



Application for Membership

Chichester Community Fencing Club is a Community Interest Company, a special type of limited company that is run on a not-for-profit basis. The club is run entirely by volunteers and we rely heavily on the support of all those who give their time. Our club has the sole aim of promoting affordable fencing open to all, in a friendly environment and with an attitude of true sportsmanship.

Before becoming a member, we ask that you read our Club Constitution and our Child Protection Policy, both of which are available on our website (www.communityfencing.org.uk), so that you are aware of how the club operates.

As well as showing support for the club and the ideals and values it upholds, by becoming a member you will help contribute to the upkeep and renewal of our equipment. Members also benefit from paying a reduced session fee and from having access to the club's discount with our equipment supplier, Leon Paul, should you wish to purchase your own equipment. As a club member you will also have the right to vote at our AGM, attend meetings of the club committee and become a committee member yourself. All members are entitled to a club badge upon request to sew onto their own fencing kit.

Membership fees are paid annually at the start of each year and are currently £25 for adults and £15 for juniors. In addition to club membership we strongly encourage you to become a member of England Fencing. This will provide you with personal accident cover and enable you to attend competitions nationwide. For more information please visit the British Fencing Association's website: <http://www.britishfencing.com/membership/>. For those who wish to support the club or become involved as a volunteer but who do not wish to fence, an associate membership is available charged at £10 annually.

Please fill out the application overleaf and hand it to one of the committee members at the next session. On behalf of the club committee and all the members, a warm welcome to Chichester Community Fencing Club (CIC).

Dr. Lee Banting
President

Chichester Community Fencing Club (Community Interest Company No. 6711860)

Membership Application Form

Name:

Date of birth:

Address:

Phone number:

Emergency contact name and number:

Email:

Membership type (circle as appropriate):

Adult - £25

Junior - £15

Associate* - £10

*Associate membership is designed so that those who wish to volunteer with the club, but who do not want to fence, are able to play a full role.

Payment:

I enclose a cheque for _____ payable to Chichester Community Fencing Club CIC for my annual membership fee.

Payment can also be made in cash at club sessions or by credit/debit card *via* our website: www.communityfencing.org.uk

Medical conditions In the event of an accident or the administration of first aid please list below any relevant medical conditions (or other details) that should be declared, continue overleaf if necessary (to be completed by parent/guardian if under 18):

Declaration:

I acknowledge that neither Chichester Community Fencing Club Community Interest Company (no. 6711860), its coaches, volunteers nor members shall, in any circumstances whatsoever, be under any liability to the applicant for any loss, damage or injury (including death), whether accidental or otherwise, arising during, or resulting from participation in fencing activities within the Chichester Community Fencing Club Community Interest Company venue or on the Club's behalf. The details I have provided above are correct and I (or a parent/guardian if under 18) have read and understood the both the Club's Constitution and the Club's Child Protection Policy.

Signed (parent/guardian if under 18): _____

Date:_____