

This evening I have had reports of three items that have apparently been stolen from the girls' changing rooms during this afternoon's session. It has been a few years since we have had this problem, which has occurred in the past from casual passers-by venturing into the changing rooms.

May I again urge all members to make use of the valuables storage facility in the "black" locker in the boathouse. I noted a few months ago that it was being used by only a few members and I would urge all members to use it for all sessions. In the past, thefts have always happened in groups as thieves realise the opportunity of the changing rooms being empty at times during sessions. We cannot lock the changing rooms easily as athletes arrive from the Haberdashers' School during our session making this action impracticable.

Please be careful.

Regards

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