

Articles of the Kennebunk Beach Triathlon Club

Club Purpose

Kennebunk Beach Triathlon Club “KBTC” is an organized club, dedicated to the pursuit of the sport of triathlon, general physical fitness, and the promotion of triathlon within the community.

Club Name

The official name shall be the Kennebunk Beach Triathlon Club.

Membership

Membership shall be open to any individual, at least 13 years of age, who shares in the common purpose of the KBTC. Membership shall be provided without regard to race, creed, color, religion, gender, age, and nation of origin, physical or mental disability. Voting rights are reserved for members in good standing at the time a club vote is taken. The general membership of the KBTC shall retain the sole authority to amend, adopt, and approve club policies.

Club Committee

Five (5) members in good standing shall comprise the KBTC Club Committee. Terms of service shall be from February 1 to January 31.

The KBTC Club Committee shall be responsible for general club affairs and maintaining club records.

Club Committee meetings shall be held as necessary with no less than fifteen (15) days notice of the meeting date and agenda to be posted on the club website. A record of the meeting shall be posted on the website within fifteen (15) days of the meeting.

Membership Meetings

General membership meetings may take place, as deemed necessary, on the third Thursday of each month from June to September following training. An annual meeting of the general membership shall be held on the third Thursday of January, at a time and location to be announced, to elect members to the subsequent year’s Club Committee and consideration of general club affairs. A quorum of twenty percent (20%) of members in good standing shall be necessary to amend, adopt, or approve club policies by simple majority vote following publication of the proposed matters for not less than thirty (30) days.

Special meetings may be held at anytime deemed necessary when called by not less than five (5) members in good standing following publication of the meeting’s purpose for not less than fifteen (15) days.

Elections

Elections to the Club Committee shall take place at the January annual meeting. Any club member in good standing may submit their name as a candidate to serve on the subsequent year's committee. Candidate names shall be submitted in writing or via e-mail to the Club Committee.

Candidate names shall be accepted until December 31 at which time they shall be posted on the club website for no less than fifteen (15) days prior to the annual meeting. Members receiving the top 5 vote totals shall comprise the Club Committee. Voting shall be by written ballot during the meeting or may be submitted in advance by email to a member of the Club Committee.

Adopted on January 21, 2010