

CODE OF CONDUCT



Code of Conduct for members of the Queensland Living History Federation

PURPOSE

This Code of Conduct provides a basic framework for QLHF member's behaviour in the safe, and authentic participation in re-enactment and living history activities.

1. One of the most important aspects of good conduct is respect. Treat not only the public but also your fellow re-enactors with the same respect you'd expect from them. Members are expected to be courteous to and considerate of other re-enactors at all times, and particularly when participating in an overnight encampment.
2. Common sense and courtesy should prevail. Exercise tolerance.
3. Refrain from the use of language, remarks and/or actions that would be deemed unacceptable by a reasonable person, no matter what language is used. Modern-day profanities, no matter how historic, are not acceptable at public events.
4. Members will not allow a member of the public to handle any weapon or replica likely to be seen as an actual weapon.
5. Obey the laws of the Commonwealth of Australia, the States, or any other jurisdiction associated with events you attend.
6. Adhere to all Queensland Living History Federation guidelines, by-laws and regulations.
7. Safety is the responsibility of each and every member of the Queensland Living history Federation. Be aware of what is happening around you, and follow safety procedures as directed by event organisers, site owners, Group Safety Officers, or Security representatives.
8. You should not place a member of the public in a situation or demonstration with potential for injury.
9. All members must ensure that any equipment or weapons owned by them, or in their possession, are in a safe condition to before use in a display (as set out in the appropriate guidelines).
10. It is mandatory to have all appropriate and current licences and permits for the use of weapons and ammunition at all venues and events, public or private.
11. The consumption of alcoholic drinks, illegal drugs and/or other intoxicating, hallucinogenic or mood altering substances, immediately prior to, or during the day of an event/display, is not permitted. Any member under the influence of any of the same will not be permitted to participate.
12. Promote historical accuracy by continuing to improve the accuracy of your impression.

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