## WAFC POL.09: Photo & Video Policy



## **POLICY BACKGROUND**

The West Australian Football Commission recognises that photographing and filming children in Community Football is usually performed in an appropriate manner and for good reason, however the inappropriate photographing and filming of children can occur which puts children at risk.

Community Football clubs are expected to create and maintain safe environments that are fit for purpose, provide positive experiences, and ensure the safety of children.

If a parent, guardian, or club official needs to discuss images being recorded due to privacy concerns, the team managers must immediately meet and discuss to ensure the privacy and safety of all participants. Respect should be afforded to all requests to not publish any photos or videos on social media platforms.

## SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

Additional information and resources regarding taking images and video of children can be found below:

<u>Play by the Rules – Taking images of children.</u> <u>Drone Usage</u>