

Capital City Fencers' Club Membership Application

On acceptance the member is entitled to use the facilities of the club, participate in club activities, vote in the CCFC Annual General Meeting and stand for election to the CCFC Board of Directors.

Date:

Name:

Address:

City:

Postal Code:

Email:

Phone/Cell

Emergency contact:

Name:

Phone/Cell

Relationship:

List any medical or health problems:

I confirm I am fully Vaccinated against COVID 19 and understand I must bring proof of vaccination to my first practice

YES

NO

I will need to rent club equipment
(If yes, please complete an equipment rental form)

YES

NO

This document is an application for membership, which is subject to acceptance or rejection by the CCFC. By signing this form, I submit my application for CCFC membership. I confirm the information provided here is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I accept the duties of membership and confirm I will abide by all club health and safety protocols, bylaws and policies, and will pay membership dues in full.

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| Member Signature | Date: |
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If the member is under 18 at time of application, signature of guardian is required:

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| Guardian Name | Guardian Signature | Date |
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CCFC Fencing equipment rental form

Full Name:

Date:

Capital City Fencers' Club provides equipment but does not allow uniforms to be shared due to COVID 19 protocol. If you will need to use club equipment, please provide the following information:

I need a (circle one)

- Full Set**
- Partial Set**

If you have a partial set of your own equipment, please indicate the items you will rent from CCFC:

- Jacket*
- Lamé*
- Glove*
- Mask*
- Chest protector*
- Plastron*

Handedness

- Right handed*
- Left handed*

Sex (for chest protector and jacket cut)

- Male*
- Female*

Preferred weapons. Select all that apply.

- Foil*
- Epée*
- Sabre*
- Unknown/beginner*

Measurement in centimetres:

Jacket, plastron and lamé: Chest measurement (measure around fullest part of chest/bust)

cm

Mask: Head measurement (in cm, measure around head circumference from top, around chin, over ears)

cm

Glove: hand measurement (in cm measure around widest part of hand, excluding thumb)

cm

Chest protector (required for women, optional for men) (take fullest bust/chest measurement in CM)

cm

RENTAL PRICES:

Beginners class equipment rental is included with the class fee. Equipment is stored at the club, but is not shared.

Members' full kit rental is \$250 deposit with \$225 refunded upon return of the kit in June. Members take kit home between practice. The \$25 admin fee is refunded if the member purchases their own kit during the year.

Body wires and weapons are not rented out. They are maintained and cleaned by the club between users.

CCFC Release of Liability and Indemnity Agreement:

By signing this release you will give up certain legal rights, including the right to sue. Please read carefully.

Re: Membership at the CCFC legally known as Capital City Fencers' Club and their respective directors, officers, employees, contractors, representatives, officials, agents and volunteers collectively called the CCFC

Assumption of risks

I am aware and understand that the use of the club has inherent dangers, hazards, and risks collectively called risks. The following is only a partial list of examples of these risks: negligence of other members, improper use of equipment, sustaining rigorous physical activity, travel to and from the club and club activities, collision with man-made or natural objects or other members or bystanders, equipment failure, and other hazardous materials in the club. I understand that injuries resulting from such risks are probably occurrences of the nature of fencing. I freely accept and fully assume all risks and that possibility of personal injuries, death, property damage, or loss resulting from activities in the club.

Release of Liability, Waiver and Indemnity Agreement

I acknowledge that it remains my sole responsibility to act in such a manner as to be responsible for my own safety and participate within my own limits. I understand that the Capital City Fencers' Club Safety Rules listed on the reverse of this form are solely for the purpose of regulating myself and other members of the club. I have read and understand the Safety Rules and agree to abide by them. In consideration of my usage of the club, I together with my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators, and assignees, collectively called my 'legal representatives' agree as follows:

- a) to waive any and all claims that I have against the CCFC;
- b) to release CCFC from any and all liability for loss, damage, injury, or expense that I or my legal representatives may suffer as a result of my use of the CCFC equipment or facilities and participation in CCFC activities; and
- c) to hold harmless and indemnify the CCFC from any and all liability for any damage or personal injury to any third party resulting from my participation as a fencer.

Before I sign this release, I read it. I state that I understand it. I am aware that by signing this release, I am waiving certain legal rights, which I may have against the CCFC

| Member Full Name | Member Signature | Date: |
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Capital City Fencers' Club Safety Rules

I agree to follow the following CCFC safety protocols:

1. Equipment
 - a. Never fence or practice fencing without a mask
 - b. Women must wear breast protectors that conform to Canadian Fencing Federation regulations.
 - c. Discard blades that have been badly kinked, as they are liable to break. If the blade does not bounce back when bent this indicates metal fatigue and it must not be used.
 - d. Never fence in clothing or uniform that is torn or badly worn. Use a glove that is in good condition, without holes.
 - e. Never use masks that are rusty, with broken straps, or where the mesh is broken/open by dents. Test masks with a punch test regularly.
 - f. Report and turn in faulty club equipment to a club coach or director immediately with an explanation of the issue.
2. Safe conduct
 - a. A call of "HALT" must be heeded immediately.
 - b. Never walk holding the sword by the grip or pointing the blade up. Always walk holding the sword from the foible and keep the point down.
3. Gymnasium & piste
 - a. Do not leave equipment at the end of a piste, or in any space where it could trip a fencer during their bout.
 - b. When observing or refereeing a bout, do not stand within range of the weapons, or turn your back on the bout.
4. Clothing and uniform
 - a. Never fence in unsuitable uniform or clothing. Shorts are not allowed.
 - b. Fencers must wear gym shoes/runners. Shoes must be clean to avoid bringing dirt onto the piste.
 - c. Use equipment for the appropriate hand. For example, a left-hander should use a left-handed jacket to ensure adequate arm protection, and vice versa. Back zip jackets can be used by either hand.
5. COVID 19
 - a. All fencers will be fully vaccinated against COVID 19 and to provide proof of vaccination to the club prior to participation.
 - b. Inform the club of any symptoms during screening checks upon arrival.
 - c. Inform the club if they experience any COVID symptoms or test positive for COVID.
 - d. Stay home if feeling sick and remain home as long as required by public health orders.
 - e. Sanitize hands upon entering and exiting the facility, with soap or sanitizer.
 - f. Sanitize shared equipment (reels, score boxes) after use with approved cleaning products provided by the club
 - g. Continue to follow current social distancing and masking protocols
 - h. Abide by all of club COVID-19 policies and guidelines and any updates to these policies and guidelines.

I understand that if I do not abide by the above COVID policies/guidelines, that I may be asked to leave the club for up to 14 days to help protect myself and others around me.

I acknowledge that continued abuse of the safety policies and/or guidelines may result in suspension of my club membership.

I acknowledge that there are risks associated with entering club facilities and/or participating in club activities, and that the measures taken by the club and participants, including those set out above and under the COVID-19 Response Plan and Return to Sport Protocols, will not entirely eliminate those risks.

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