring accidents can be reduced.