# Easy Read: Your Information and Privacy Policy (GDPR)

Llanelli Centre for the Deaf

### **What is GDPR?**

- GDPR is a law that started in May 2018.
- It helps **protect your personal information** (like your name, address, phone number).
- It gives you more control over your data.
- Llanelli Centre for the Deaf follows this law to keep your information safe.

### Our Promise to You

We promise to:

- Keep your information safe and secure
- Use your information only when needed
- Only keep what is necessary
- Ask for your **permission** before contacting you
- Let you see or delete your personal data if you ask

### What Information Do We Collect?

We may collect:

Your name

- Contact details (phone, email, address)
- Information from your membership form

### ரி How Do We Store It?

- Your membership form is kept in locked storage
- Only the **Data Protection Officer** can see it
- We keep your form for 1 year, then safely destroy it
- Your **name only** may be kept in our **history books** to remember Deaf heritage

### ➤ Don't Want to Be in History Books?

- You can ask us to remove your name
- This is called your **Right to Be Forgotten**
- Just contact us we will respect your request

### ♠ How Will We Contact You?

We will only contact you if you have said yes to:

- Text messages
- Emails
- Post
- Social media messages

We check this once a year

# What We Check Every Year

We do an Annual Information Check to:

- See what personal data we have
- Check why we have it and who sees it
- Update anything that needs changing

#### **Our Policies Include:**

#### ✓ Data Protection

We follow clear rules to protect your data and respect your rights

#### ■ Data Retention & Right to Be Forgotten

We delete your data when we no longer need it. You can ask us to delete it too.

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If there's a problem (like someone accessing your data), we will act quickly and inform you if needed.

### Sharing Data

We will **never** share your personal data with anyone **unless you ask us to**, or give us permission.

# **■** Subject Access Request (SAR)

You can ask to **see the information** we hold about you. We will reply **within 30 days**, for **free**.

# Want to:

- See what data we hold about you?
- Ask to delete your data?
- Make a complaint?

Please contact:

**Data Protection Officer: Kaz Jefferies** 

Or

**Club Secretary: Angharad Rees** 

# **Policy History**

• Policy first written: 1 August 2018

• Data Protection Officer appointed: 21 June 2018

• Last signed by: Norman Moore

• Reviewed in: 2019, 2021, 2024 and 2025

• Signed in 2024 by: W.P. Saunders