

Terms and Conditions for Membership in the Christopher Eagen Martial Arts School



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1) Training at the Christopher Eagen martial arts school

- 1.1. Class times will be announced through a timetable or various online communication platforms (members area, members app, newsletter).
- 1.2. Classes are closed on German holidays.
- 1.3. The martial arts school reserves the right to cancel classes outside of these periods due to illness or training.
- 1.4. The staff reserves the right to change the training dates.
- 1.5. The lessons are carried out either by the head instructor Christopher Eagen, his assistants, or in individual cases by the students through their own tasks.
- 1.6. Classes are held on-site. The second-class session (Tuesdays) is currently primarily geared toward online students.
- 1.7. Failure to attend classes does not entitle you to a reduction or refund of the fee
- 1.8. If the martial arts school is unable to provide the instruction through no fault of its own, particularly due to official orders or other circumstances beyond the control of the martial arts school, the student must continue to pay the agreed fees. In return, the martial arts school undertakes to provide the instruction online at the agreed times. The member can only request suspension if they can demonstrate that participation in online instruction is unreasonable.
- 1.9. The school owner reserves the right to increase the monthly fee specified in the application. If this occurs, membership may be terminated without notice.
- 1.10. Participation in training requires good physical condition and is undertaken at your own risk. If necessary, your fitness for sports should be assessed by a physician.
- 1.11. The Christopher Eagen Martial Arts School assumes no liability for clothing, valuables, money, etc., nor for damages resulting from the use of the facility or participation in training.
- 1.12. Please treat the facility with care. Any damage will be repaired at the expense of the person responsible.
- 1.13. Guests can participate in the practice sessions at their own risk. They must confirm their knowledge of the general terms and conditions by providing their address, date of birth and signature.
- 1.14. If you attend regularly, you must register as a school member



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1.15. Participation in the Martial Art of Awareness School in Spangdahlem also entails membership in the Chin Family I Liq Chuan LLC (CF ILC LLC). This membership is a prerequisite for receiving instruction in the martial art of mindfulness at the school. A separate contract is therefore included with CF ILC LLC (see Section 2).

2) Membership in the Chin Family ZXD/ILC

2.1) Membership in Chin Family I Liq Chuan LLC (CF ILC LLC) is required to receive instruction in the martial art of mindfulness and to complete graduations at an affiliated school. A separate contract is therefore included with CF ILC LLC.

3) Payments

- 3.1 The registration fee is €45 and is a one-time payment.
- 3.2. Members are required to pay the agreed monthly fee in advance. The fee is collected via SEPA direct debit. The school principal maintains the account with Volksbank Eifel eG under IBAN number DE76 5866 0101 0100 6190 14.
- 3.3. The membership is to be paid monthly in advance by SEPA direct debit. I have completed the enclosed mandate.
- 3.4. Tuition fees are calculated as annual fees and are due in 12 equal monthly installments at the beginning of each month, even during non-tuition periods.
- 3.5. The member (Chin Family ILC LLC) can choose between two forms of membership, annual membership or lifetime membership:
 - 3.5.1. Annual membership: The fee (currently €60 or €30) is payable for the duration of the membership. It is due at the beginning of each new membership year. It is collected via SEPA mandate by the RBD on behalf of CFILC LLC. Other payment methods are not possible for organizational reasons. After the first annual fee has been collected, the member receives their membership card and membership number. The application is considered a standing invoice.
 - 3.5.2. Lifetime membership (currently €600 or €300) is due at the start of the contract and is payable by bank transfer to the RBD on behalf of CFILC LLC. Other payment methods are not possible for organizational reasons. Upon receipt of payment, the member receives their membership card and membership number. The application serves as an invoice. Membership also applies to the spouse.
- 3.6. When paying by SEPA direct debit, a processing fee of €5.00 will be charged for any returned direct debit, plus the fees charged by the KdA school's bank for the returned direct debit. A processing fee of €5.00 will be charged for each reminder.



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3.7.

Contribution Adjustment The Federal Statistical Office has established a consumer price index (CPI) that indicates the average percentage price change for all goods and services for private use in Germany (currently based on 2010 = 100). The contracting parties agree that the membership fee stated in this contract is determined by this CPI. If this price index increases or decreases after the start of the contract or the last adjustment, the fee can be adjusted in the same proportion by written notice of change. The fee may not be adjusted for the current year. Changes to the fee must be communicated to the member in writing within the statutory deadlines. The change in the agreed index and the respective fee or increase must be started in monetary terms (and not as a percentage). The adjusted fee is due at the start of the next membership year.

4) Cancellation of membership

- 4.1. Enrollment at the Christopher Eagen Martial Arts School is initially concluded for one year. The agreement can be terminated by either party in writing with a notice period of two months, effective at the end of the month. Notice of termination is to be given to the school owner. If notice of termination is not given within the specified timeframe, the contract will be automatically extended for another year.
- 4.2. Termination of membership "Chin Family Zhong Xin Dao I Liq Chuan": The contract is initially concluded for one year and can be terminated with one month's notice before the end of the contract term. Otherwise, it is automatically extended for an indefinite period. From then on, a notice period of one month to the end of the month applies. Termination must be submitted to RBD in writing within the deadline.
- 4.3. Upon reaching the age of majority, the member has the right to terminate the membership agreement within 14 days. If this right is not exercised, the membership agreement will automatically continue.

5) Basic conditions

- 5.1. The member undertakes to use learned techniques only in an emergency and declares that he or she has no criminal record. Under no circumstances may the member pass on learned techniques to unauthorized persons.
- 5.2. The member hereby undertakes to inform the instructor immediately if he or she or someone in his or her immediate environment has a contagious disease (lice, feverish infections, viral diseases, etc.) so that the instructor can take the appropriate measures.

6) Liability

6.1. Despite careful instruction by the instructor, it is possible that a participant may be injured while performing the exercises. By registering or participating, the participant expressly acknowledges this. The instructor and his or her vicarious agents assume no liability for property damage or personal injury to the member.



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This does not apply to damages resulting from an intentional or grossly negligent breach of duty by the instructor or a vicarious agent of the instructor.

6.2. Martial arts training involves practicing and using some very dangerous techniques. Carelessness, as well as uncontrolled or excessive force, can lead to serious injuries. Members are required to exercise caution when practicing the techniques and applications and to strictly follow the instructions of the training staff. Signals from your training partner must be heeded. End the exercise as soon as you suspect that you have injured your training partner. If your training partner signals you to stop the exercise, follow them immediately. If you feel injured during the exercises, immediately signal your training partner to stop the exercise. Contact the instructor immediately afterward.

7) Miscellaneous

- 7.1. You must bring your membership pass to all events.
- 7.2. Official clothing (trousers, T-shirt & sash/Gi & belt) must be worn at the latest for the first student grade examination or at official events.