

## **APPENDIX 5 – COACHES’ CODE OF CONDUCT**

### TNAG CODE OF CONDUCT FOR COACHES

This Code sets out the standards in accordance with which TNAG coaches operate. If you believe a breach of this Code has occurred please contact the Head Coach or the Welfare Officer who will investigate the matter.

TNAG coaches will:-

- Hold British Gymnastics coaching qualifications appropriate to the level of class being taught and valid current clear Criminal Records Bureau checks (please note that coaches are permitted to teach skills one level higher than the level of their qualification when under the supervision of a more highly qualified coach whilst working towards their next qualification.)
- Treat all participants with dignity and respect
- Act in accordance with the British Gymnastics policies on Child Protection, Equality and Health, Safety and Welfare (all of which can be downloaded from the British Gymnastics website)
- Give each participant the right to self-determination
- Ensure each participant is set tasks appropriate to their age, development and the level of their ability
- Attend punctually for scheduled classes
- Respond politely to any appropriately made queries or requests for information from parents or guardians or ensure that the query is passed on to an appropriate other person