



## **13<sup>th</sup> Bromley Company - The Boys' Brigade**

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# **POLICY STATEMENT**

### **Child Protection Policy Safeguarding Young People and Children**

As one of its major activities, the 13<sup>th</sup> Bromley Company seeks to serve the needs of young people, promoting their all round development. In doing so, The 13<sup>th</sup> Bromley takes seriously the welfare of all young people and children who come onto its premises or who are involved in its activities.

The 13<sup>th</sup> Bromley aims to ensure that they are welcomed into a safe, caring, environment with a happy and friendly atmosphere.

The 13<sup>th</sup> Bromley requires every member of staff to provide a Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check from the Criminal Records Bureau, before working with young people.

The 13<sup>th</sup> Bromley recognises that it is the responsibility of each one of its staff and instructors, to work to prevent neglect, physical, sexual or emotional abuse of young people and children and to report any abuse discovered or suspected.

The 13<sup>th</sup> Bromley recognises its responsibility to implement, maintain and regularly review procedures, which are designed to prevent and to be alert to such abuse.

The 13<sup>th</sup> Bromley is committed to supporting, resourcing, training and supervising those who work with young people and children.

The 13<sup>th</sup> Bromley is committed to maintaining good links with the statutory child care authorities.

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