

Embroiderers' Guild/Young Embroiderers

Acceptable Use Policy

This 'Acceptable Use Policy' sets out the terms between you and the Embroiderers' Guild under which you may access our websites www.embroiderersguild.com, www.youngembroiderers.com and other social media sites. This 'Acceptable Use Policy' applies to all users or, and visitors to, our sites.

Your use of our sites means that you accept, and agree to abide by, all the policies in the acceptable use policy, which supplements our Terms of Use: www.embroiderersguild.com.

The websites www.embroiderersguild.com and www.youngembroiderers.com are operated by The Embroiderers' Guild, a company limited by guarantee. Company Registration No. 00294310 (England and Wales). Registered Charity No.234239 (England). Registered Charity Number SC040142 (Scotland). Our registered office is at Bucks County Museum, Church Street, Aylesbury HP20 2QP.

PROHIBITED USES

You may use our sites only for lawful purposes. You may not use our sites:

- In any way that breaches any applicable local, national or international law or regulation.
- In any way that is unlawful or fraudulent, or has any unlawful or fraudulent purposes or effect.
- For the purpose of harming or attempting to harm young people or vulnerable adults in any way.
- To send, knowingly receive, upload, download, use or re-use any material which does not comply with our content standards as described in this policy.
- To transmit, or procure the sending of, any unsolicited or unauthorised advertising or promoting material or any other form of similar solicitation (spam).
- To knowingly transmit any data, send or upload any material that contains viruses, trojan horses, worms, time-bombs, keystroke loggers, spyware, adware or any other harmful programs or similar computer code designed to adversely affect the operation of any computer software or hardware.

You also agree:

- Not to reproduce, duplicate, copy or re-sell any part of our site in contravention of the provisions of our Terms of Use at <https://www.embroiderersguild.com/terms-of-use>.
- Not to access without authority, interfere with, damage or disrupt:
 - Any part of our site;
 - Any equipment or network on which our site is stored;
 - Any software used in the provision of our site; or
 - Any equipment or network or software owned or used by any third party.

INTERACTIVE SERVICES

We may from time to time provide interactive services on our sites, including, without limitation:

Social media feeds

Where we do provide any interactive service, we will provide clear information to you about the kind of service offered, if it is moderated and what form of moderation is used (including whether it is human or technical).

We will do our best to assess any possible risks for users (and in particular, for young people) from third parties when they use any interactive service provided on our site, and we will decide in each case whether it is appropriate to use moderation of the relevant service (including what kind of moderation to use) in the light of those risks. However, we are under no obligation to oversee, monitor or moderate any interactive service provided by a user in contravention of our content standards, whether the service is moderated or not.

The use of any of our interactive services by a minor is subject to the consent of their parent or guardian. We advise parents who permit their children to use any interactive service that it is important that they communicate with their children about their safety online, as moderation is not fool-proof. Minors who are using any interactive services should be made aware of the potential risks to them.

Where we do not moderate an interactive service, we will normally provide you with a means of contacting the moderator, should a concern or difficulty arise.

CONTENT STANDARDS

These content standards apply to any and all material which you contribute to our sites (contributions) and to any interactive services associated with them.

You must comply with the spirit and the letter of the following standards. The standards apply to each part of any contribution as well as to its whole.

Contributions must ...

- Be accurate (where they state facts).
- Be genuinely held (where they state opinions).
- Comply with applicable law in the UK and any country from which they are posted.
- Comply with all applicable Embroiderers' Guild social media 'Codes of Conduct'.

Contributions must not ...

- Contain any material which is defamatory of any person.
- Contain any material which is obscene, offensive, hateful or inflammatory.
- Promote sexually explicit material.

- Promote violence.
- Promote discrimination based on race, sex, religion, nationality, disability, sexual orientation or age.
- Infringe any copyright, database rights or trade mark of any other person.
- Be likely to deceive any other person.
- Be in breach of any legal duty owed to a third party, e.g. a contractual duty or a duty of confidence.
- Promote any illegal activity.
- Threaten, abuse or invade another's privacy, or cause annoyance, inconvenience or needless anxiety.
- Be likely to harass, upset, embarrass, alarm or annoy any other person.
- Impersonate any person, or to misrepresent your identity or affiliation with any other person.
- Give the impression they emanate from us, if this is not the case.
- Advocate, promote or assist any unlawful act such as (by way of example only) copyright infringement or computer misuse.

SUSPENSION AND TERMINATION

We will determine, at our discretion, whether there has been a breach of this 'Acceptable Use' policy through your use of our sites. When a breach of this policy has occurred, we may take such action as we deem appropriate.

Failure to comply with this acceptable use policy constitutes a material breach of the Terms of Use <https://www.embroiderersguild.com/terms-of-use> upon which you are permitted to use our sites, and may result in us taking all or any other following actions:

- Immediate, temporary or permanent withdrawal of your right to use our sites.
- Immediate, temporary or permanent removal of any posting of material uploaded by you to our sites.
- Issue of a warning to you.
- Legal proceedings against you for reimbursement of all costs on an indemnity basis (including but not limited to, reasonable administrative and legal costs) resulting from the breach.
- Further legal action against you and,
- Disclosure of such information to law enforcement authorities as we reasonably feel is necessary.

We exclude liability for actions taken in response to breaches of this acceptable use policy. The responses described in this policy are not limited, and we may take any other action we reasonably deem appropriate.

CHANGES TO THE ACCEPTABLE USE POLICY

We may revise this 'Acceptable Use' policy at any time by amending this page. You are expected to check this page from time to time to take notice of any changes we make, as they are legally binding on you. Some of the provisions contained in this acceptable use policy may be superseded by provisions or notices published elsewhere on our sites.

EMBROIDERERS' GUILD

About us ...

Our remit, expressed formally through our 'charitable aims', is to build awareness of stitch and textile art. We educate, encourage, inspire, and promote the achievement of excellence.

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Ways we help ...

Educating

Inspiring

Collecting and preserving embroidery and textile artefacts

Ways you can help...

Become a member

Contribute items to our folios and collection

Become a partner, sponsor or exhibition host

Leave a legacy

Subscribe to our social media sites

Volunteer