

Mullingar Cricket Club, St.Finians College,Longford Rd, Mullingar, Co Westmeath

Cricket Ireland Mandated Person:

Brad Van Camp NCO Cricket Ireland Unit 22 Grattan Business Park Clonshaugh Industrial Estate D17 X244

MCC Designated Liaison Person: Martina Mount MCC Children's Officer: Robert Delaney

MCC recognises this implementation is an ongoing process. We are committed to the implementation of this Child Safeguarding Statement and the procedures that support our intentions to keep children safe from harm while availing of our activities.

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	M. Conlell
Chairman:	Date:
	Mark Condell

Children's officer: Date: **Robert Delaney**



Child safeguarding statement

Mullingar Cricket Club provides sporting activities and opportunities for children and young people and is committed to safeguarding children and young people. All our volunteers and staff working with children throughout the organisation seek to create a safe environment for children and young people to participate in cricket.

The Club's written Safeguarding and Risk Assessment document indicates the areas of potential risk of harm, the likelihood of the risk occurring and gives the required policy, guidance or process documents required to avoid or alleviate these risks. The list of risks are contained in the following categories: Club and Coaching Practices;

Complaints and Discipline: Reporting Procedures; Use of Facilities; Recruitment; Communications; and General Risk of Harm.

The Club's Child Safeguarding Statement has been developed in line with requirements under the Children First Act 2015, Tusla's Child Safeguarding: A Guide for Policy,

Procedure and Practice, and The Children First: National Guidance.

In addition to our Risk Assessment document there are further procedures that support our intention to safeguard children while they are availing of our activities and facilities. Cricket Ireland has the following procedures in place, and adopted by affiliated clubs, as part of their policies:

- Procedures for the management of allegations of abuse or misconduct by staff or volunteers against a child availing of our activities
- Procedures for the safe recruitment of staff and volunteers to work with children in our activities
- Procedures for access to child safeguarding training and information including he identification of the occurrence of harm
- Procedure for reporting of child protection or welfare concerns to Statutory Authorities.