FMAC Social media policy

Social media (including personal and professional websites, blogs, chat rooms and bulletin boards; social networks, such as Facebook, LinkedIn, Twitter and Instagram; video-sharing sites such as YouTube) are a common means of communication and self-expression.

It’s essential that parents/carers, members and instructors make informed decisions about how they use the internet, mobile phone and email communications to protect our federation and our people.

Everyone involved in our federation has the responsibility to safeguard both in and out the training area (Do Jang), including communications.

**It is the responsibility of all members to:-**

1. Refrain from publishing comments about other Federations, students or instructors and any controversial or potentially inflammatory subjects.

2. Avoid hostile or harassing communications in any posts or other online communications. Harassment is any offensive conduct based on a person`s race, sex, gender identity, national origin, colour, disability, age sexual orientation, veteran status, marital status, religion or any other status protected by law.

3. FMAC should identify all copyrighted or borrowed material with citations and links. When publishing direct paraphrased quotes, thoughts, ideas, photos or videos, give credit to the original publisher or author.

4. FMAC will be responsible for reviewing responses to online posts and resolving any concerns before they are posted.

 5. If a member or any other online participant posts an inaccurate, offensive or negative comment about federation or anyone associated with the federation, the post will be removed, they may also be blocked or removed from groups.