

Stafford and Stone Canoe Club

Accidents, Near Accidents and Incidents



In the event of any accidents, near accidents or incidents, the treatment of any injured person/s and the safety of all other persons is the priority.

For serious accidents the emergency services must be summoned.

An emergency phone is located in the store cupboard in the clubhouse gym.

The nearest public telephone is located in Stone town at the junction with the B5027. Turn right out of the canoe club towards Stone, cross Abbey Street and continue towards B5027.

The canoe club is located in Westbridge Park, Stafford Street, Stone, ST15 8QW. Map reference SJ903 334.

All First Aid treatment should be administered by a qualified First Aider if possible. First Aid Kits and an Automatic External Defibrillator (AED) are located in the Clubhouse to the left of the main entrance and First Aid Kits are carried by coaches for all off-site activities.

Casualties should be referred to the Accident and Emergency Department of a hospital if necessary. The nearest is County Hospital, Weston Road, Stafford, ST16 3SA (only open 08.00 – 22.00), alternatively The Royal Stoke University Hospital, Newcastle Road, Stoke-on-Trent, ST4 6QG is open 24hrs.

Details of all accidents, near accidents and other incidents that are of a serious nature, or need follow up action, should be reported to the Club Secretary. Incident Report Forms or Accident Report Forms should be used where applicable.