

# **Walton & Weybridge Regatta 2019**

## **Welfare Statement**

### **CHILD PROTECTION AND WELFARE**

In accordance with British Rowing's 'Safeguarding and Protecting Children Policy', the organising committee of the Walton and Weybridge Regatta believes that the welfare and wellbeing of all children is of paramount importance. All children, regardless of age, gender, ethnicity, religion or ability, have equal rights to safety and protection. All suspicions, concerns and allegations of harm will be taken seriously and responded to swiftly and appropriately. A Welfare Officer for the competition will be appointed annually and will act as the point of contact for any concerns or allegations. Their contact number will be posted in the boating areas of Walton Rowing Club throughout the duration of the competition. Please, initially, report any concerns to the Welfare Officer.

### **CONTACT NUMBERS**

**Welfare Officer: 07767 475881 (Carol Cornell)**

GB Rowing Child Protection Officer (CPO): 0208 237 6700

NSPCC: 0808 800 5000

Local police: 0845 125 2222