



Development Policy

For the purposes of this document, the term 'Club' is deemed to be Gloucester Canoe Club.

The Club is committed to increasing the profile of canoeing as a lifestyle sport within the local community, providing opportunities for people of all ages to progress from their first time boat to competent paddlers.

The Club is committed to increasing its membership and the range of Paddlesport activities in a quality environment. To increase membership and activities the Club recognises it requires volunteers for committee, coaching, leading and support rolls within the Club. The Club will compile and maintain a development plan to identify requirements and targets to meet the aim of this policy.

The aims of the Development plan will be:-

- Increase participation and membership
- Increase coaching and team leader numbers and training
- Improve organisation and governance
- Improve Profile and Communication

The Development plan will be valid for three years, will be reviewed annually and superseded at the end of the validity period. The Development plan will be made available to all members.

Club members should refer to the Club website at www.gloucestercanoecub.co.uk for details of the Clubs Procedures, Code of Conduct and the Club Constitution.

The Club hereby declares that this policy is adopted by the members and the committee of the Club and will implement this policy into the Club environment.

Ian Kershaw; Club Chairman 16th May 2018