## Safeguarding Policy Statement

Stevenage Leisure Limited (SLL) places the protection of children and adults at risk using its services and facilities as one of its major priorities and responsibilities.

We understand that children have the right to have fun and be safe whilst using our facilities, and that parents and carers need to have confidence in SLL as a company committed to safeguarding all.

Stevenage Leisure Limited will endeavour to:

- Promote and priorities the safety and wellbeing of children and adults at risk
- Endeavour to provide a safe and secure environment in order to protect children and adults at risk from harm
- Ensure everyone understands their roles and responsibilities in respect of safeguarding and is provided with appropriate learning opportunities to recognise, identify and respond to signs of abuse, neglect and other safeguarding concerns relating to children and adults at risk
- Ensure appropriate action is taken in the event of incidents/concerns of abuse and support is provided to the individual/s who raise or disclose the concern
- Ensure that confidential, detailed and accurate records of all safeguarding concerns are maintained and securely stored
- Encourage partnership agencies and hirers of our facilities to adopt safeguarding policies and procedures of their own
- Ensure robust safeguarding arrangements and up to date procedures are in operation.

Signed

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