

This project has appointed Kenneth Cross and Lyn Fisher as safeguarding trustees to oversee and monitor implementation of the policy and procedures on behalf of the Exmoor Youth Project trustees.

This project has appointed Jess James as the designated person for safeguarding to;

- A) Advise the project– Employees, trustees and volunteers on any matters related to the safeguarding of Children, Young People and Vulnerable adults.
- B) Take appropriate action when abuse is disclosed, discovered or suspected, and work in cooperation with the safeguarding procedures of thirtyone:eight.
- C) Represent the concerns and views of those disclosing, to trustees and necessary outside bodies and seek advise from thirtyone:eight.

Workers Line Manager: Rev'd Kenneth Cross

Administrator: Lyn Fisher

Schools, Youth and Development Worker:
Jess James

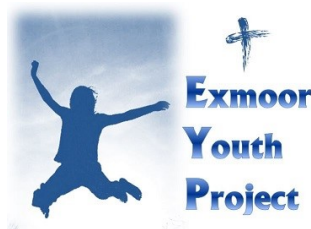
Children and Families Worker: Lynne Barton

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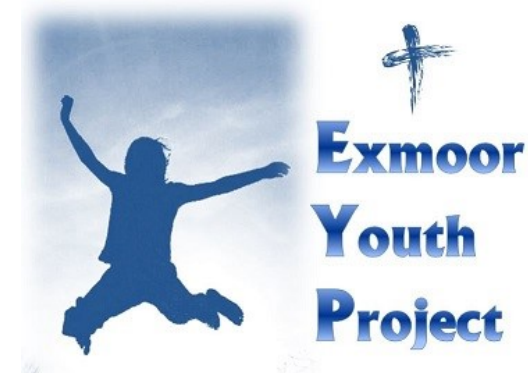
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This policy statement was adopted at the EYP trustees meeting on 19th Sept 2017.

The policy will be presented annually at the EYP AGM with a report on the outcome of the annual review.

Jess James, Kenneth Cross, and Lynne Barton will review annually.

1. As employees and trustees of this project we commit ourselves to the nurturing, protection and safeguarding of all children and young people (under 18 years old) associated with EYP and will pray for them regularly.

2. As employees and trustees of this project we commit ourselves to the safeguarding of vulnerable adults and ensuring their well being within the life of EYP and will pray for them regularly.

3. It is the responsibility of employees, trustees and volunteers to prevent the physical, emotional, sexual and financial abuse of any child, young person or vulnerable adult and report any abuse disclosed, discovered or suspected. EYP will fully cooperate with any statutory investigation linked to the project.

4. EYP will exercise proper care in the selection and appointment of those who will work with children and young people.

5. This project is committed to supporting resourcing, training and supervising those who volunteer to promote the safeguarding of children and young people.

6. This project will adopt a code of behaviour and a volunteer contract for all who are appointed to work with children and young people so that all are shown the respect that is due to them.

7. EYP is committed to providing a safe environment for our children, young people and vulnerable adults and will adopt ways of working with them to promote their safety and well being.

8. This project is committed to the prevention of bullying.

9. Each person who works with children and young people will agree to abide by these recommendations and guidelines established by EYP.

10. All EYP employees and volunteers will adhere to following the safeguarding policy of each school we visit, make it their duty to find out each school's designated person for safeguarding and attend training when possible.

11. When working with other churches on ecumenical events and activities— if we are in another church premises we will adhere to follow their safeguarding procedures and in a neutral environment EYP will be responsible for ensuring all employees of both EYP and other churches or charities and volunteers hold valid DBS checks, are properly trained in safeguarding and have appropriate references or volunteer contracts.