



TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF MEMBERSHIP

Please find below our terms and conditions of membership to **Young Athletes Club**.

These are the Terms and Conditions as currently in place at June 2023. These may change and any changes will be notified to members and published in an updated Terms and Conditions document.

1. Membership renewals will be sent out just before, or at the end of the current term. We request that fees are paid by the stated deadline and we cannot guarantee your place if you do not make payment by this deadline. With membership numbers higher than ever before, we do need to limit athlete numbers in some sessions.
2. **ALL CURRENT MEMBERS** are automatically sent a renewal notice. If you have not received it within a few weeks of the end of term, please check your Junk folder. If you are unable to find it, please contact us so we can re-send it. It is **your** responsibility to make sure Membership fees are paid by the start of each term.
3. If you do not renew your membership and do not attend the first two weeks of term, we will assume that you no longer wish to be a member and we will mark your child as “resigned”. They will no longer appear on the session registers and you will be removed from the Club’s mailing list.
4. New members are required to pay a one-off joining fee of £20 which includes a free club t-shirt and covers the costs of processing your application. Your t-shirt can be collected from our parent helper as soon as your membership payment has been made.
5. Those who wish to re-join YAC after an absence of one term or more will be required to pay a re-joining fee of £10 to cover admin costs.
6. Sessions missed to due to illness or injury will **not** be refunded. However, we are happy to discuss the carrying-over of fees paid for any athlete that has an injury resulting in long-term absence. This is dealt with on a case-by-case basis.
7. If your child(ren) is/are unable to attend a session due to illness or another commitment, then they may be able to attend an alternative session on that week only. This should be arranged with the Membership Secretary in advance, who can ensure that all athletes attending a session are on the correct session register.
8. Bullying of other members of YAC, either physical or verbal, will not be tolerated. If you have any concerns about a child’s behaviour during training sessions, then please contact Virginia Mitchell (Head Coach) or Clare Butters (Membership Secretary) who are the club’s Welfare Officers.
9. Please disclose any medical issues concerning your child(ren). This is shared with coaches only and remains confidential. Please also notify of us of any changes to their medical history since your original application to join YAC.
10. Lost property is collected and brought to every training session. If you believe you have left an item at the track, then please see our Parent Helper in the stands who can show you to lost property. Any lost property not claimed at the end of each term will be donated to charity, or made available for Club Members to purchase second hand.