

Health and Safety Policy Statement

The Lincoln Bowling Club is committed to maintaining a safe and healthy environment for members, visitors, and other persons within its operating facilities.

Health and Safety is everyone's business, and everyone is expected to share in our commitment to avoid all accidents and incidents, which may cause personal injury, property damage or loss of any kind.

The Lincoln Bowling Club has integrated into the management and daily affairs of the club the Principles and Practices of Health & Safety to ensure the club provides a quality environment.

All members and others are expected to act safely at all times to ensure their own welfare and that of their fellow members and others within our operating facilities.

We will make every reasonable effort to ensure the safety of member's and others by:

- ♣ Providing and maintaining a safe environment.
- ♣ Providing suitable facilities.
- ♣ Ensuring all plant and equipment is safe.
- ♣ Ensuring all members and other people at / or in the vicinity of our facilities are not exposed to unmanaged or uncontrolled hazards caused by our operations.
- ♣ Developing and implementing emergency and evacuation procedures.

To achieve this we will:

- ♣ Systematically identify and control all potential hazards in our facilities. Working together we will take all practicable steps to eliminate, isolate and/or minimise these hazards to prevent any injury or damage.
- ♣ Members to be involved in identifying hazards and the hazard control.
- ♣ Ensure members are properly supervised during work/club activities.
- ♣ Display emergency and evacuation procedures.
- ♣ Record all incidents and accidents that occur during work or club activities, and take all practicable steps to prevent a re-occurrence of any such incident or accident.
- ♣ Carry out planned self-inspections to monitor **Health and Safety** issues.
- ♣ Ensure members are given reasonable opportunities to participate effectively in ongoing processes for the improvement of **Health and Safety**.
- ♣ *The Health & Safety Officer or his/her designated substitute is responsible in ensuring that these procedures are implemented.*