



THDHA – General Rules

1. **Respectful Conduct**

Members must behave respectfully towards other members, committee members and the wider community. Bullying, harassment, intimidation, abusive behaviour or personal attacks will not be tolerated.

2. **Constitution & Rules**

Members must abide by the THDHA Constitution and any rules or policies properly adopted by the Association.

3. **Conduct Affecting THDHA**

Members must not engage in conduct that deliberately brings THDHA into disrepute or significantly damages the Association or its operations.

4. **Social Media**

THDHA social media platforms are to remain respectful and constructive. Personal attacks, bullying, defamatory material, inappropriate content or repeated disruptive behaviour may be removed.

5. **Confidentiality**

Confidential information relating to THDHA, its members or committee business must not be shared without appropriate authority.

6. **Membership**

Membership applications and ongoing membership are subject to the THDHA Constitution and any membership procedures adopted by the Committee.

7. **Conflicts of Interest**

Committee members must disclose any actual or potential conflict of interest when relevant to Association business.

8. **Complaints & Disputes**

Concerns or complaints should be raised through the appropriate THDHA process rather than through public or social media disputes. Complaints will be dealt with in accordance with the Constitution.

9. **Committee Authority**

No individual committee member may make decisions or commitments on behalf of THDHA unless authorised to do so by the Committee or Constitution.

10. **Development of Rules**

As THDHA develops, additional rules and policies may be introduced where required, provided they are consistent with the Constitution.

Breach of Rules

A breach of these Rules may constitute grounds for disciplinary action under Clause 7 of the THDHA Constitution, including suspension or expulsion from the Association.

