**Child Safeguarding Statement**

**Safe Guarding Statement Child Protection**

**Kilkenny Judo Club**

This Safeguarding Statement had been developed in line with Tusla guidance on the development of a safe guarding statement. [http://www.tusla.ie](http://www.tusla.ie/)

* This **Child Safeguarding Statement** includes the service Kilkenny Judo Club. provide, the principles and procedures that are observed to ensure as far as practicable that a child while availing of the service is safe from ‘harm’ in line with Children First : National Guidance for child protection

This **Child Safeguarding Statement** has been

* ***1.*** Kilkenny Judo Club.
* Leads: Anthony Delaney

Kilkenny Judo Club service is providing the following services for children aged: 5 – 18 years

Twice Weekly Judo Classes

**The management structure is:**

Anothony Delaney is Community lead

**2. COMMITMENT TO SAFEGUARD CHILDREN FROM HARM**

* Our Service is committed to safeguarding the children in our care and to providing a safe environment in which they can play, learn and develop.

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* We will review our child safeguarding statement and accompanying child safeguarding policies and procedures every 2 years, or sooner if necessary, due to service issues or changes in legislation or national policy.
* **Designated Liaison Person** for Child Protection

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| **DLP:**  *Maelle Champenois*  *086 3849135* |

**IMPLEMENTATION AND REVIEW**

* We recognise that implementation is an ongoing process. Our service Kilkenny Judo Club is committed to the implementation of this Child Safeguarding Statement and the accompanying child safeguarding policies and procedures that support our intention to keep children safe from harm while availing of our service
* This Statement will be reviewed every 2 years or as soon as practicable after there has been a material change in any matter to which the statement refers
* This statement is readily accessible to parents and guardians on request. A copy of this Statement will be made available to Tusla if requested.

**Signed: Anthony Delaney Date: 1.09.2023**

**Service Provider’s name and contact details:**

**Anthony Delaney CCO**

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