



The Associated Grammar Schools of Victoria (AGSV)

Position Statement regarding taking/using images of children

The AGSV takes action photographs and video images during sports events for promotional purposes, which may appear on AGSV social media or website platforms. Where possible, the AGSV encourages individuals to obtain permission from a child's parent/guardian before using an image of a child that is not their own and indicating how that image will be used.

To respect people's privacy and reduce the risk of inappropriate or illegal use of images, we do not allow camera phones, videos or cameras to be used inside changing areas, showers and toilets which we control or which are used in connection with our sport.

AGSV Member Schools use their own photographers at events. These photographers should be clearly identifiable by wearing colour vests. These photographers are used at the discretion of AGSV Member Schools at sporting events.

The AGSV requires that, prior to providing the AGSV with any images, Member Schools will have obtained the necessary consent of children in the image (from their parent/guardian) for the Member School and the AGSV to capture and publish the image.

When using a photo of a child, the AGSV will not publish personal information, such as residential address, email address or telephone number. AGSV will not provide information about a child's hobbies, interests, or other information that allows the child to be identified.

AGSV will only use images of children that are relevant to sport and will ensure that they are suitably clothed in a manner that promotes participation in the sport.

If any person has concerns or complaints around the use of inappropriate images or inappropriate behaviour in obtaining images, please contact the AGSV Executive Officer.