

## **ARTICLE I. NAME OF ORGANIZATION**

The organization shall be called Triton Rivals at UC San Diego.

## **ARTICLE II. STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

Our club seeks to provide both a recreational, social, and competitive community for players of the game Marvel Rivals within UCSD and the greater San Diego area. By providing an environment of social interaction, friendly competition, and in-game support, we seek to give all of our members a positive gaming experience and the competitive drive to succeed in any gaming or non-gaming endeavor.

## **ARTICLE III. NONPROFIT STATEMENT**

Triton Rivals at UC San Diego is a non-profit student organization.

## **ARTICLE IV. REQUIREMENTS FOR MEMBERSHIP**

There are no formal requirements to become a member of Triton Rivals. Informally however, it is expected that club members know of, have played, or currently play Marvel Rivals. There are no dues or fees for membership, and anyone who participates in our events or online community is considered a member.

Members shall not be discriminated against based on the following:

- Year of Graduation
- Gaming Aptitude
- Personal views on the current roster of officers
- Gender or sexual orientation
- Association with any other gaming or non-gaming organization Political Affiliation

Additionally, Triton Rivals at UC San Diego, in accordance with University policy, does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, gender identity, pregnancy, physical or mental disability, medical condition, ancestry, marital status, age, sexual orientation, citizenship or service in the uniformed services. Triton Rivals at UC San Diego also prohibits sexual harassment. This nondiscrimination policy covers admission and access to programs and activities.

## **ARTICLE IV. SECTION 1. HAZING PREVENTION - New for 2025/26 Academic Year!**

Triton Rivals is committed to maintaining a safe, inclusive, and respectful environment for all its members and does not condone hazing. Hazing, in any form, is strictly prohibited within the organization in compliance with state and federal law, Regents' policies and University regulations. Participation in hazing or any intentional, knowing, or reckless act, activity, or method committed by a person (whether individually or in concert with other persons) against another person or persons, including current, former, or prospective students, regardless of the willingness of such other person or persons to participate, that is committed in the course of a preinitiation, an initiation into, an affiliation with, or the maintenance of membership in, an official or unofficial student organization or other student group that i. causes or creates a risk, above the reasonable risk encountered in the course of participation in the institution of higher education or the organization (such as the physical preparation necessary for participation in an athletic team), of physical or psychological injury, including personal degradation or disgrace, and/or ii. the person knew or should have known was likely to cause serious bodily injury. As an organization, we understand that failure to abide by hazing policies and laws will result in referral to the Center for Student Accountability, Growth, and Education (SAGE) for an organizational violation and/or individual violation(s).

## **ARTICLE V. MEETINGS**

There is no set number of meetings planned for each school year and all meetings must follow the following guidelines.

- There must be public notice of club meetings on the club board at least five (5) school days in advance.
- All meetings must be held at University of California, San Diego.
- The president will need to make a written and oral report at every meeting.

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

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### **SECTION 1:**

Club officers must be currently enrolled, have a minimum of a 2.0 cumulative Grade Point Average (GPA), must maintain at least 8 units per quarter, and must not be on academic or social probation.

**SECTION 2:**

Primary Officers include President, Marketing Director(s), and Event Lead(s).

Secondary Officers include Rivals Staff.

**SECTION 3:**

Primary Officers are decided upon through elections by current Triton Rivals officers every year. The exact methods will be left up to the current president's and officers' discretion.

Secondary Officers are decided upon through discussion within the Primary Officers

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**DUTIES OF THE OFFICERS****PRIMARY OFFICERS****President:**

- Preside over all meetings.
- Call special meetings.
- Carry out the provisions of the constitution.
- Appoint committees and chairpersons.
- Manage the organization's budget.
- Oversee all committee activities.

**Marketing Director(s):**

- Manage all social media accounts, including Facebook, Discord, etc.
- Organize campaigns to promote Triton Rivals events.

**Event Lead(s):**

- Plan logistics of Triton Rivals events.
- Coordinate with the Marketing Director(s) to promote events.

**Community Manager:**

- Manage Triton Rivals in-houses.
- Plan socials and fundraisers with help from Event Lead(s).
- Relay community feedback to the officer base.

**SECONDARY OFFICERS****Rivals Staff:**

- Provide interested parties with information regarding club events and endeavors.
- Be the public point of contact for any external inquiries regarding the club.
- Assist with general labor during gaming events and meetings.

**\*\*\*ARTICLE VI. SECTION 1. REMOVAL PROCESS****IMPEACHMENT/REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT OF  
OFFICER AND MEMBERS****SECTION 1:**

All elected officers and club members may be subjected to impeachment and removal by a two-thirds majority vote of the total membership.

**SECTION 2:**

Grounds for impeachment are negligence and any form of misconduct which is damaging to the club. An officer/member may be impeached/removed only under the following conditions: there must be a quorum present during impeachment/removal; two-thirds of the membership must vote; prior to impeachment/removal there must be one week's notice of intent publicized.

**SECTION 3:**

Any officer vacancies shall be filled by an election held within two weeks.

**SECTION 4:**

The President has the final decision on all club related matters and may act based on his/her own discretion. The President's decisions regarding club related affairs may be overruled by a two-thirds majority of the club's other officers.

**ARTICLE VII. RISK MANAGEMENT**

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### **ARTICLE VII. SECTION 1. IN CASE OF INTERACTION WITH MINORS AND/OR ELDERLY**

Triton Rivals at UC San Diego is aware that all registered student organizations that serve minors or the elderly have access to training on child and elder abuse prevention for its members via the Center for Student Involvement, online or in person (in person by request only). Triton Rivals will develop plan(s) for activities and events where members will be interacting with minors or the elderly such that members will receive education and/or training on Child Abuse Neglect Reporting Act (CANRA), common sense measures to both avoid child or elder abuse allegations (i.e. avoiding one-on-one situations; working with minors in plain view of others; limiting calls/texts/social media posts or other communications with minors), and how to properly report potential harm or neglect to minors or the elderly with whom they are working.

### **ARTICLE VII. SECTION 2. IN CASE OF THE PROVISION OF MEDICAL ASSISTANCE**

In the event that the Triton Rivals at UC San Diego provides medical assistance to a community, all volunteers will work under the direction of licensed professionals (doctors, nurses, counselors, etc.). The University does not recommend that students provide medical assistance.

### **ARTICLE VII. SECTION 3. IN CASE OF INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL**

Triton Rivals at UC San Diego recognizes that the University generally recommends against all international travel by Student Organizations due to the myriad of risks travelers face in foreign countries. Student organizations are discouraged from traveling to foreign countries due to the wide variety of risks involved with foreign travel, and the extensive planning efforts required by the Student Organization's Members to manage those risks. Security risks and health care services vary widely from one country to another, so thorough research on those topics is especially important.

International travelers are advised to research US State Department Travel Advisories and the CDC Travel Health site and abide by all recommended alerts and warnings and procure travel insurance with medical coverage that covers their chosen destination because most USA Health Plans are not valid in foreign countries.

## **ARTICLE VII. SECTION 4. IN CASE OF HANDLING OF HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS, MATERIAL, EQUIPMENT, AND/OR MACHINERY**

Triton Rivals at UC San Diego recognizes that all student organization activities must be conducted safely, in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local laws. Additionally, Triton Rivals at UC San Diego will abide by UC San Diego requirements for students in labs, including policies for minors in UC laboratories, and ensure members receive safety training regarding the use of chemicals and/or machinery before entering the lab. Members must follow any best practices and lab safety protocols for the use of such chemicals, research equipment or machinery, including the appropriate use of Personal Protective Equipment, and should work under close supervision of those trained in the handling of chemicals/use of research equipment or machinery.

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

### **AFFILIATION WITH OTHER GROUPS**

Triton Rivals is concurrently a sub-division of Triton Gaming. Triton Rivals as such are also affiliated with all of Triton Gaming's other subdivisions. Events hosted by Triton Rivals will predominantly be affiliated with Triton Gaming, but events hosted by Triton Gaming or any of its subdivisions may not be affiliated with Triton Rivals.

### **RESPONSIBILITIES**

This club accepts full financial responsibility for all activities that bear its name as official sponsor and will adhere to college regulations. All publicity for an event must bear the name of the sponsoring club.

### **RIGHT TO ACT**

Any club officer, club member does not have the right to incur any debt or become involved in any business under the title or by implying the title of a club in any way unless given full authority to do so by the club.

### **AMENDMENTS TO CONSTITUTION**

Any amendment change requires a two-thirds vote at a general club meeting to be approved.