



**ARENA**

Connecting School  
Sport Pathways



**June 2026**

Dear Headteacher

**Safeguarding and Safer Recruitment: Letter of Assurance**

In accordance with the requirements of the DoFE guidance '*Keeping Children Safe in Education*' and the '*Childcare Disqualification Requirements – Supplementary Advice*', I can confirm that ARENA has undertaken all the necessary safeguarding, safer recruitment and vetting and barring checks for all ARENA employees who visit your school. This includes Enhanced DBS Disclosures for eligible roles undertaking Regulated Activity, Safeguarding training and First Aid.

I can also confirm that all ARENA employees which are part of The West Country Schools Trust abide by the Trust's 'Staff Code of Conduct'.

Please find enclosed a list of ARENA employees and their DBS numbers, all members of staff will wear a photographic id badge with their DBS numbers displayed when visiting your school.

If you would like to verify any employees' details with me, please contact the office on the number below.

Yours sincerely

**Michelle Roberts DSL**  
**Director Arena**  
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<b>ARENA Contracted Employees as of Thursday 19th June 2025</b>			
<b>Forename</b>	<b>Surname</b>	<b>Job Title</b>	<b>DBS Number</b>
Karl	Blacker	Sports Development Coach	001830075322
Helen	Blackburn	Wild Tribe & PE Teacher	001652176091
Beth	Bosley	Competition Organiser	001811531310
Tom	Brown	Sports Coach	001758412903
Leisha	Champion	PE Teacher	001827665950
Michelle	Cooke	Teacher	001665740586
Paula	Devereaux	Wild Tribe & PE Teacher	001043643887
Ali	Hancock	Teacher	001708590451
Penny	Hermes	Wild Tribe Teacher	001720633076
Clare	Hurdwell	Wild Tribe Teacher	001768174341
Caroline	Julian	Administrator	001961942906
Debs	Lambert	Wild Tribe & PE Teacher	001894990684
Isy	Lindsell	Wild Tribe & PE Teacher/Bikeability Instructor	001861704721
Belinda	Midwinter	Wild Tribe Teacher	001555007787
Oliver	Midwinter	Sports Coach	001823026680
Andy	Mitchell	Wild Tribe and Sports Coach	001601299319
Jenny	Nash	Bikeability Instructor	001866048691
Michelle	Roberts	Wild Tribe & PE Teacher ( DSL and Director ARENA DSSP)	001476982042
Alex	Robinson	Sports Coach	001589419737
Dylan	Rundle	Sports Coach	001868782090
Ria	Tiley	Wild Tribe and Sports Coach	001902176295
Spencer	Whatley	Sports Coach	001918195919