

## INFINITY BOAT CLUB

**Environment Policy** 



Infinity Boat Club acknowledges that the connection between the climate and other environmental issues impact us all, it therefore recognises its responsibility to reduce its carbon and environmental footprints and formally commits to being an environmentally responsible charity.

As a water sports centre, we pledge to work closely with the Environmental Agency, The Canal and River Trust and other key river users to preserve and improve the river for future generations.

To take this forward it commits to the following actions:

## Management.

1. The Trustees of Infinity Boat Club mandates the CEO and Staff to take responsibility for implementing this commitment.

The CEO will report annually on progress made, including statistical information regarding our energy carbon footprint.

This will include a full audit of;

- Electricity
- Water
- Transport fuel
- Gas
- Total waste production
- % of waste recycled
- Total paper consumption
- % Recycled paper
- % Renewable energy used
- Any other relevant environmental criteria.
- 2. Infinity Boat Club's annual impact statement will include a summary of the annual environmental audit of the charity.
- 3. Progress on improvement of Infinity Boat Club's environmental performance, will be a standard item at management meetings.
- 4. All staff will be expected to help Infinity Boat Club in carrying out its aim of being an environmentally responsible organisation.
- 5. Induction procedures for new staff will include information on the charity's environmental practices.



- 6. Infinity Boat Club will ask all our current and future suppliers for their environmental policies and for evidence of implementation of such policies and indicate that such performance will be used as criteria for supplier selection.
- 7. Infinity Boat Club will seek to have relevant environmental clauses included in any future contracts agreed with outside bodies.
- 8. Infinity Boat Club will include environmental responsibility training in any future staff training programmes, especially for those involved in coaching our students.
- 9. Infinity Boat Club will observe existing environmental legislation as a minimum standard and seek to out-perform current legislative requirements, where practical.
- 10. Infinity Boat Club will develop and maintain a sustainable policy for student transportation, seeking to reduce unnecessary travel. Progress will be monitored annually.

All those working with Infinity Boat Club have a responsibility for implementing and promoting this policy by the use of good practice.

We will periodically measure the effectiveness of our service delivery, in relation to this policy document.

**Review** – This policy will be reviewed annually by the CEO, when necessary, it will be updated to reflect current legislation, policies and good practice.

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