

## Swim England to launch Stronger Affiliation process for clubs

- Support clubs to ensure they are implementing the appropriate governance and meeting minimum operating standards
- Enhance the experience of club members
- Demonstrate its commitment to ensuring the safety of all affiliated clubs and members through stronger governance
- Provide stronger leadership for the sport
- Strengthen sustainability for future generations
- Align to Sport England's direction of travel for community sports clubs.

### Toolbox



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All non SwimMark clubs – new and existing – will be able to submit evidence for Stronger Affiliation from 1 June 2020 and all evidence will need to be checked and approved by 1 December 2020 in order to coincide with annual renewals.

Failure to submit the required evidence will result in a club's temporary or permanent suspension from Swim England.

Anyone with any questions about the Stronger Affiliation process should refer to the [FAQs document](#) or, if they require further information, email [clubdevelopment@swimming.org](mailto:clubdevelopment@swimming.org) in the first instance.

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