E-safety code for children and young people
Abergavenny Orchestral Society

This code is part of our code of behaviour for children and young people. It also fits with our overarching e-safety policy and the expectations we have of all our members in terms of their use of communications technologies such as the Internet and mobile phones.

Abergavenny Orchestral Society understands the importance of emerging technologies for children's education and personal development, as well as for the successful running of our society. However, we also recognise that safeguards need to be in place to ensure children are kept safe at all times.

Purpose

To ensure children and young people who participate in activities or events organised by Abergavenny Orchestral Society know what is expected of them in their use of information communication technology, and they remain safe.

Child and young person's code

Children and young people should be responsible for their behaviour when using the Internet. This includes resources they access and the language they use.

Children and young people should not:
- deliberately upload to Abergavenny Orchestral Society's website or Facebook page material that could be considered offensive or illegal. If they come across any such material on those pages they should report it immediately to the e-safety co-ordinator or Chairman
- send anyone material that could be considered threatening, bullying, offensive or illegal
- give out any personal information such as name, phone number or address without the permission of their parent/carer
- reveal their passwords to anyone
- arrange to meet someone unless accompanied by a parent

Children and young people should understand that:
- Abergavenny Orchestral Society's Facebook page is public and if they post on that page, their profile picture and Facebook ID become visible to anyone looking at the page
- all e-mails sent to Abergavenny Orchestral Society's mailing list, and all their posts on Abergavenny Orchestral Society's website and Facebook page are publically visible and will be monitored by the e-safety co-ordinator
- these rules are designed to keep them safe and that if they are not followed their parent/ carer may be contacted

Key People
E-safety co-ordinator: **Simon Large**
Designated Safeguarding Lead: **Heather Leighton**
Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead: **Bethan Barlow**
Chairman: **Peter Geraghty**