

# Slackline Dublin - Club Ethos.

## 1. The Environment

- 1.1. All slacklines must be rigged so as to protect the anchoring trees from any damage.
- 1.2. Set up your slacklines to living, healthy trees with a recommended minimum diameter of 30cm.
- 1.3. Slackliners should take care to minimise disturbance to native fauna and flora.

## 2. Local Authorities

- 2.1. Slackliners must respect the rights of local authorities and behave in a manner consistent with best practice low impact recreational user groups.
- 2.2. Slackliners must respect directions and regulations put in place by local authorities, if other users are in breach of such regulations, you should be proactive in remedying the situation. The actions of the few may impact access for us all.

## 3. Slackliners

- 3.1. Slackliners are encouraged to share gear and allow those without a line to practice using the lines rigged by others.
- 3.2. Slackliners must treat others' personal property with respect. When using another slackliner's gear, return the borrowed item in the condition in which it was received, otherwise you may have to compensate the owner.
- 3.3. The person/s setting up slacklines are responsible for them and may be responsible for others using their equipment.
- 3.4. Equipment should be checked regularly to ensure that it is safe and in good condition. Unsafe equipment should be retired.
- 3.5. Slacklines should be visible and attended at all times.
- 3.6. Treat all forms of slacklining with respect.
- 3.7. Conflicts between members should not be allowed to develop such that they harm the wider community.

#### **4. Members of the Public**

- 4.1. When using a public space, slackliners must respect the right of other land users to share the outdoor space.
- 4.2. Do not obstruct any roads, pathways or cycleways when rigging a slackline.
- 4.3. Slackliners should be polite and courteous towards other land users.
- 4.4. Slackliners should be open to educating members of the public when approached with concerns on the environmental impact or safety of the sport.
- 4.5. Be considerate that members of the public will interpret actions of individual slackliners as representative of the broader slacklining community.