

## I Name, purpose, and location

### Art. 1

- a) Badminton Club Adliswil is a confessionally and politically neutral club.
- b) The club promotes healthy physical exercise, badminton competition, as well as the cultivation of camaraderie.

### Art. 2

The headquarters of the club is located in Adliswil.

## II Membership

### Art. 3

- a) A distinction is made between the following:
  - active members
  - candidates
  - juniors
  - passive members
- b) Each member recognizes the statutes by means of the admission application, commits him/herself to fairness, to respectful interactions with other club members, to the promotion of team spirit, and to the cooperation and participation in club events.
- c) Prospective members participate in the gaming operations of the club for a month without any financial obligations. Thereafter, subject to the admission of the board, they may be provisionally admitted to the club and are therefore liable for membership fees (pro rata temporis).
- d) The definitive admission must be confirmed by the General Meeting.
- e) The admission of passive members is decided by the club's board. Passive members have no right to take part in the club's gaming operations.
- f) In case passive members apply for active membership, article 3 and sections c and d shall be applied. Former active members who have become passive members may be reactivated by the board upon written request.
- g) The term *juniors* applies to players who are 18 years or younger in the calendar year. If the age of 19 is reached in the current calendar year, the player is reelected as an active member. This mutation from a junior to an active member of the club is not billed.
- h) The contact details of the members will be forwarded to the regional and the national association of badminton.

### Art. 4

- a) Membership termination is valid after the subsequent General Meeting. The declaration of withdrawal must be submitted to the president at least one month in advance of the General Meeting.
- b) The board may suspend the membership of individual members until the next ordinary General Meeting in certain situations, especially when a member
  - grossly violates the club's articles
  - does not settle his/her financial obligations
  - damages the reputation or interests of the club
- c) Necessary steps are discussed and decided upon by the General Meeting after hearing the side of the member in question.
- d) Active members are entitled to vote and can be elected to the board.

## III Membership fees

### Art. 5

The club receives an annual membership fee which must be paid by 31 July of the current year at the latest.

### Art. 6

The contributions of the members are determined annually by the General Meeting. They, however, do not exceed:

- a) Fr. 1000.- for active members
- b) a membership fee pro rata temporis for candidates
- c) Fr. 100.- for passive members
- d) Fr. 500.- for juniors
- e) a one-time entry fee of Fr. 500.- for active members

### Art. 7

The liability of the club is covered by the club's assets only. The liability of the members is limited to the forfeited contributions.

## **IV Organs**

### Art. 8

The organs of the club are:

- A) the General Meeting
- B) the board
- C) the control body (auditors)

### Art. 9

#### A) The General Meeting (GV)

The GV forms the highest organ. It is convened by the board at least four weeks in advance, with the announcement of the agenda. The business year lasts from 1 June to 31 May. Applications must be submitted 2 weeks before the GV.

An extraordinary GV may be convened if

- a) the board considers it necessary
- b) at least one-third of the members asks for it
- c) the control body asks for it

### Art. 10

The GV especially treats the following agenda items:

- a) approval of the protocol
- b) approval of the activities of the board
- c) approval of the annual financial statement and granting releases to the board
- d) elections
  - 1. president
  - 2. finance director
  - 3. third authorized member of the board
  - 4. other board members
  - 5. auditors
- e) admission of new members
- f) consultation and decision-making on general guidelines for club activities
- g) determination of annual fees and of the amount of the entry fee
- h) Decisions of all agenda items are based on an absolute majority.

### Art. 11

#### B) The club board

- The board consists of least 5 members elected for a one-year term. The following positions must be filled:
- president
- finance director
- the other positions are allocated by the board

The board represents the club to the outside. Re-election of the board is possible. The board is convened by the president. The president, the finance director and a third member of the board are solely authorized to sign. The remaining members of the board are not authorized to sign.

### Art. 12

#### C) The control body (auditors)

The General Meeting elects two auditors and one substitute auditor for a two-years term.

## **V Gaming operation**

### Art. 13

The players take part in games or competitions at their own risk and their responsibility. Any liability of the club is excluded. Each member is responsible for the conclusion of a corresponding accident and liability insurance.

### Art. 14

The rules of Swiss Badminton apply in each case.

### Art. 15

The director of sport is responsible for all gaming operations. He or she appoints the coaches who lead the gaming operations. The members must comply with the coaches' orders without exception.

## **VI Dissolution and liquidation**

### Art. 16

For the dissolution of the club the decision of an extraordinary GV convened for this purpose is required. A two-thirds majority of those present is required for the dissolution. The extraordinary General Meeting decides on the use of existing club assets.

## VII Transitional provision

These Articles of Incorporation were adopted and put into force at the inaugural meeting of 27 October 1977.

Article 5 and Article 9 (a) were amended, adopted and put into force at the General Assembly of 18 November 1981.

Article 1a, 3c, d, g and 6b have been amended, accepted and put into force at the General Assembly of 8 May 1987.

Art. 3a, d, 9a, and 18 were amended, accepted and put into force at the General Assembly of 9 April 1994.

Art 1a, 3a, 3g, 4d, 6a, 6b, 6c, 6d, 8c, 10e, 10f, 10g, 10i, 11a, 11b, 12, 14, 16 and 17 have been modified, adopted and put into force at the General Meeting of 15 April 2003.

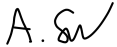
Art. 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 14 and 15 were amended at the General Assembly of 20 June 2009 and Article 16 deleted, Article 17 to Article 16.

Article 10d3 was adopted at the General Assembly of 27 June 2014, and the previous Article 10d3 was amended to 10d4, 10d4 was

amended to 10d5, type 11b was amended, adopted and put into effect.

Article 3b was amended, adopted and put into effect at the General Assembly of 24 June 2016.

Article 3 was extended by paragraph (h) and Article 11b was amended, adopted and put into effect at the General Assembly of 22 June 2018.



The president  
Adi Suter

Adliswil, 25 June 2018