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CLUB BERLIN

## Club rules

The International Club Berlin e.V. (ICB e.V., hereinafter referred to as "the Club") is a private business and country club offering a relaxed ambience in which members and their guests can cultivate professional and private relationships, work and enjoy their leisure time in a secure setting.

All users (members and guests) of the Club facilities are kindly requested to behave in a considerate manner during their stay at the Club in order to ensure peace, safety and order. In particular, the disturbance, harassment and endangerment of other users of the Club facilities must be strictly avoided. Noise and boisterous behaviour are to be avoided, also out of consideration for the neighbours.

It is important to adhere to the following Club rules to ensure good and respectful co-operation. This ensures a pleasant and safe environment for all Club members and guests and protects and preserves the good atmosphere, harmonious coexistence, furniture and facilities of the Club.

### Club premises

#### House rules and instructions of the supervisory staff

The supervisory staff appointed by the Club (life guard, security guards) are charged with enforcing the Club rules throughout the entire Club premises on behalf of the Management Board. They ensure peace and quiet, safety and order, particularly in the pool area and neighbouring areas. The instructions of the supervisory staff must be followed immediately and without fail. Members or guests may be banned from further use of the pool and Club facilities if they violate the Club or pool rules or the instructions of the supervisory staff. The Board reserves the right to impose further sanctions in the event of breaches of these rules. Express reference is made to the swimming pool rules relating specifically to swimming.

#### Disclaimer

Our members, their family members and guests use the International Club Berlin and its

facilities exclusively at their own risk. The Club accepts no liability for accidents, injuries or losses that occur while using the Club facilities or on the Club premises. We recommend that all members take out adequate insurance cover for themselves and their families, in particular accident and liability insurance.

#### Dress code

All members and guests must dress appropriately for the occasion. Clothing in the Club and restaurant area should at least comply with the "smart casual" dress code. Appropriate clothing has a positive influence on the appearance of the Club and reflects harmonious interaction between members and guests. The wearing of casual leisure wear or swimwear in the clubhouse and on all terraces is prohibited, including for children. Exceptions apply to the pool bar.

#### Food and drinks

The consumption of brought-in food and drinks is not permitted anywhere on the Club premi-



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ses. The pool bar and restaurant offer a wide selection of food and drinks.

### Mobile phones, tablets

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Mobile phones and other electronic devices may only be used in the pool area and on the sunbathing lawns if they do not disturb other members or guests. Special consideration is requested when using mobile phones.

### Smoking

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Smokers are asked to show special consideration for other members and guests throughout the Club grounds and to refrain from smoking in the immediate pool area. At weekends and on public holidays, smoking is only permitted in the outside restaurant areas and on the sunbathing lawn.

### Pets

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No pets of any kind may be brought onto the Club premises.

### Photography and media

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Photography and filming on the entire Club premises is only permitted for private use. Photography and reporting on behalf of the media or for use in the media are only permitted with the prior authorisation of the Board of Directors or the management.

### Guests

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Members can bring guests to the Club restaurant at any time. The members-only area and the associated terrace are not part of the restaurant, but of the pool area. They are reserved for members of the Club.

For the use of the outdoor facilities (swimming

pool, sunbathing lawns) and the tennis courts, members can purchase guest tickets from the security staff at the gate for a fee set by the Board. At weekends, the number of guests is limited to 30 people (adults and children) per day.

The Board and management reserve the right to restrict access to the Club facilities exclusively for Club members on busy weekends. Guests must be registered with the security staff at least 24 hours in advance and be accompanied by a member. Each guest may use the Club facilities a maximum of five times per year.

### Parental supervision

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Families and children are very welcome at the Club. In the interests of all members and guests, harmonious coexistence is of great importance. Parents are responsible for instructing their children on the rules of behaviour applicable at the Club and ensuring that they are observed at all times. Parents are liable for any damage caused by their children.

### Age restriction

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For liability reasons, children up to the age of 14 may only enter the Club grounds if accompanied by their parents or an adult supervisor named in advance. An exception applies to tennis lessons. The tennis coaches may also authorise exceptions, which are limited to the tennis courts.

### Car park

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Bicycles and motorbikes may only be parked in the designated parking spaces in the car park. In the interests of safety, parents and supervisors must ensure that children do not use the car park as a play area.



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## Pool area, sunbathing lawn and playground

### Respect, duty of care

The pool area, sunbathing areas and green spaces are to be treated with care and kept clean by all members and guests. The sunbathing areas, especially the quiet zone, are for relaxation and are not to be used for sporting activities or loud games in order to avoid noise pollution.

### Changing rooms

All members and guests (adults and children) are obliged to use the changing rooms. Children up to the age of six must be accompanied by an adult to the toilet and showers. The showers and changing rooms must be left in a clean condition.

### Showers

For reasons of environmental protection and in view of high water and energy costs, prolonged use of the showers in the changing rooms is prohibited.

### Use of the pool

**There are separate ICB swimming pool rules** for the use of the pool, which are on display and which all members and their guests are expressly required to observe.

For reasons of hygiene, all pool users are obliged to shower sufficiently in the changing rooms or at the edge of the pool before each use of the pool.

Appropriate swimwear is compulsory for all bathers.

For safety reasons, jumping in from the side, pushing or throwing other people into the pool and running along the edge of the pool is prohibited. The use of sports and games equipment as well as swimming aids is strictly prohibited and only permitted with the express consent of the supervisory staff (life guard).

The pool is reserved exclusively for swimmers. Children who do not have the German "Seepferdchen" swimming proficiency badge may only swim in the shallow area of the pool under the permanent supervision and responsibility of their parents. Parents have an increased duty to be present and supervise their children at all times.

Nappies are not permitted in the swimming pool for reasons of hygiene.

The supervisory staff (life guard) may prohibit the use of the pool in individual cases, in particular if the parental duty of supervision is not observed or if there is any other danger. Children under the age of 14 may use the pool until 19:00. The supervisory staff (life guard) may restrict the use of the pool in whole or in part for technical, safety and weather-related reasons. In the event of a thunderstorms or gale, the pool must be vacated immediately for safety reasons.

### Sunbeds

Out of consideration for other users, no sunbeds may be reserved. Cushions for the sunbeds are available from the supervisory staff (life guard). The cushions are to be returned there after use. For reasons of hygiene, the sunbed cushions must be covered with towels. Towels can be purchased at the security desk if required. Parents must ensure that the sunbeds are not used as gym or play equipment and are liable for any damage caused.



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### Playground equipment (playground)

Use of the apparatus is at your own risk. Use of the playhouse with slide is only permitted for children up to the age of 12 and only under the supervision of parents or an adult supervisor. Parents are liable for any damage caused to the play equipment by their children.

### Nappies

For reasons of hygiene, nappies are only to be changed in the ladies' changing room. For space reasons, an odour-neutralising container can only be provided there.

### Tennis centre

Use of the tennis facilities is only permitted with appropriate footwear and in tennis clothing. After leaving the tennis courts, please do not enter the pool area, the clubhouse or the changing rooms in dirty shoes.

Tennis players must clean the court after every game. Please clean the lines and douse the court.

### Sports facilities for children, playground

Children can play sports (e.g. football, basketball, table tennis, chess, badminton) on the clay court and on the lawn by the tennis centre. Appropriate play equipment can be borrowed from the security desk.

The playground may be used until 20:00. Use is only permitted under the supervision of an adult.

I have received and read the club rules as a supplement to my application documents.  
I accept them with my signature.

Location

Date

Signature

*The Executive Board, April 2024*