



**All Club members and Visiting Clubs whilst on the water must adhere to the ARA Water Safety Code and the UBBC Local Stream Rules.**

**The way we behave on the river can affect the image of UBBC and rowing to other river users and the public.**

**Please try to behave politely and pleasantly when in contact with other users, regardless of their behaviour.**

## **Fishermen:**

Please try not to turn or stop immediately opposite to where they are fishing. If you do have to turn opposite a fisherman, don't then sit about but move off to a clear piece of river. We know the lines are invisible when steering or coxing but try to avoid the ones you can see!

## **Rowers:**

This is a busy stretch of water – if you need to use particular stretch for a specific reason try to let the other Club's coaches know what you are doing. Don't sit about blocking the river, and choose a sensible place to spin. If a problem or incident occurs, record it & report to the Club Captains or Safety Adviser and let them deal with the problem.

## **Cruisers:**

Accept that they don't understand and expect the unexpected. Try to remain courteous and politely explain the problem with wash and the damage it does. Any major problems please contact the EA lockkeepers.

## **Wildlife:**

Take care over nesting birds and follow the Countryside Code. Take care of the 'Angry Swan'.

**Remember:  
There is No Substitute for Common Sense.**



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