



Stars for the future

THE CONSTITUTION

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1) NAME:

The Stars for the future Club

2) OBJECTIVES:

2/1- The Stars for the future Club is established to promote sports and recreational activities for the benefit of local youths, resident in the west London. Currently a project is being run at various schools where we offer a junior strength and conditioning programme for lunch times and after schools activities; what we have identified from this is once this has finished the kids have no access to facilities to further develop their skills and engagement in the sport. We would like you to fund a programme called 'Stars for the Future'. This will be a non profit Olympic Weightlifting club across West London targeting youngster to get them engaged in sport for social and personal development. The aim of this programme will be to offer youngsters from schools and colleges within the West London area who do not have access or opportunities to develop identified skills and progress in sport.

2/2- To encourage young people in the community to take part in sporting activities in order to give them self confidence and sense of purpose and to keep them off the streets.

2/3- Train young people in weightlifting including general weight training in order to form teams and participate in local, national and international competitions.

2/4- In furtherance of the said objects the club may:

- a) Provide facilities including gym and equipment.
- b) Employ and pay any person or persons to carry on the work of the club.
- c) Organise and participate in competitions in local, national and international competitions.
- d) Write, print, publish, issue and circulate such publications as shall further the said objects.
- e) Raise funds, invite and receive contributions from any persons by way of subscriptions and otherwise provided the club shall not undertake permanent trading activities in raising funds for the said objects.
- f) Co-operate with all Schools- collages- university community organisations, in the direction of furthering the said objects.
- g) Do all other lawful things as are necessary for the attainment of the said objects.

3) MEMBERSHIP

3/1- Membership shall be open to all young people live in west London areas, including students and also the local youths.

3/2- Club members shall be individuals or single representatives of such societies, clubs, associations and educational or commercial institutions who reside in the UK and are interested in actively furthering the purposes of the club.

3/3- The membership of any member can only be terminated by a majority vote in an annual or special general meeting. The member shall have the right to defend him or herself in that general meeting.

3/4- The membership fees shall be the minimum necessary in order to collect enough funds to Run the activities of the club including the provision of standard equipment and facilities.

4) MEETINGS

4/1- An Annual General Meeting shall be held in March of each year to receive and examine the Management Committee's report and audited accounts. The members of the Management Committee will be elected in the AGM for a period of two years.

4/2- The Management Committee shall decide when the ordinary meetings of the club shall be held.

4/3- The committee shall give at least 14 full days notice of all ordinary general meetings of the club, and the notice shall include the matters to be discussed at the meeting.

4/4- A special general meeting of the club shall be held at the written request of 50% of the members whose subscriptions are fully paid up. The management committee should receive the subjects of discussion and will forward these to the other members together with 28 days notice of the meeting.

5) MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

5/1 - The Management Committee shall be responsible for the management and administration of the club. The committee shall consist of no less than 3 members and not more than 7 members.

5/2- Nominations for the election of the Management Committee shall be made at the Annual General Meeting every two years and shall be supported by a seconder and the consent of the proposed nominee must first have been obtained.

5/3 - Candidates for the Management Committee should secure the votes of 50 percentages of the members attending the AGM. In the event of equality in the votes cast, the chair of the Management Committee shall have a second or casting vote.

5/4 - Management Committee meetings shall be held at least once every two months. Every three months, the committee shall provide the membership with a full report of its work tasks and plans.

5/5 - 14 full days notice of each Management Committee meetings shall be given. The quorum for the meetings shall be the simple majority of the committee members.

6) OFFICERS

6/1- Officers of the Management Committee shall include a Chair, a Treasurer and a Secretary.

6/2- Any member of the Management Committee who fails to attend 3 out of 6 consecutive committee meetings shall forfeit his/her membership of the committee and the alternate who had the highest vote at the election of the management Committee shall take his/her place.

7) ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES & APPLICATION OF FUNDS

7/1- The Management Committee shall, out of the funds of the club, pay all proper expenses of administration and management of the club. The remaining funds of the club shall be applied in furtherance of the purposes of the club.

8) DISSOLUTION

8/1- The club may be dissolved by a resolution passed by a two-third majority of those present and voting at a Special General Meeting convened for this purpose, of which 21 days notice shall be given to the members. The notice will give details of the proposals for the payments of all debts and liabilities of the club.