**EQUITY POLICY STATEMENT**

* We are committed to ensuring that equity is incorporated across all aspects of club development. In doing so we acknowledge and adopt the following English Volleyball Associations definition of sports equity as well as that of Shropshire Council.

**Cleobury Mortimer Volleyball Club is committed to promoting and developing equality which id about fairness in sport, equality of access, recognising inequalities and taking steps to address them to ensure that everyone has the opportunity to develop and progress in sport.**

* The club respects the rights, dignity and worth of every person and will treat everyone equally within the context of their sport, regardless of age, ability, gender, race, ethnicity, religious belief, sexuality or social/economic status.
* The club is committed to everyone having the right to enjoy volleyball in an environment free from threat of intimidation, harassment and abuse.
* All club members have a responsibility to oppose discriminatory behaviour and promote equality of opportunity.