

**BYELAWS**

with respect to

**NORTH SHORE PROMENADE,**

**BEACH AND FORESHORE,**

**LLANDUDNO, CONWY 2017**

**This document contains the provisions of the 1988 Byelaws relating to the North Shore Promenade, Beach and Foreshore, Llandudno as amended in 1995 and 2017. Official copies of the 1988 Byelaws and the 1995 and 2017 Amending Byelaws are available from Conwy County Borough Council.**



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**BYELAWS**

made by the

**CONWY COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL**

by virtue of powers conferred on the Council

by Sections 82 and 83 of the Public Health Acts Amendment Act, 1907

**NORTH SHORE PROMENADE, BEACH AND FORESHORE**

**WITHIN THE COMMUNITY OF LLANDUDNO**

For preserving order and good conduct among persons frequenting the said Promenade, Beach and Foreshore; for regulating the erection of any booths, tents, sheds, stands, stalls, shows, or other erections and the playing of games, and generally for regulating the user for such purposes as shall be prescribed by the byelaws in respect of the said Promenade, Beach and Foreshore or any part thereof;

For regulating the selling and hawking of any article, commodity or thing on the Promenade, Beach and Foreshore;

For regulating the user of the said Promenade, Beach and Foreshore or any part thereof for riding and driving.

**INTERPRETATION**

1. In these byelaws:

“Beach” means all that area of Beach from time to time situate above the line of the level of high water mark of medium tides between the lines marked AA and BB on the plan attached to these byelaws;

“the Council” means Conwy County Borough Council;

“Foreshore” means all that area of land from time to time situate between the line of the level of high water mark of medium tides and the line of the level of low water mark of medium tides between the lines marked AA and BB on the plan attached to these byelaws.

“the Promenade” means all that area of land, including all jetties, slipways and landing stages, situate between Happy Valley Road and Nant-y-Gamar Road and which land for the purposes of identification is more particularly shown hatched red on the plan attached to these byelaws;

## **2. SAVING FOR OFFICERS**

An act necessary to the proper execution of his duty on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore by an officer of the Council or any act which is necessary to the proper execution of any contract with the Council shall not be an offence under these byelaws.

## **3. ERECTION OF POSTS, RAILS, FENCES, ETC.**

A person shall not on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore except as hereinafter provided erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building or other structure (other than a windbreak) or similar device.

Provided that this prohibition shall not apply where, upon an application to the Council, they grant permission to erect any post, rail, fence, pole, tent, booth, stand, building or other structure upon such occasion and for such purpose as are specified in the application.

## **4. SELLING AND HAWKING**

A person shall not on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore sell, or offer or expose for sale, or let to hire, or offer or expose for letting or hire, any commodity or article, unless in pursuance of an agreement with the Council or otherwise in the exercise of any lawful right or privilege he is authorised to sell or let to hire on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore such commodity or article.

## **5. PERFORMANCES, ETC.**

A person shall not on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore hold or take part in any public show or performance.

Provided that this byelaw shall not apply to any person holding or taking part in a band show or any other entertainment held on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore in pursuance of an agreement with the Council.

## **6. BEGGING, TOUTING, ETC.**

No person shall on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore to the annoyance or obstruction of any person using the same, beg or solicit alms, or for the purpose of selling or advertising any article or of obtaining custom, tout or importune, either verbally or by the distribution of handbills, circulars, placing of 'A boards' or advertisements. Provided that this byelaw shall not apply to any collection of money or sale of any article in accordance with any Regulations made under Section 5 of the Police, Factories, etc (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1916 for the time being in force in the Borough.

## **7. TRUCK, MACHINE AND VEHICLE PROHIBITION**

7(1) No person shall drive, bring or cause to be brought onto the Promenade any truck, machine or vehicle other than:

- (a) a bicycle, tricycle or other similar machine;
- (b) a wheelchair, pushchair or pram used solely for the conveyance of a child or children or a disabled person; or
- (c) a mechanically or electronically propelled wheelchair used solely for the conveyance of a disabled person.

7(2) This byelaw shall not apply:

- (a) to any vehicle belonging to the police, fire or ambulance services or where entry to any part of the Promenade is required for the purpose of any emergency in connection with the saving of life;
- (b) for the purpose of direct access to any slipway set aside by the Council for the launching or recovering of any boat or vessel, other than any slipway specifically set aside by the Council for the use of the Llandudno Lifeboat;
- (c) to any vehicle which requires direct access, in any emergency under the provisions of byelaw 7A below, to any slipway specifically set aside by the Council for the use of the Llandudno Lifeboat; or
- (d) to any vehicle which is permitted by the Council to be on the Promenade for the purpose of an exhibition or any other event held with the consent of the Council.
- (e) to any vehicle engaged in Council business.

7(3) Any vehicle brought onto the Promenade pursuant to 7(1) and 7 (2) above must proceed at a safe and reasonable speed.

7(4) The Council may close any section of the Promenade to vehicles if operational circumstances require.

**7A. RESTRICTION OF LIFEBOAT SLIPWAY**

No person shall, without the prior permission of the Council or other than as may be necessary in an emergency for the purpose of saving life or property, launch or recover any boat or vessel from any slipway specifically set aside by the Council for the use of the Llandudno Lifeboat and indicated by signs placed in conspicuous positions on the Promenade.

**8. REMOVAL OF BARRIERS, ETC.**

A person shall not on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore without reasonable excuse:-

- i. remove or displace any barrier, railing, post or seat or any part of any erection or ornament;
- ii. remove, displace or otherwise interfere with any life saving appliance placed by the Council.

**9. GAMES, ETC.**

No person shall participate in any game, sport or pastime in a manner likely to interfere with or cause annoyance or danger to any other users of the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore.

**10. WIRELESS SETS, AUDIO PLAYERS, ETC.**

No person shall on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore by operating or causing or suffering to be operated, any wireless set, analogue audio player, digital audio player, personal media player, megaphone, amplifier, or similar instrument, make, cause or suffer to be made any noise which is so loud or so continuous or repeated as to give reasonable cause for annoyance to other persons on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore.

**11. RIDING AND DRIVING**

No person shall on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore break in any horse or other animal or ride or drive any horse or other animal in a race or so as to cause danger or annoyance to any person using the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore.

**12. INTENTIONALLY OBSTRUCTING CONSTABLES, OFFICERS OF THE COUNCIL, ETC IN THE EXECUTION OF DUTY**

No person shall on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore:-

- (a) intentionally obstruct any officer of the Council in the proper execution of his duties;
- (b) intentionally obstruct any person carrying out any act which is necessary to the proper execution of any contract with the Council;

- (c) intentionally obstruct any other person in the proper use of the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore or behave so as to give reasonable grounds for annoyance to other persons on the Promenade, Beach or Foreshore.

**13. PENALTIES**

Every person who shall offend against any of the foregoing byelaws shall be liable on summary conviction to a fine not exceeding LEVEL 2 on the Standard Scale.

**14. SAVING OF CROWN AND OTHER RIGHTS**

Nothing contained in any of the foregoing byelaws shall be deemed to be or shall operate as a grant by or on behalf of the Crown as owner of the Foreshore below high water mark of any estate or interest in or right over such Foreshore, or any part thereof, nor shall anything contained in or done under any of the provisions of the foregoing byelaws in any respect prejudice or injuriously affect the rights and interests of the Crown in such Foreshore, or prevent the exercise thereon of any public rights or prejudice or injuriously affect any right, power or privilege legally exercisable by any person in over and in respect of the Foreshore.

The foregoing byelaws come into operation on the **15<sup>th</sup> August 2017**.

**THE COMMON SEAL of CONWY  
COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL**  
was hereunto affixed in the presence of:-

*C. L. ...*  
Authorised Sealing Officer

