

Young Liberals Conference Code of Conduct

1 General Rules

1.1 Members attending conference agree to this code of conduct upon purchasing a ticket to either Conference Crash, Winter Conference or Activate.

1.2 Conference is open to all members of Young Liberals over the age of 14. Under 16's will be allowed on a case by case basis and entry only with an accompanying adult. Under 16's are also not allowed to stay in the provided accommodation.

1.3 All attendees of Young Liberals' conferences must have purchased valid conference tickets. Any attendee without the appropriate ticket will be refused entry to the conference venue and any session at the conference.

1.4 When conference is in session all members must conduct themselves with the appropriate decorum. Respect must be given to anyone speaking and there must be no disruption of the process of conference.

1.5 A rota of at least two members of the executive committee will be created to ensure that someone is always available. Any complaints are to be brought to the attention of these two members or, if they are not available, any other executive member. If the complaint is regarding the executive then please bring this to the attention of the Youth Development Officer at HQ.

1.6 The Young Liberal executive has the power to revoke membership of the party. Please consider that breaking any of these rules may result in the Young Liberals invoking this power. No refunds will be allowed in the case of a member being found breaking these rules.

1.7 We will try to accommodate access needs for disabled members however our resources are limited. Please get in touch to discuss your needs and we'll work with you to try and find a solution that lets you take part in conference as fully as possible.

2.0 Shared Accommodation Rules

2.1 Members in the shared accommodation provided must abide by the following rules. The executive committee reserves the right to withdraw access to the accommodation and conference and may institute a ban of future conferences if these rules are breached.

2.1.1 General respect must be given to all members staying within the shared accommodation area. This includes respecting the boundaries of other members in the room.

2.1.2 Property of the establishment and others staying in the room must be respected.

2.1.3 Members have the right to a peaceful sleep. If returning to the room between the hours of 22.00-08.00 please take care not to disturb them.

2.2 Members in shared accommodation should attempt to resolve disputes with each other before contacting the relevant executive officer.

3.0 Conference and Shared Accommodation Rules

3.1 The following rules apply for both accommodation and any conference venue. The executive reserves the right to ban attendees from future conferences if these rules are breached.

3.1.1 Any alcohol found in the possession of a member under the age of eighteen will be confiscated.

3.1.2 Members must not possess or engage in the use of any unlawful or controlled substances.

3.1.3 Members must not bring any weapon or any item which is intended to be used as a weapon into any conference venue or accommodation.

3.1.4 Aggressive or threatening behaviour will not be tolerated at any point.

3.1.5 The rules of the establishment must also be followed at all times.

4.0 Rules for Members Under the Age of 18

4.1 The executive committee reserves the right to contact the parents or guardians of any attendees who are under 18 years of age, should there be any issues or breaches of the above rules.

4.2 All members under 18 years of age are required to present a guardian consent form to attend the conference, any attendees without will be refused entry to the conference venue and any session at the conference.