



HEALTH AND SAFETY POLICY

To ensure, so far as is reasonably practicable, the health, safety and welfare of feedmk volunteers while they are helping on projects and of others who may be affected by their undertakings, and to comply with all the relevant legislation.

To ensure the principles of health and safety are clearly understood throughout feedmk we will be committed to:

- ensuring that there are arrangements put into place for the effective planning, development and review of this health and safety policy;
- ensuring that appropriate systems are developed and maintained for the effective communication of health and safety matters throughout any feedmk project;
- protecting the safety and health of all volunteers helping on a feedmk project by, where possible, preventing injuries, ill health, disease and incidents;
- complying with relevant Health and Safety laws and Regulations, voluntary programmes, collective agreements on health and safety and other requirements;
- provide the necessary information, instruction and training to volunteers and others, to ensure their competence with respect to health and safety;
- liaise and work with all necessary persons to ensure health and safety, and to also ensure that adequate arrangements are in place for ensuring the health and safety of visitors.

The ultimate responsibility for Health and Safety within feedmk lies with the FeedMK Project Leader (Front of House).

- The Project Leader (Front of House) will annually review the Health and Safety policy for continued suitability;
- The Project Leader (Front of House) will review, sign and date the Health and Safety Statement annually, and bring it to the attention of all volunteers;

We recognise that safety is the responsibility of everyone and is not just a function of Project Leaders. Volunteers will have specific duties and responsibilities to comply with the letter and spirit of the policy. Volunteers have specific responsibilities to take reasonable care of themselves and others that could be affected by their activities and to co-operate to achieve the standards required.

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feedmk will in consultation with its volunteers set out in writing a commitment to ensuring that our health and safety policy will be:

- specific to feedmk and appropriate to the nature of our activities;
- concise, clearly written, dated and made effective by the signature of the Project Leader – Front of House
- communicated and readily accessible to all Volunteers;
- reviewed for continuing suitability and;
- made available to relevant external interested parties, as appropriate.

In addition, a relevant Health & Safety Risk Assessment and Method Statement will be carried out for all feedmk events. A copy of which will be made available to all volunteers prior to the event being carried out.

Signature:.....
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