

Xtreme Rhythmix Application For Membership 2018

Name of applicant (gymnast): _____ **Level:** _____

All gymnasts' families are responsible for making themselves familiar with all Xtreme Rhythmix policies as per the 2018 handbook (to be found on our website and available on request by emailing xtremerg@gmail.com). In addition gymnasts' families are responsible for keeping informed about upcoming events and deadlines by reading club newsletters and other email correspondence. Some key policies are outlined below.

Payment of invoices:

- All invoices are to be paid in full by the due date.
- Any overdue invoices may have a 10% late fee added. Arrangements to pay invoices in installments can be made by contacting invoicing.xtremerg@gmail.com.

Term and holiday training:

- Once term training or holiday training has been requested you will be invoiced and you are liable to pay for those sessions.
- All training fees are non refundable except in the case of illness or injury lasting 2 weeks or longer with a supporting medical certificate.
- A gymnast must give one month's notice of withdrawal from the club and any sessions booked for after this month's notice period may be eligible for a refund.
- If a gymnast is going to be absent for non medical reasons for a period of one month or longer, an application can be made to invoicing.xtremerg@gmail.com to have these missed sessions charged at 50% of the usual rate. The application for reduction in fees must be submitted at least one month prior to the period of absence from training. This policy is not applicable in situations where the absence from usual training is due to international travel for a gymnastics trip.

Competitions (competitive gymnasts only):

- Xtreme gymnasts are expected to participate in all Xtreme competitions. For these competitions we run an "opt out" system. If you do not want your daughter to compete you must notify the competition secretary by email at kharuzina.m@gmail.com prior to the withdrawal date for each competition. If we do not receive notice that you are withdrawing from the competition you will be liable to pay the entry fee and levy for the competition.
- For competitions run by other clubs we run an "opt in" system. You will receive notice of each competition and the closing date for entries from the competition secretary. If you wish your daughter to compete you must notify the competition secretary by email at kharuzina.m@gmail.com prior to the closing date for entries. At this point you will be liable to pay the entry fee and levy for this competition.
- Refunds of 50% for a withdrawal from either an Xtreme competition or external competition may be possible with a medical certificate. This must be provided within one week of the competition date and must be emailed to both kharuzina.m@gmail.com and invoicing.xtremerg@gmail.com. We will only be able to refund your entry fees for external competitions if we are able to gain a refund from the organizing club.

Xtreme Rhythmix policy with regard to bullying

Xtreme Rhythmix takes a zero tolerance approach to bullying which will be subject to the club's disciplinary processes.

We define bullying as: Physical, verbal, or social (relational), or utilising technology and social media (cyber), and can be identified by:

- Bullying is deliberate - harming another person intentionally
- Bullying involves a misuse of power in a relationship
- Bullying is usually not a one-off - it is repeated, or has the potential to be repeated over time
- Bullying involves behaviour that can cause harm - it is not a normal part of growing up.

Filming and photography policy

There will be no videotaping or still photography undertaken at any club training session by any person with the following exceptions:

Club coaches and teachers may use videoing as a legitimate coaching aid with the full knowledge and consent of the gymnast and / or their parents (if the gymnast is under 18). Care should be taken in the secure storage of such materials and films. This may include filming gymnasts to show them how their routines look, or filming someone performing a routine to assist gymnasts to learn it. (See permission form below.)

In exceptional circumstances, and with the permission of the personal coach and head coach, parents may videotape their child's routine - for example, to assist with remembering a new routine. Care should be taken to ensure that only the gymnast appears in the video, no other person may be filmed. If someone is undertaking still photography or filming at training, they will be asked to leave and will be subject to a disciplinary process by the club. This also includes any apps which involve image capture.

From time to time the club may take and use photos of gymnasts for promotional purposes, such as on the club's website or Facebook page. (See permission form below.)

I wish for my daughter to become a member of Xtreme Rhythmix.

I agree to abide by all Xtreme Rhythmix policies.

I agree to my daughter being photographed and/or filmed for coaching purposes (e.g to show her what she is doing and provide feedback).

Yes/No (circle one)

I agree to my daughter being photographed and/or filmed for promotional purposes (e.g. for the Xtreme website, Facebook, Instagram, competition promotional materials etc)

Yes/No (circle one)

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____
(parent or guardian's signature if gymnast under 18 years old)