

Richard D Smith Painting & Decorating

Privacy Policy 2019

Richard D Smith Painting & Decorating takes your privacy very seriously therefore we urge you to read this policy very carefully because it contains important information about us and:

- the personal information we collect about you, our users
- what we do with your information, and
- who your information may be shared with

Who we are

Richard D Smith Painting & Decorating ('we' or 'us') are a 'data controller' for the purposes of the Data Protection Act 2018, (ie we are responsible for, and control the processing of, your personal information).

Information we collect

a) Personal information you provide to us

We collect the following personal information that you may provide to us:

Your Name
Your Email Address
Your Postal Address
Your Telephone Number

Some examples of when we collect this information include:

To book a service that we offer you
If you choose to join newsletters
In order to issue you an Invoice

b) Personal information you provide about third parties

If you give us information about another person, you confirm that the other person has appointed you to act on their behalf and agreed that you:

shall consent on their behalf to the processing of their personal data;
shall receive any data protection notices on their behalf; and
shall consent on their behalf to the publishing of their personal data on the Internet.

c) Cookies and similar technologies

A cookie is a small text file which is placed onto your computer or electronic device when you access our website. Similar technologies include web beacons, action tags, local shared objects ('flash cookies') and single-pixel gifs. Such technologies can be used to track users' actions and activities, and to store information about them. We may use these cookies and/or similar technologies on our Website.

For example we may use cookies to monitor and/or collect the following information:

- How many times a user visits our Website
- Which pages are visited on our Website
- Login details (If applicable) on our Website

This information helps us to build a profile of our users. Some of this information may be aggregated or statistical, which means that we will not be able to identify you individually.

You can set your browser not to accept cookies and the websites below tell you how to remove cookies from your browser. However, some of our website features may not function as a result.

For further information on cookies generally visit www.aboutcookies.org or www.allaboutcookies.org.

How we use the information we collect

We collect information about our users for the following purposes:

- Accounting
- Marketing
- General Statistical Analysis

Who your information may be shared with

We may share your information with:

- Law enforcement agencies in connection with any investigation to help prevent unlawful activity

Keeping your information secure

We will use technological and organisation measures to keep your information secure. These measures may include the following examples:

Personal information that we hold about you is held offline

No personal information about you is uploaded to the Internet other than that which you have agreed to display on our Website i.e. a Review/Testimonial and your full name and address details are never disclosed

However, while we will use all reasonable efforts to secure your personal data, in using the site you acknowledge that the use of the internet is not entirely secure and for this reason we cannot guarantee the security or integrity of any personal data that is transferred from you or to you via the internet. If you have any particular concerns about your information, please contact us using the details below.

What rights do you have?

Right to request a copy of your information

You can request a copy of your information which we hold (this is known as a subject access request). If you would like a copy of some or all of it, please:

- email, call or write to us (using the contact details below)
- let us have proof of your identity and address (a copy of your driving licence or passport and a recent utility or credit card bill), and
- let us know the information you want a copy of, including any account or reference numbers, if you have them

We may ask you to pay a fee before sending this information to you.

Right to correct any mistakes in your information

You can require us to correct any mistakes in your information which we hold free of charge. If you would like to do this, please:

- contact us using the contact details below
- let us have enough information to identify you (eg account number, user name, registration details), and
- let us know the information that is incorrect and what it should be replaced with

Right to ask us to stop contacting you with direct marketing

You can ask us to stop contacting you for direct marketing purposes. If you would like to do this, please:

- email, call or write to us (using the contact details below)
- let us know what method of contact you are not happy with if you are unhappy with certain ways of contacting you only (for example, you may be happy for us to contact you by email but not by telephone)

From time to time we may also have other methods to unsubscribe from any direct marketing including for example, unsubscribe buttons or web links. If such are offered, please note that there may be some period after selecting to unsubscribe in which marketing may still be received while your request is being processed.

Changes to the privacy policy

We may change this privacy policy from time to time. You should check this policy occasionally to ensure you are aware of the most recent version that will apply each time you access our Website.

Contacting us

If you have any questions about this policy or the information we hold about you, please contact us by:

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