

# KILLEENTIerna YOUTH CLUB

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## Killeentierna Youth Club—Child Safeguarding Statement

Killeentierna Youth Club has Agreed the following Child Safeguarding Statement which is Binding on all Leaders and Members of the Club.

Killeentierna Youth Club is an Independent Leader and Trustee Led Youth Club who's Objective is to Provide a Social Outlet in a Safe and Supervised Environment for Secondary School going Young People in Killentierna Parish and surrounding Parishes. Since its Foundation in 1982, Killeentierna Youth Club's activities have been organised and implemented by our dedicated Volunteer Leaders and Youth Committee, who are committed to the Safeguarding of Young People in our Club as we seek to create a Safe Environment for Young People in which they can grow and develop.

We have completed a Risk Assessment of the potential for harm to Young People when they are participating in Club Activities under the following headings .....

- Club Nights and Meetings
- Club Outings and Events

In addition to our Risk Assessment Document the following Policies and Rules support our intension to Safeguard the Young People availing of our Club's Activities:

- Selection and Vetting of Volunteers Policy
- Child Protection Policy
- Bullying Policy
- Mobile Phones and Media Policy
- Smoking, Alcohol and Drugs Policy
- Youth Club Rules

The Killeentierna Youth Club's Mandated Person, who has a legal obligation to report harm of Young People as per Legislation is Moss Leane. Contact: [mossleane@yahoo.ie](mailto:mossleane@yahoo.ie)

Our Child Safeguarding Statement has been prepared in accordance with the legislature requirements contained in the Child First Act 2015, and is reviewed annually before January 31st.

**The Leaders Committee Killeentierna Youth Club**

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The potential risk of harm and abuse of children under each of the headings below is high.	Indicate the likelihood of any of the potential risks of harm occurring by rating them High Medium or Low	Reference to Policy, Guidance and Procedure	Who is responsible at Club level?
<b>CLUB NIGHTS &amp; MEETINGS</b>			
Club Leaders are Selected and suitable to be in charge of Young People	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Club's Selection and Vetting of Volunteers Policy</li> </ul>	Club's Garda Vetting Committee
Club Leaders have been Trained on Child Safeguarding and running a Youth Club	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tusla On Line Child First Training</li> <li>Killeentierna Youth Club Child Protection Policy</li> <li>Killeentierna Youth Club Leader Mentoring Policy</li> </ul>	Key Leader (Child Protection Officer) Club's Senior Leaders
Club Leaders have Training and Clear Instructions on Dealing with Young People on Club Nights	L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Killeentierna Youth Club Child Protection Policy</li> <li>Killeentierna Youth Club Leader Mentoring Policy</li> <li>Killeentierna Youth Club – Club Rules</li> </ul>	Club's Senior Leaders
Club Leaders have Training and a Definite Procedure for Observing and Dealing with Abuse Cases	M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Killeentierna Youth Club Child Protection Policy</li> <li>Tusla On Line Child First Training</li> </ul>	Key Leader (Child Protection Officer) Club's Senior Leaders
Club Leaders and Members have clear Rules and Policies for Dealing with Bullying and abuse of Alcohol and Drugs on Club Nights	L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Killeentierna Youth Club Smoking, Alcohol and Drug's Policy</li> <li>Killeentierna Youth Club Bullying Policy</li> </ul>	Club Leaders
Club Members have Rules for how they should interact with Leaders and each Other on Club Nights and Meetings	L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Killeentierna Youth Club – Club Rules</li> <li>Killeentierna Youth Club Mobile Phones &amp; Media Policy</li> </ul>	Club Leaders Club Youth Committee.



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