

## Membership and Cancellation Policy:

1. We do not make any financial contract with our students as we like to have people in our dojo who are happy to be there. We would only need one month of notice to stop the Electronic Payments.
2. We make every effort not to increase your monthly membership fee once you register into our program and as long as you keep your membership active. However, some minimal adjustment might be necessary at times. Karate BC annual fees, KNSKA annual fees, and the grading fees are subject to change.
3. **Family Rate:** The first two members of the same family would pay the full membership and anyone after that will receive 10% discount from the monthly membership (Grading fees and Annual membership fees are excluded from this discount).
4. Any absence of more than 2 months will require a new registration with a new Waiver form. The current registration fee at the time of the re-registration will be applied.
5. **Grading fee:** Once you are charged for your grading, you will not be charged again if you did not pass your test for the first time. You and sensei together will decide the extra time you might need to train on what you need to improve before you grade again. You can always extend this time until you feel ready. Once you confirmed your readiness, Sensei will then grade you for the second time free of charge. This grading can be done in private or in group. However, if you still could not get the passing grade, or if you rushed to grade when you were still not ready, you would then need to pay for the grading after that. This is to maintain the quality of belt level at the highest standard in our dojo.
6. If your absence is more than 2 months in a row; you are kindly asked to wear your White Belt in your return until you feel comfortable and ready to grade for your Old Belt again.
7. If your schedule is going to be busy for a while, you can go to one session per week instead of quitting for a long period of time. In this way you can maintain your fitness, your relationship with your dojo, and keep your current Belt until you are ready to go back to your regular training schedule.
8. Having a big gap in training lessons always makes it harder to get back to the routine and the discipline of karate training. So the best suggestion might be to keep yourself connected to the dojo with at least one session per week training if you are thinking of leaving the dojo for more than 2 months.

**"Genuine karate is like hot water; it cools down if you do not keep on heating it".**

**~ Master Funakoshi**

Signature: .....

Date:.....