

WEBSITE COOKIES POLICY

1. USE OF COOKIES

- 1.1 A cookie is a small text file which is placed onto your computer (or other electronic device) when you access our website. We use cookies on the Volleyball England website to:
- 1.1.1 keep track of the items stored in your shopping basket and take you through the checkout process;
 - 1.1.2 recognise you whenever you visit this website (this speeds up your access to the website as you do not have to log in each time);
 - 1.1.3 obtain information about your preferences, online movements and use of the internet;
 - 1.1.4 carry out research and statistical analysis to help improve our content, products and services and to help us better understand the requirements and interests of our visitors (members, staff and volunteers);
 - 1.1.5 target our marketing and advertising campaigns and those of our partners more effectively by providing interest-based advertisements that are personalised to your interests; and
 - 1.1.6 make your online experience more efficient and enjoyable.
- 1.2 The information we obtain from our use of cookies will not usually contain your personal data. Although we may obtain information about your computer or other electronic device such as your IP address, your browser and/or other internet log information, this will not usually identify you personally. In certain circumstances we may collect personal information about you but only where you voluntarily provide it (e.g by completing an online form) or where you purchase goods or services from us. More detail of this is set out in our Privacy Policy.
- 1.3 In most cases we will need your consent in order to use cookies on this website. The exception is where the cookie is essential in order for us to provide you with a service you have requested (e.g to enable you to put items in your shopping basket and use our check-out process).

2. CONSENT

There is a notice on our home page which describes how we use cookies and which also provides a link to our website privacy policy. If you use this website after this notification has been displayed to you, we will assume that you consent to our use of cookies for the purposes described in this website our website Privacy Policy.

3. **THIRD-PARTY COOKIES**

We work with third party suppliers who may also set cookies on our website, for example Twitter and Google. These third-party suppliers are responsible for the cookies they set on our site. If you want further information please go to the website for the relevant third party. You will find additional information in the table below.

4. **DESCRIPTION OF COOKIES**

The table below provides more information about the cookies we use and why:

Cookie name	Owner	Purpose
_ga	Google Maps	Enables the use of Google Maps
_gid, _gat	Google Analytics	Google Analytics tracking which allows VE to track web site visitors
accept_cookies	Volleyball England	When the user accepts the cookie policy the value is set to 1 so the policy is not displayed again
PHPSESSID	Volleyball England	Session data used to store items in the basket and login information
1P_JAR, APISID, CONSENT, HSID, NID, S, SAPISID, SID, SIDCC, SSID	Google	All used to track the user and their interactions.
_twitter_sess, eu_cn, remember_checked_on, ads_prefs, personalization_id, dnt, syndication_guest_id, syndication_guest_id, guest_id, external_referer, twid, ct0, auth_token, kdt, csrf_same_site_set, tfw_exp	Twitter	Allows embedding of the Twitter Timeline

5. **HOW TO TURN OFF COOKIES**

If you do not want to accept cookies, you can change your browser settings so that cookies are not accepted. If you do this, please be aware that you may lose some of the functionality of this website. For further information about cookies and how to disable them please go to the Information Commissioner’s webpage on cookies: <https://ico.org.uk/for-the-public/online/cookies/>.