

METRO TACOMA FENCING CLUB

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SafeSport Policy

Metro Tacoma Fencing Club (MTFC) and USA Fencing are committed to “creating a safe and positive environment for athletes’ physical, emotional and social development.” We want to promote an environment free of misconduct. All coaches and board members at MTFC are SafeSport trained and have passed the required background check.

Metro Tacoma Fencing Club will follow not only the USA Fencing SafeSport policies as outlined at <http://www.usafencing.org/safe-sport> but also strictly enforce the following policies:

When there is a minor present, at least two unrelated adults need to be present also, one of whom needs to have passed the USA Fencing SafeSport training and background check. We expect this policy to apply to both the main space and the annex. If your minor child is having a lesson we expect a parent or guardian also to be present unless there is another adult who is already there and will stay the entire time.

We encourage teens helping or supervising classes to be SafeSport trained. We also encourage parents to complete the SafeSport training to help identify and prevent misconduct. If you witness any violation of our SafeSport policy, please report to any coach or board member. Reporting can be done anonymously. It is everyone’s responsibility to keep our youth safe.

For any questions please contact any of the board members.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Toby Lee".

Tobias (Toby) Lee, MD
Prévôt de Fleuret (Foil)
President of the Board and Coach
Metro Tacoma Fencing Club

On behalf of the Board of Directors voted 20 December 2019