Lancaster and Morecambe u3a

Digital Media Use and Content Policy

Digital media platforms run by L&Mu3a exist to expedite good communications between members to enhance L&Mu3a aims and objectives.

Group leaders may hold interest group meetings on-line, using Private Facebook, Zoom and similar tools. Group leaders should inform the Groups Coordinator when a group begins to meet online and ensure the virtual meeting is listed in the Beacon Calendar. Visitors may attend up to two meetings.

No virtual meetings may be recorded or distributed to members for later viewing. The rationale is that in some circumstances copyright law or GDPR regulations may be breached.

With regard to text, audio, visual and video media, the named administrators of the platform will ensure to the best of their ability that material reasonably defined as:

- inspiring hatred
- obscene
- blasphemous
- UK party politically partisan
- personally abusive and not fair comment

will be refused access to the platform or removed from it as soon as possible.

Additionally, material which is not fair comment and which seeks to bring the u3a into disrepute may be refused access to digital media.

The Chair of the u3a, in consultation with the trustees, will have ultimate responsibility in this area through the Webmaster.

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