

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN **INFORMATION FOR REGATTA VOLUNTEERS**

The Organising Committee of Evesham Annual Regatta and Evesham Sprint Regatta believe that the welfare and wellbeing of all children is paramount. All children, regardless of age, gender, ethnicity, religion or ability, have equal rights to safety and protection.

Participating clubs have been advised that all suspicions, concerns and allegations of harm will be taken seriously and have been told that these should be reported without delay to an Evesham Rowing Club volunteer or Regatta Official, whereupon they will respond to swiftly and appropriately in accordance with the Regatta Child Welfare Plan.

Your role as a volunteer will be to alert a Regatta Official (Umpire or Marshal) without delay of any such matter reported to, or observed by you. The Official will then deal with the matter in accordance with the agreed Regatta Child Welfare Plan.