

ASRC Code of Conduct and Guidelines

All Club members must abide by these guidelines and rules.

Any Club member and participant failing to comply with the following guidelines and rules are subject to immediate dismissal.

While the majority of participants have no problems fitting into the structure of the ASRC Climbing Club, there are a few isolated cases where disciplinary problems arise. In most situations, disruptive participants will be given at least two warnings to correct their behavior. If the disruptive participant does not respond to the warnings then ASRC may have them withdrawn from the club. In some instances warnings are not an option and immediate dismissal may be in order.

ASRC reserves the right to withdraw a club member if any of the following conditions exist:

- The club member is continually not participating in or benefiting from the club environment.
- The club member behaves in such a manner as to make it impossible for ASRC staff to provide adequate or safe care for the member.
- The club member behaves in such a manner as to make it impossible for ASRC staff to provide adequate or safe care to other enrolled club members due to the care needs of this club member.
- Use of vulgar, foul or profane language.
- Disruptive behavior that poses a threat to the well-being of another person will not be tolerated. Such behaviors include, but are not limited to, fighting, stealing, rock and stick throwing.
- Abusive or disrespectful behavior towards any ASRC staff, club member or participant.
- Possession or use of alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs will result in immediate dismissal.
- ASRC outings are designed for involvement and participation. Therefore, personal radios, walk-mans, tape players or any hand held gaming device are not to be brought to outings.

Withdrawal of a club member for any of the above reasons will result in the forfeiture of the entire club fee. We strongly suggest that parents review and discuss these matters with their children prior to enrollment.

Personal Appearance:

While not wishing to issue an absolute mandate on what can and can't be worn, for reasons of safety and comfort we ask that you please consider the following:

- Club members and participants will be in close proximity during climbing activities as well as transportation to and from climbing venues. Comfortable, respectful and appropriate clothing is strongly recommended.

- Shorts that are of **appropriate length (mid thigh)** will not only make the participant feel more comfortable but will prevent the harness from chaffing the skin.
- Shirts for young men must be worn at all times. Tank tops and short sleeve tee shirts made from synthetic material will help to keep you cool and comfortable.
- Tops and Shirts for young women should provide necessary support as well as ample coverage.
- Clothing bearing emblems or verbal messages should be worn with full and respectful consideration of the views, beliefs and morals of others. If there is a chance anyone can take offense – it should not be worn.

With regard to Personal Appearance, one good rule of thumb is, if you can't wear it to school, you shouldn't wear it to Climbing Club Outings.

Property and equipment damage:

Parents are financially responsible for any and all intentional damage to equipment and facilities caused by their child.

I have read the ASRC Code of Conduct and Guidelines and agree to abide by them.

Club Member Signature: _____

I believe in this club member and back them wholeheartedly.

Parent's Signature: _____

Comments:
