

SaraSpa Rod and Gun Club

ByLaws

Section 3.1 Classes of Membership and Eligibility.

Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
D) Family Membership	Family Membership: immediate family members (spouse and children under 18) when accompanied by the General, Life or Senior Member in good standing shall be afforded all privileges of membership except voting.	<p>A) Family Membership: immediate family members (spouse, eligible domestic partners, and children under 18) when accompanied by the General, Life or Senior Member in good standing shall be afforded all privileges of membership except voting.</p> <p>B) An immediate family member (spouse, domestic partner, or children 18, 19 or 20 years old) shall be eligible for the applicable General Membership (including voting privileges) at the discounted rate of 50%, given the following conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) They reside in the same household 2) The full amount of applicable dues are paid by the primary member 3) Shall furnish proof of eligible domestic partnership if necessary 4) For children

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Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
Junior	4) Applicants for Junior Membership - Annual Renewal shall: A) Be under the age of eighteen (18). B) Have included with his or her application a signed authorization form from a parent or legal guardian. C) Be at all times supervised by a General, Senior, or Life Member of the organization while on Club property or attending Club functions.	Strike

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Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
A)	4) Junior Member - Annual Renewal (A, B, C)	Strike

Section 3.2 Application and Election to Membership

Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
	<p>A) All applicants for General, Life, Senior, and Junior Memberships shall have received a copy of the Club Rules and regulations and submit a signed application/affidavit form prescribed by the Board of Directors stating the applicant will abide by the Constitution and Bylaws, ad the Club Rules and Regulations of the organization.</p> <p>B) Application forms shall be accompanied by the appropriate fees, charges and dues.</p> <p>C) Application forms must be signed by a member of the Board of Directors indicating that a facilities walk thru has been performed. Application forms for Junior Member under eighteen years of age must also be signed by a parent or guardian.</p>	Strike

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	<p>D) Upon receipt of a properly completed application/affidavit form, the Membership Director shall submit the name of each applicant for membership in writing to the next scheduled Board of Directors meeting for a vote.</p> <p>E) No application shall be unreasonably withheld, provided, however, that the Board of Directors may postpone acting on an application for a period not exceeding sixty (60) days.</p> <p>F) No application of any type shall be approved which receives less than a majority of the Board members in attendance.</p>	Strike

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	<p>G) If an applicant is refused membership, he/she shall be notified in writing by certified mail – return receipt requested, of the Board of Directors decision and reasons for its refusal. The refused applicant may appeal the decision to the Board of Directors. His/her appeal and any supporting evidence shall be in writing and sent via certified mail – return receipt requested, to the secretary of the club within thirty (30) days of his/her receipt of refusal notification by the BOD. Upon receipt of the appeal by the secretary, the matter will be brought before the Board of Directors for reconsideration. The Board of Directors shall review the appeal and supporting evidence, and determine if the original refusal should be reversed, or sustained, The Board of Directors shall notify the applicant in writing, by certified mail – return receipt requested, of its decision. The notification shall be mailed within sixty (60) days of receipt of the applicants appeal. The Board of Directors decision concerning the applicants appeal shall be final and no further consideration will be given before one year following the date of last refusal (Art, III, Section 3.2 I)</p>	Strike

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Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
		A) The Board of Directors shall set the standards and procedures for accepting new members, including, but not limited to, the application process and any training or orientation, as necessary.

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	<p>H) A new member will be provided with access to a copy of the Constitution and Bylaws of the organization...</p> <p>I) Any applicant who has been refused membership shall not be allowed to reapply for a period of one year from the date of receipt of the last adverse decision.</p> <p>J) A copy of the Constitution and Bylaws, and Rules and Regulations of the organization shall be posted at the club.</p>	<p>(Becomes B)</p> <p>I) Any applicant who has been refused membership shall not be allowed to reapply for a period of one year. (Becomes C)</p> <p>(Becomes D)</p>

Section 3.3 Dues, Range Fees, and Activity Fees.

Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
A) Dues	2) Dues shall be prorated on a 6-month basis for 1st TIME NEW MEMBERS only.	2) The Board of Directors will examine the membership use of facilities as needed (at least annually) to decide if and/or how many additional memberships can be opened to the public. Depending on the date that new members are added, the Board of Directors shall also determine whether pro-rating the membership fee for first time members is appropriate.

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Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
A) Dues	4) Late annual renewals will be charged 10% of their annual rate for their class of membership starting November 1, an additional 5% per month will be added December 1st and January 1st {max. 20%}.	4) Members whose renewals/dues are not paid in full by October 31 st , may have their membership terminated on November 1 st .

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Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
A) Dues	5) An initiation fee of 20% of the Annual Membership Fee {for their class of membership} will be paid by any new member applying for membership. This includes any past member who has been absent for a period of one (1) year or more.	5) It shall be at the discretion of the board of directors to assess a one-time initiation fee on new memberships and/or as needed for the purpose of membership orientations.

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Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
A) Dues		6) It shall be at the discretion of the board of directors to allow a member to suspend their own membership for extenuating circumstances (e.g. Military Service) provided the member provides valid proof of the circumstances.

Section 5.6 Meetings of the Board of Directors

Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
D) Attendance at Board Meetings	3) General, Senior, Life, Honorary and Junior Members in good standing shall be allowed in attendance at Board of director meetings, subject to the following conditions:	3) General, Senior, Life, and Honorary Members in good standing shall be allowed in attendance at Board of director meetings, subject to the following conditions:

Section 5.7 Resignation and replacement of an officer or director

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B) Replacement	1) Upon death, disability, or resignation of an Officer or Director, the Secretary (or Acting Secretary) shall announce that the office is vacant at the next scheduled Board of Directors meeting. The vacancy may then be filled only for the remainder of the term of office by a candidate who meets eligibility requirements and is recommended by the nomination committee to the Board for approval.	1) Upon death, disability, or resignation of an Officer or Director, the Secretary (or Acting Secretary) shall announce that the office is vacant at the next scheduled Board of Directors meeting. The nomination committee shall then act in accordance with section 6.2.A and propose a candidate to fill the vacancy for the rest of the term to the Board of Directors for approval. Should multiple candidates be proposed, the Board of Directors shall interview the candidates at a Board of Directors meeting and then conduct a vote via secret ballot to choose the candidate.

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E) Emergency Powers		1) Should club business related to the duties of a board officer or director be necessary to continue before a valid replacement is appointed according to 5.7.B, the applicable duties shall be overseen by officers of the Board of Directors.

Section 5.9 Duties of Officers and Directors

Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
E) Membership Director	1) The Membership Director shall: B) Receive and promptly process applications for membership as provided in Article m, Sec. 3.2 D	1) The Membership Director shall: B) Receive and promptly process applications for membership as required.

Section 5.9 Duties of Officers and Directors

Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
E) Membership Director	1) The Membership Director shall: C) Issue membership cards as soon as possible to all new Board - approved members or members renewing membership	1) The Membership Director shall: C) Issue membership cards as directed by the board of directors. Control member access to club facilities

Section 5.9 Duties of Officers and Directors

Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
E) Membership Director	1) The Membership Director shall: D) Remit all dues and fees within thirty (30) days of receipt to the Treasurer, either by cash or check and retain receipts for such funds in the Membership records (Article VIII, Sec. 8.1 D2)	Strike

Section 6.2 Election of Officers and Directors

Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
A) Nominating Committee and Nominations	1) The Nominating Committee shall: A) Be appointed by the Board of Directors at their November meeting and consist of four (4) members in good standing, who are willing to accept the appointment B) Not contain more than two (2) members of the Board of Directors C) Present their slate of candidates at the September Board of Directors meeting D) Hold this office for a period not to exceed twelve (12) months	C) Present their slate of candidates at the August Board of Directors meeting D) May not serve for consecutive (12 month) terms

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Section	CURRENT	PROPOSED
A) Nominating Committee and Nominations	<p>2) The Nominating Committee shall:</p> <p>A) Be presented to the members at the Annual Meeting by the Nomination Committee chairperson from the slate of candidates chosen by the committee</p> <p>B) Be allowed to be made from the floor at the time of the election, provided the candidate meets the requirements for office as set forth in Article V Sec. 5.8 and is present at the meeting</p>	<p>A) Be presented to the members via e-mail at least fourteen days prior to the Annual Meeting from the slate of candidates chosen by the committee and any additional candidates nominated pursuant to Article 6.2 A)2) B) below</p> <p>B) Be allowed to be made from the floor at the September meeting of the Board of Directors notwithstanding any restrictions on such nomination as may be provided for in Section 5.6 D3), provided the candidate meets the requirements for office as set forth in Article V Sec. 5.8 and is present at the meeting</p>

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B) Conduct at Election	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Chairperson of nominating committee (moderator) will conduct the election2. The moderator shall appoint two (2) tellers to collect and tally ballots, results of the election shall be recorded in the minutes of the meeting3. Voting shall be done by written secret ballot if there is more than one candidate for the position, otherwise the secretary shall cast one (1) unanimous vote for the nominee of the nominating committee	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. The election shall be conducted principally via an online ballot with the option for members to cast a ballot prior to or at the annual meeting if necessary.2. The Chairperson of the nominating committee shall oversee the election3. Online voting will commence upon distribution of the list of candidates as provided for in Article 6.2 A)2) A) and shall cease at the time any ballots are cast at the Annual meeting4. Should there be only one candidate for the position, the secretary shall cast one (1) unanimous vote for the nominee of the nominating committee at the Annual meeting

Section 6.2 Election of Officers and Directors

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B) Conduct at Election	4. Officers and Directors shall be elected by majority vote of a quorum of members entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting (Article VI Sec. 6.3)	Becomes 5.

Section 6.2 Election of Officers and Directors

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C - Nominations		<p>C) All currently sitting members of the Board of Directors whose terms are expiring pursuant to Section 5.5 MUST notify the Nomination Committee of their desire (if any) for reelection pursuant to 6.2.A.1 prior to or during the August Board of Directors meeting.</p> <p>D) The club secretary shall notify the membership of available Board of Director positions and work with the Nomination Committee on proper messaging.</p>