

# DELPH SAILING CLUB

Longworth Road, Egerton, Bolton BL7 9RJ

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## Dog Access Policy – Sports & Social Clubhouse

We welcome well-behaved dogs at our clubhouse under the following conditions to ensure a safe, enjoyable, and hygienic environment for all members and guests.

### 1. Permitted Areas

- Dogs are **only permitted in the designated Wet Area**.
- Dogs are **not allowed** in indoor dry areas, food preparation areas, kitchens, function rooms, or on sporting surfaces.

### 2. Supervision & Control

- All dogs must be **kept on a lead at all times**.
- Dogs must remain **under the direct control of their owner or handler**.
- Dogs must not be tied up and left unattended.

### 3. Behaviour Standards

- Only **well-behaved, socialised dogs** are permitted.
- Dogs must be:
  - Non-aggressive toward people or other animals
  - Quiet and not prone to excessive barking
  - Calm and not disruptive to members, guests, or staff
- Dogs showing aggressive, anxious, or disruptive behaviour may be asked to leave immediately.

### 4. Hygiene & Cleanliness

- Owners are responsible for **cleaning up after their dog immediately**.
- Dogs must be clean, healthy, and free from parasites.
- Any damage or soiling caused by a dog must be rectified by the owner.

### 5. Owner Responsibility

- Owners accept **full responsibility** for their dog's behaviour and any injury, damage, or disturbance caused.
- Children must not handle or approach dogs without the owner's consent.
- The club accepts no liability for incidents involving dogs.

## 6. Management Discretion

- Club management reserves the right to:
  - Refuse entry to any dog
  - Ask any dog and owner to leave at any time
  - Amend or revoke this policy if required

## 7. Compliance

- Failure to comply with this policy may result in removal from the premises and/or loss of dog access privileges.

Signage:

### Dog Access Policy

- Dogs are **welcome in the Wet Area only**
- Dogs must be **on a short lead at all times**
- Only **well-behaved, quiet, non-aggressive dogs** permitted
- Dogs must be **under owner control and supervised**
- Owners must **clean up after their dog immediately**
- Dogs causing disruption may be **asked to leave**
- Owners are **fully responsible** for their dog at all times

Management reserves the right to refuse or remove dogs at any time.