

Kamloops Canoe & Kayak Club  
**KCKC Guest Athlete Policy**

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### **Purpose**

Guest Memberships are one of the types of memberships in KCKC bylaws. Directors determine the fees for guests that come to KCKC and do not fall within the CLUB Member or ASSOCIATE Member category. For example, a GUEST member may be a friend of an athlete who comes for a “Bring a Friend Day” or another athlete who comes to train with the club for a period of time. Each situation is different and requires its own GUEST Membership “fee”.

### **VISITING Athletes**

An athlete in good standing, currently registered with another CKBC club and holding the appropriate requisite insurance with CKBC, as determined by KCKC, with permission of Kamloops Head Coach and Board of Directors, will:

- Pay 25 dollars per week to participate in high-performance practices with the KCKC HP team, OR,
- By prior arrangement between the Coach and Guest Athlete who will determine the terms of the visit. Individual arrangements must be approved by the board. These arrangements will include:
  - Length of visit
  - Frequency of training
  - The contribution to the club the athlete will perform in lieu of payment

### **And Further,**

- The GUEST athlete may bring and store one boat, if space is available, as determined by Head Coach
- The Head Coach will ensure the GUEST athlete folds into the current practice conditions seamlessly and does adversely affect the training environment for other athletes (for example, by not monopolizing club resources or the coach’s time)
- GUEST visits generally do not exceed one month. Visits extending beyond one month (30 Days) will be individually assessed by the Board and Head Coach.

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### **BRING A FRIEND**

An athlete in good standing, currently registered in the Learn To Train program, is encouraged to bring a friend to practice to promote the sport to the community and attract new members. Coaches will encourage maximum participation by promoting this program to LtoT athletes. In these instances, the following applies:

- The visiting friend will register in RAMP or use paper forms to complete the KCKC requisite forms for Insurance, Waiver and Health Forms, prior to going on the water;
- The same friend can come twice;
- There is no limit to the number of friends;
- The cost is FREE