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Club Rules:

The terms "land" and "site" shall be used to describe the area operated by the club as determined by the licence/lease held with the land owner.

1. All members will comply with decisions made by the committee.
2. When representing the club or its affiliates, all members will behave in a civil, polite and cordial manner.
3. The land may be accessed by members only.
4. All members must carry their membership pass at all times when on the land.
5. Always ride within your limits and take care to evaluate each course prior to riding.
6. All riders must wear suitable safe helmets at all times when riding on the land or on club organised rides. Body armor is also recommended.
7. Riding alone is not permitted. Carrying a mobile phone is recommended.
8. The land must not be used when closed by Longleat or by the club.
9. Members must not damage or deface any property of the Club or the Longleat estate.
10. No member of the club shall be involved in trail construction at any other location unless the activity is organised with written permission from the appropriate land-owners and authorities and in agreement with the committee.
11. There is to be no construction of any kind on the land but specifically new trails or trail features, without the clear consent of the committee.
12. The use of metal is not permitted in the building of any trails on the land.
13. The site of the derelict building* is to be treated as out of bounds at all times.
14. No fires (That includes smoking).
15. No litter (No glass on site).
16. No member will post material on the club website that is copyrighted, vulgar, offensive, threatening or discriminatory.
17. Do not park anywhere along the road between Whitbourne Springs and Longhedge.

* The site of the derelict building is clearly identified in the map entitled Club Operated Land.

Disciplinary Procedures:

The Club hopes never to have to take disciplinary action. However, the disciplinary process is as follows:

If a complaint is received about a member then a committee member will contact the member who has been the subject of complaint and work with that

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member to resolve the issue amicably. If successful, no further action will be taken. However failure to cooperate, or repeated complaints will result in referral to the committee who may take formal action as described below:

Formal action shall be taken by the committee for breach of the rules or repeated failure to comply with the code of conduct arising in a complaint being made. The committee shall notify the member and invite him to the next committee meeting where he may represent himself at a disciplinary hearing. Should the next committee meeting be scheduled for in excess of 4 weeks time then a disciplinary hearing shall be scheduled for no more than 4 weeks time with the agreement of both parties. The member shall be suspended from the club pending the outcome of this hearing and will be required to hand in his membership card to the committee for this time. The committee will treat all cases in a consistent manner and aim to resolve the issue amicably; however they reserve the right to expel a member from the club for serious or repeated breaches of the rules. In the event of expulsion the member will forfeit their membership fee and no longer have any access to any of the clubs assets or facilities.

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Chairman