

## BOWES AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

### CHILD PROTECTION POLICY

As one of its the activities the Bowes Agricultural Society seeks to serve the needs of children, promoting their development. In doing so the Society takes seriously the welfare of all children who come onto its venues or who are involved it its activities.

The Society aims to ensure that they are welcomed into a safe, caring environment with a happy friendly atmosphere.

The Society recognises that it is the responsibility of members and volunteers, paid or unpaid, to prevent the physical sexual or emotional abuse of children and to report any abuse discovered or suspected.

and regularly review procedures, which are designed to prevent and to be alert to such abuse.

The Society is committed to maintaining good links with the statutory child care authorities.