

## Young Person / Parent / Guardian responsibility awareness form

1. A Junior Member is defined as being under 18 years of age.
2. A responsible adult is defined as parent/guardian or an adult who has permission from the legal parent / guardian to be responsible for the young person named in this document that has the experience commensurate with the type and degree of supervision required and is a paid up member of Davidstow Model Flying Club.
3. Junior members must be supervised at all times by a responsible adult. The level of supervision is to be commensurate with the junior member's age, maturity, capabilities and levels of experience.
4. A responsible adult as defined in paragraph 2 cannot bring any young person onto the Davidstow Flying Club site unless another club member is present.
5. Junior members shall not start an engine or carry a model with the engine running unless they are supervised by a responsible adult.
6. No junior member shall fly a model aircraft unless supervised by a responsible adult **or** the junior member holds the minimum of a BMFA Achievement Scheme "A" certificate **and** has been authorised to do so by the Club Committee.
7. No club member is to be expected to assume responsibility for a junior member unless he/she has been specifically requested to do so by the junior member's responsible adult and is willing to do so. The responsible adult understands this is a temporary arrangement while he/she is preparing a model for flight, flying a model or retrieving model after flight. The responsible adult also agrees that no disciplinary action can be taken against any club member who decides he/she does not want this responsibility
8. Notwithstanding the requirements of Paragraph 7, it is hoped, should a club member discover a junior member is unsupervised he/she will assume responsibility for the junior member's safety in the first instance. The situation should then be rectified as soon as possible by seeking out the junior member's responsible adult. Any instance of such an occurrence is to be reported to the Committee as soon as possible by the responsible adult.  
The parent/guardian accepts that this is not a mandatory requirement of club membership and as stated in the club constitution the club has no person who is CRB checked.
9. Junior membership is discretionary and is linked to the responsible adult's club membership but the junior member must have BMFA insurance cover either in their own right or as part of a family membership, details of this membership must be lodged with the club secretary before any flight by the junior person can take place.

Name of junior member .....

Date of birth .....

Relationship to parent/guardian/ responsible adult .....

I as the responsible adult of the above young person understand my responsibilities laid out in this document, the clubs constitution and the safety at the flying field rules. If the responsible adult is not the parent or guardian then this form must also be by the legal parent / guardian

Name of parent/guardian ..... Signed .....

Name of Responsible Adult ..... Signed .....

Club membership number ..... Date .....