

Social Media Guidelines

Social media is of great benefit to us as individuals and to Stanbridge Fliers– we're all using social media such as Facebook and Twitter to keep in touch and find out what's going on. There are a few things to keep in mind to ensure that we always apply common sense in our use of social media:

Codes of conduct

Stanbridge Fliers requires that we all treat each other with respect and not engage in actions which would bring the group into disrepute – this includes how we conduct ourselves in all our activities, including social media and networking. Have fun, share the spirit of the Fliers but be respectful online just as you would be in person.

1. **Think twice before posting.** If you wouldn't want your employer, parents, friends, colleagues or future employer to see your post, don't post it.
2. **Be respectful.** Be positive. Treat others the way you would like to be treated.
3. **Remember many different audiences will see your posts** including club members, potential members, children, members' relatives and friends.
4. **Be polite.**
5. **Avoid posting inflammatory, extraneous, objectionable or off-topic messages that may provoke others into an emotional response (trolling/flaming).** Avoid topics that may be controversial, like politics and religion. Don't post anything that you wouldn't say openly in a workplace such as comments about drug use, profanity, off-colour or sexual humour, ethnic slurs, or personal insults.
6. **Be in the right state of mind when you make a post.** Don't post when you're angry, upset, or your judgment is impaired in any way. Remember, the Internet is permanent!
7. **Remember that Stanbridge Fliers reserve the right to delete any post or comment within any group forum, without warning or notice.**