

Storrington Table Tennis Club

Constitution



1 Name

The name of the Club is "Storrington Table Tennis Club" (S.T.T.C) ("the Club").

2 Affiliations

The Club shall be affiliated to the English Table Tennis Association.

3 Objectives

- a) To provide a table tennis club for players to practise, play and promote the game of Table Tennis and to operate in accordance with the English Table Tennis Association's Equity Policy.
- b) To increase the opportunities for children & adults to take part in quality table tennis sessions.
- c) To increase the number of qualified coaches, assistant coaches and umpires within the area to ensure that the club is sustainable.
- d) To ensure a duty of care to all players at the club in accordance with the English Table Tennis Association's Child Protection Policy and to provide its services in a way that all players receive fair and equal treatment irrespective of: gender, disability, race, ethnic origin, nationality, colour, parental status, religious belief, class or social background.

4 Players

- a) The club has no membership and asks for no membership fees.
- b) The players play at the club on a pay per play basis.
- c) All players who wish to play at the club have to be registered with the club and agree to the club's rules and code of conduct.
- d) The club is open to adults and juniors from the age of 7 upwards.

5 Organisation

- a) The Committee of the Club shall consist of a Chair, Secretary and Treasurer and not more than two other co-opted members.
- b) If the post of any officer shall fall vacant, the Committee shall have the power to fill the vacancy.
- c) The Committee will have full powers to execute the policies of the club.
- d) The positions of Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer will be eligible for re appointment annually.
- e) The quorum of any meeting will be two committee members. Decisions of the Committee will be made by a simple majority, with the Chairman having the casting vote in the case of a tie.
- f) The Management Committee will arrange to meet on a regular basis and have the power to appoint sub-committees.
- g) Every member of the committee is indemnified by the club from all losses and expenses incurred whilst completing their duties. No committee member shall receive any payment for holding that position.
- h) Partner organisations must accept and conform to the rules and regulations of the club.
- i) The constitution can be amended by a majority of the committee.
- j) The Committee shall be the sole authority for the settlement of disputes relating to the affairs of the Club and the conduct of the players or of their guests.

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6 Finances

- a) Session fees, match fees and subscriptions shall be determined by the committee.
- b) The Treasurer shall collect the fees and subscriptions and maintain an account on behalf of the club at a bank or building society.
- c) All cheques drawn against the Club's funds must be signed by any two committee members.
- d) The treasurer's report will be presented and discussed at each committee meeting.
- e) Any expenditure of Club funds must be authorised by the Committee.
- f) In the event of the club closing the remaining assets (after discharging all debts and liabilities of the Club) shall be given or transferred to another organisation having objects similar to those of the Club. The choice of organisation will be made by the committee.

7 Insurance

- a) The Club shall ensure that it is covered by a suitable public liability policy of insurance.
- b) All members shall comply with the terms of the policy.

Adopted by Storrington Table Tennis Club			
Signed (Club Chairman)		Date	
Signed (Club Secretary)		Date	
Signed (Club Treasurer)		Date	