

# Badminton Club at UCSD Constitution

## ARTICLE I. NAME OF STUDENT ORGANIZATION

**The organization shall be called Badminton Club at UCSD.**

## ARTICLE II. STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

*The purpose and mission of this club is to create a community composed of individuals interested in badminton as a recreational as well as a competitive sport. The club wants to provide a safe environment for people to exercise and practice their skills.*

## ARTICLE III. NONPROFIT STATEMENT

**Badminton Club at UCSD is a non-profit student organization.**

## ARTICLE IV. REQUIREMENTS FOR MEMBERSHIP

*Anyone interested in our purpose and mission is welcomed to join the club. This organization shall not restrict anyone based on their race, gender, or age. However, this only holds if the members follow the rules and regulations of the club. The board members reserve the right to disallow members that do not follow the rules and regulations. A membership fee will be collected in order to become and remain a member of the club. Members are allowed to pay their fees as a one time yearly fee or as a quarterly fee to allow more flexibility.*

## ARTICLE V. FREQUENCY OF ORGANIZATION MEETINGS

*Badminton Club at UCSD will hold general meetings for new members at least once a quarter. There will also be weekly practices that occur on Wednesdays and Sundays. Attendance is solely based on each member's desire and there will not be a minimum requirement. The officers shall hold a weekly meeting to discuss any plans for the club or amendments that are needed.*

## ARTICLE VI. QUALIFICATIONS FOR HOLDING OFFICE AND METHODS OF SELECTING AND REPLACING OFFICERS

**Only registered UCSD students may hold office in the organization. Only registered UCSD students may vote in elections for the selection of the organization's officers.**

*There shall be 5 officers including President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Social Chair. These officers will constitute the executive committee.*

*The President is responsible for the direction of the club, as well as ensuring the mission and purpose is upheld. This includes calling meetings, reserving practice spaces, and scheduling practices.*

*The Vice President is responsible for assisting the President in all previous duties mentioned, and in the absence of the president, take over, coordinate, and handle the logistics of our yearly tournament that is usually held in the Spring.*

*The Secretary is responsible for recording all meeting notes as well as assisting the administration process of new membership. The Secretary should also process the logistics and registration process for our yearly tournament.*

*The Treasurer is responsible for managing the finances of the club, including managing funds,*

*raising funds, and paying for tournaments and competitions.*

*The Social Chair is responsible for planning social events, managing recruitment by tabling and flyers, and helping to design and order team apparel.*

*All UCSD students are eligible for office and the Board of Officers will be elected in the Spring Quarter to serve the following year until a new Board of Officers is chosen the following Spring Quarter. The Officers will be elected through the previous board of Officers.*

*Any Officer who has failed to comply with the rules and regulations of the club or has not followed the required duties of their position can be removed by the Board of Officers.*

## **ARTICLE VII. RISK MANAGEMENT\***

**Badminton Club at UCSD is a registered student organization at University of California, San Diego, but not part of the University itself.**

**Badminton Club at UCSD understands that the University does not assume legal liability for the actions of the organization.**

*There may be possible injuries that occur during physical activities during the practices. These are all sports-related injuries that we do realize that may occur at any time. In the case of serious injuries, we will call medical attention for the safety of our members.*

## **ARTICLE VIII. FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT**

*Badminton Club at UCSD will regulate our finances through our Treasurer. In the case of events that require a fee, we will raise the funds necessary by means of a fundraiser, through A.S. funding, or through any membership fees that we may collect. All funding will be held by either the president or the treasurer and will not be used for any personal matters.*

## **ARTICLE IX. AFFILIATION WITH OTHER GROUPS**

*This club is not affiliated with any other groups.*