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Title:	Member Protection Information Officer Training
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Rowing SA is pleased to advise that we are offering Member Protection Information Officer (MPIO) Training – Part 2, delivered in partnership with Sport SA, and exclusively for the rowing community at no cost.

Course details: Member Protection Information Officer Training (Part 2)

 Monday 23 February 2026

 6:00 – 9:00pm

 Online workshop

 Maximum 16 participants

The MPIO training program aims to provide comprehensive and high-quality training for club, state and national level Member Protection Information Officers. Every club plays an important role in ensuring members have a fair, safe and positive sporting experience, and this course supports that responsibility.

The workshop will cover:

- MPIO roles and responsibilities
- Listening and responding effectively
- Impartiality and conflicts of interest
- Communication and promotion of the MPIO role

Given the limited number of places, clubs and schools are encouraged to identify suitable members and register early.

Please note that upon completion of the course, it is desired that participants are available to offer support to the rowing community.

To register your interest, please email Andrew Swift aswift@rowingsa.asn.au. Once registered, participants will be sent the access code and registration details to secure their free ticket.

Please note : There are two parts to qualifying as an MPIO. MPIO Part 1 – Complete a national [MPIO online course](#) via the Play By The Rules e learning hub

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Andrew.