

General Conditions of Contract (GCC) for ASVZ trial membership

1. Admission to the Academic Sports Association Zurich (hereinafter referred to as ASVZ) is determined by the ASVZ articles of association and is granted upon payment of a fee.
2. Trial memberships can only be bought once for either 3 or 30 days and are available to people who have never been ASVZ members or who haven't been ASVZ members for more than three years.
3. A Switch edu-ID account is required for enrollment. Once admitted, members have access to the membership section of the digital ASVZ app. The ASVZ app is available for the three latest versions each of Android and iOS operating systems. In place of the app, a check-in card may be acquired at the info desk for a one-time fee of CHF 30.
4. The minimum age is 16. Minors must provide a written consent form signed by their legal guardian.
5. Valid membership allows the owner to access ASVZ Sport Centers and outdoor facilities (only during ASVZ activities) and participate in the ASVZ classes. Trial members cannot participate in courses and camps.
6. Each ASVZ trial membership is linked to a QR code. The QR code requires a portrait photo to be uploaded that clearly identifies the member. Access to ASVZ Sport Centers requires a successful reading of the QR code from the ASVZ app at the check-in terminal. The portrait photo is displayed at the check-in terminal for identification purposes.
7. Participation in guided sports activities requires booking in advance. During checks carried out by instructors, all participants must show their booking confirmation. Anyone who cannot show a booking confirmation may be suspended for eight days maximum. The member is not entitled to a refund for the suspension period. Individual fitness training, independent sports activities and use of the locker rooms do not require booking.
8. Anyone who does not appear for a booked activity or does not check in may have their ASVZ trial membership suspended for up to eight days.
9. Trial members who never make use of the facilities or attend any activities are not entitled to a fee reduction or refund. The trial membership cannot be paused or refunded.
10. The ASVZ reserves the right to charge a fee of CHF 60 for expenses incurred.
11. During spot checks carried out by our security firm, ASVZ employees or facility management, all persons must show proof of their ASVZ trial membership and a valid online booking confirmation. Anyone who cannot show proof of trial membership will be charged a fee of CHF 100. This fee will be doubled in case of repeated violation.
12. The digital ASVZ trial membership is personal and non-transferable and cannot be modified. Anyone who violates this rule, will result in the withdrawal of the membership without entitlement to a refund. In addition, the violating member (who transfers their membership to someone else) will be charged a fee of CHF 100. The ASVZ reserves the right to file a criminal complaint.
13. ASVZ trial members are obliged to follow instructions given by staff and to strictly abide by the house rules, fair-play rules and hygiene regulations. Serious and/or repeated violation of these rules and regulations will result in the offender being placed under an exclusion order and having their trial membership revoked without a refund.
14. The ASVZ is not liable for any damage to persons or property arising during ASVZ sports activities or in the ASVZ facilities. Engaging in physical activity carries an increased risk of injury and discomfort, especially for beginners and men over 45 and women over 55. If you have any of these health problems (asvz.ch/welcome), a medical examination and fitness consultation are recommended before starting to exercise. The ASVZ is not liable for any loss of personal effects, valuables, clothing etc. or any loss or damage of objects stored in lockers. The ASVZ trial member is responsible for taking out their own insurance for such cases.
15. ASVZ trial members acknowledge and accept that the conditions of participation may change at short notice and that activities may be cancelled without a refund due to acts of nature beyond control (e.g. a pandemic) and/or authority regulations.
16. In case of emergencies, violation of house rules, illegal behavior or other extraordinary events, personal information will be recorded and passed on internally for case handling purposes.
17. Any photos and film footage with members resulting from their participation in ASVZ sports activities may be permanently stored by the ASVZ and used for multimedia communication purposes without compensation.
18. Some sports facilities are equipped with surveillance cameras for security purposes and are marked accordingly. The video surveillance is not operated by the ASVZ.
19. By signing the trial membership agreement or accepting the GCC electronically, ASVZ trial members confirm that they have completed the application form accurately and truthfully.
20. By signing the trial membership agreement or accepting the GCC electronically, ASVZ trial members confirm that they have read and agree with the General Conditions of Contract for ASVZ trial membership.
21. The ASVZ membership must be paid in advance at the ASVZ information desk or through the online desk using a credit card, debit card or Twint.
22. If the trial member applies for an annual membership within two weeks after expiration of the trial membership, the annual membership can be extended by the same amount of time as the trial membership lasted (3 or 30 days). To do so, the member must inform the ASVZ at info@asvz.ch once they have purchased their annual ASVZ membership.
23. The ASVZ membership expires automatically at the end of the contract period. Members will receive an e-mail with information on how to renew their contract before the membership expires.

24. This agreement is subject to **Swiss law**. The **place of jurisdiction is Zurich**.