

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 October 2025. These may change and any changes will be notified to members and published in an updated Terms and Conditions document.

Monthly Membership payments for YAC Juniors and Performance Setting up your direct debit Terms and Conditions

- 1. Monthly payments are taken on 1st day of the month.
- 2. The joining email (for new members) is sent out after the initial taster session. You will receive a link to subscription to a direct debit which will start on the first of the next month, and a one-off payment request for the £25 joining fee and any weeks before the next monthly payment is due.
- 3. The deadline to set up the direct debit payment is the 24th of the month before the next monthly payment is due to allow time for your bank account to authorise and set up the direct debit.
- 4. If this first membership payment deadline is missed, there will be a penalty of £10 payable to YAC.
- 5. Monthly payments continue throughout the year which spreads the cost of membership and means your membership continues without break.
- 6. If an athlete joins part way through the term, the monthly payments will start after the taster session, once the direct debit has been set up. The deadline to set up direct debit for monthly payments to start will be advised by the Membership Secretary.
- 7. It is important that this deadline is met otherwise a late payment fee of £10 will be added.
- 8. We request ONE month's notice if a member wishes to cancel their membership
- 9. On receiving your request to cancel your athlete membership, we will halt the direct debit.
- 10. If less than one month's notice is given before the next payment date, then the cancellation of payment will happen he following month.
- 11. **Waiting Lists** with membership numbers higher than ever before, we need to limit athlete numbers in some sessions.
- 12. New members are required to pay a one-off joining fee of £25 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.
- 13. 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.
- 14. Sessions missed to due to illness or injury will **not** be refunded. However, we are happy to discuss pausing fees for any athlete that has an injury resulting in long-term absence. This is dealt with on a case-by-case basis.
- 15. 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.
- 16. 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.
- 17. 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.
- 18. 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.

As written by Clare Butters, Membership Secretary

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Updated by Virginia Mitchell, Director

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