

Membership Agreement

I. General

1. The purpose of Louisville Poker Society club is to provide a place for members to play poker and related games in a safe environment with familiar people in a friendly social atmosphere.
2. The club is managed by its President, and advised by a Board of Directors.

II. Membership

1. A member is a person who has applied for membership upon consent to this Membership Agreement, following the procedure as defined in paragraphs 2, 3, and 4 of this section (II. Membership), and has been recognized as a club member by Louisville Poker Society.
2. An Applicant for Membership must complete the Membership Application form online or in person, and sign the Membership Agreement.
3. Recognition of the membership accepted by Louisville Poker Society as defined in paragraph 1 of this section shall be sent by e-mail. When necessary, however, Louisville Poker Society reserves the right to acknowledge approval in any other form.
4. Membership dues are to be paid online using credit card, by mail with check, or in person by check or cash. Payment must be made within 30 days of the acceptance of the Membership Application.
5. Membership is available to those age 21+, or 18+ with the recommendation of an active or prior member.
6. No part of the Membership shall be subleased, loaned, or otherwise transferred to any other party.
7. All members will be required to sign a General Liability Release form to release Louisville Poker Society, Inc., its members and directors from any losses to person or property while participating in events.
8. Membership is valid only for the calendar year in which it began.
9. There are two classes of Members: Full Members and Junior Members.
10. Full Members are entitled to all remaining events for the calendar year, except where excluded by provisions explained in Section III, paragraph 3.
11. Junior Members are entitled to attend five (5) Standard Events within the calendar year (including any event attended as a guest), and are not entitled to Special Awards, Special Events, the Main Event, or where excluded by provisions explained in Section III, paragraph 3.

III. Dues and Fees

1. Payment of \$55 is due prior to a member receiving Full Membership benefits.
2. Payment of \$30 is due prior to a member receiving Junior Membership benefits.
3. A Junior Membership may be upgraded to Full Membership at any time to obtain all the benefits of Full Membership for the remaining events in the calendar year for an additional \$30.
4. Events and activities hosted by Louisville Poker Society require a fee to attend. This fee is \$20 unless otherwise stated in advance and will be due prior to the start of the event.
5. The obligation to pay dues is not dependent on the ability to participate in all of the club's events. Special engagements may make it necessary for the club to restrict use of the facilities. Dues will not be reduced or otherwise augmented in the event that the Member does not qualify to participate in a particular event.

IV. Termination of Membership

1. Membership may be terminated by the member at any time.
2. Membership may be terminated by Louisville Poker Society for violation of rules or misconduct at the discretion of the Board of Directors.
3. Refunds for voluntary termination of membership will only be issued if termination occurs within 30 days of the member's first event or prior to the start of the next event, whichever occurs first.

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4. If a member must terminate their membership due to extenuating circumstances after the aforementioned requirements for a refund, they may appeal to the Board of Directors for a determination on a case by case basis.
5. Membership that is terminated for violation of rules or misconduct will not be refunded.
6. Event fees are not refundable for any reason.

V. Conduct & Member Responsibilities

1. Members of the Louisville Poker Society are to treat all players with respect.
2. Louisville Poker Society does not tolerate unreasonable, threatening, obscene, harassing, indecent, or illegal behavior.
3. Members are to obey club and game rules during events.
4. Members are required to RSVP for tournaments.
5. Members are expected to reply to any official inquiries.
6. Louisville Poker Society directors have the right to judge behavior. In the event of misconduct, Louisville Poker Society may assess penalties or other actions, up to and including termination of the membership of any member engaging in unacceptable behavior.
7. Louisville Poker Society does not condone underage drinking, and doing so will be considered a violation of our rules and subject to termination of membership.

VI. Facilities

1. Facilities are only available to members during official club events.
2. Members will treat property, equipment, and facilities with care and respect.
3. No smoking is allowed within the facilities.
4. Members are personally liable for replacement or repair if their direct actions cause damage to property, equipment, or facilities that would not otherwise occur under normal wear and tear.

VII. Discrepancies, Complaints and Remedy

1. Members have the right to have any concerns addressed before the Board of Directors.
2. The board is solely responsible for administering the club. Thus, decisions reached by the Board are final.
3. Due to their nature, game-affecting decisions issued by one or more Directors during a live event are final and cannot be later repealed. However, if you feel something was handled inappropriately, you may have your concerns heard by the Board which may affect future decisions.
4. You acknowledge and agree that your sole and exclusive remedy for any dispute with the Louisville Poker Society, Inc is to abstain from attending events and to cancel your membership.

I HAVE READ THIS AGREEMENT AND UNDERSTAND ALL OF ITS TERMS.

Signature

Signature

Date