Principals of the NOMADS Social Media Policy

As at 19th April 2021

This policy applies to all Nomads members. This includes where your comments, postings or profile that can identify you as a member of Nomads, irrespective of whether Nomads is named, and occurring at any time.

Activities on social media should be considered public. Despite the availability of privacy functions on social media. It is possible for content to be shared beyond intended recipients. This policy is for the mutual protection of Nomads and its members and is not intended to prevent, discourage or unduly limit expression of personal opinions or online activities.

Only an authorized representative can manage Nomads social media presence or post on Nomads behalf.

This policy covers, but is not limited to, the sites and services mentioned below, and is also intended to cover any other social media services that are developed in the future:

- a. social media networking sites (e.g. Facebook, Instagram);
- b. video and photo sharing websites (e.g. Youtube);
- c. micro-blogging (e.g. Twitter);
- d. forums and discussion boards (e.g. Google Groups);
- e. online collaboration (e.g. Wikipedia);
- f. podcasting; and
- g. blogs.

Guidelines for appropriate use of social media

The Nomads organisation expects that all of its members will uphold the expected level of professional conduct and ethical behavior when using social media. It is critical that members of Nomads exhibit a high standard of conduct to maintain confidence in Nomads and reinforce the foundations the club was formed and the values of respect and responsibility.

Members should be aware of the effect their actions may have on their personal images as well as on Nomads' image. The information that members post or publish will be public information and may be public for a long time.

Although not exclusive, some specific examples of prohibited social media conduct include the posting of negative comments, content and / or images that are defamatory, pornographic, proprietary, harassing, libelous that creates a hostile environment.

Members are not to publish, post or release any information that is considered confidential or not public. If there are questions about what is considered confidential, members should check with their club Committee, Captain or NATEX.