



# Vereniging Schermzaal Ter Weer

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## Ter Weer in short

### The fencing club

Ter Weer is a fencing club for all ages. Starting at the age of 7 years everyone, boy and girl, man and woman, can learn to fence here, recreational or competitive. For the last couple of decades the number of members varies between 40 and 70, from aged 7 to 84. The trainings are catered for in an enjoyable atmosphere. For the youth this will mostly be class teaching. The older and more experienced youth fencers practice more independent, fence with electric equipment and get more individual guidance. Ter Weer specializes in foil, a stabbing weapon which takes high demand on technique and tactics. Because of the ease of handling the foil is pre-eminently the weapon for beginners.

### The committee

The club has a committee. This committee takes care of all matters which are needed to make fencing possible. They provide accommodation; equipment and the necessary facilities (pay the rent, phone bills, cleaning etc.) The committee is responsible for the continuation of the club. Every year there is a general meeting, in which the committee renders account to the members and presents the plans for the upcoming period. The committee has put all fencing related matters in the hands of a teacher (Maître). This means the committee facilitates and the maître executes.

### Maître

Fencing club Ter Weer was founded in 1939 by Maître P.C. Ter Weer. Nowadays the expert guidance is in the hands of maître Floris Nonhebel. The maître teaches, guides and coaches the fencers.

<b>Monday</b>  Hall open;  17:20 to 21:15	17:30 to 18:30	Youth beginners class
	18:30 to 19:45	Class training electric
	19:45 to 21:00	Competition training
<b>Tuesday</b>  Hall open;  18:50 to 22:45	19:00 to 20:15	Youth training (and JOP)
	20:15 to 20:30	Game time youth and senior (warming-up)
	20:30 to 21:15	Class training senior / individual lessons
	21:15 to 22:30	Individual lessons / sparring time senior
<b>Friday</b>  Hall open;  18:20 to 22:45	18:30 to 19:30	Class training girls
	19:30 to 20:30	Youth training (and JOP)
	20:30 to 21:15	Individual lessons senior + cadet training
	21:15 to 22:30	Sparring time senior

### **Youth Training Program (JOP)**

Ter Weer has a special training program for youth fencers; JOP. Goal of the program is to enlarge the number of competitive youth fencers and to see that boys and girls aged 14 and up join the national selections. All JOP-etes follow at least two, but preferably three training sessions per week. Every week they have an individual training from their JOP-trainer. All JOP-etes compete in at least five pre-selected tournaments. At these tournaments they will receive guidance and coaching. There's also a JOP-light program for children who don't want to (or can) spend too much time and effort on a training program. There are less stringent rules in JOP-light, and it can be seen as a preparation for the regular JOP program.

### **Tournaments**

Ter Weer organizes a couple of tournaments for its members, like the Rowdy van Tol Tournament. In conjunction with three other regional clubs we organize 4 times a year the Randstad tournament. Alongside these there are national and international tournaments in which our members partake, like the Jeugdpunten tournament, the annual ESTEC invitation tournament, The weapon of Vlagtwedde-tournament and several other tournaments in Germany and Paris

### **Communication**

Communication to and with our members primarily takes place by e-mail. If you don't have an e-mail address please do tell us. On our website [terweer.nl](http://terweer.nl) you can always find the latest news and the competition calendar.

### **Other activities**

The club also organizes a couple of other, enjoyable activities, like an annual outing. Last few years for instance there was a sailing weekend and an afternoon rock climbing.

## Membership fee and tuition fee

Members of Ter Weer pay an annual membership fee to the club and monthly a tuition fee to the maître. Furthermore there must be paid a registration fee. These fees must be paid by all members from application until a written termination notice is received by the committee.

### Registration fee

A registration fee of € 10,00 must be paid with every application from a new member. In return for this the new member receives the information package. And after acquiring ones own fencing vest you will receive a club badge.

### Membership fee

All members receive an invoice from the treasurer for the annual membership fee in December for the upcoming year. The amount will be specified at the annual general meeting in February by the committee.

The membership fee consists of two parts;

# A club part. This is to pay the rent for the hall and equipment (mask, glove, vest and weapon) in the beginning of your membership.

# And a part for membership of the KNAS (the Dutch fencing association) This mandatory membership includes an accident and liability insurance. This part of the membership fee is always for a calendar year, there is no restitution at an earlier termination of membership.

	Youth (up to 16 yrs)	Youth (ages 16 to 20)	Adult (21 yrs up)
Membership fee	€ 155,00	€ 155,00	€ 165,00
KNAS fee	€ 22,25	€ 22,25	€ 44,50
Tuition fee	€ 240,00	€ 276,00	€ 276,00
Total annually	€ 417,25	€ 453,25	€ 485,50

### Payment of membership fee

Within 30 days after receiving invoice;  
Account number ING; NL33INGB0003394717  
Attn. of SCHERMZAAL TER WEER

Adres; Treasurer Schermzaal Ter Weer  
p/a Ruychrocklaan 102  
2597 ER, Den Haag

### Attention; Tuition fee

This must be paid directly to the maître, Floris Nonhebel. Preferably by direct debit (mentioning pupils name and which month/year) to;

Account number ING; NL36INGB0002032880  
Attn. of F. Nonhebel te Pijnacker

The tuition fee must be paid up front and come to;

# Youth members up to 16 yrs; € 20,00 per month (€240,00 annual)  
# Member aged 16 and up; € 23,00 per month (€ 276,00 annual)

Tuition fee has to be paid twelve months per year, irrespective of the actual presence of the member at training nights, starting from joining up until and including the month of termination of the membership. All club members pay tuition fee.

### **Membership; privileges and obligations**

As a member of Ter Weer you have to deal with some rules of play, privileges and obligations. Most of them are obvious.

#### **Privileges**

All members are entitled to, as long as they meet all obligations and conditions, practice fencing. Among this goes the opportunity to fence independent under guidance of the teacher or his assistants. While doing this members have to adhere to the days and times the committee has specified in consultation with the teacher. Within training days times have been specified in which distinction has been made to age and / or fencing experience.

All pupils have the right to get lessons. The paying of the tuition fees gives the privilege to receive lesson in the broadest meaning of the concept. Lessons could consist of individual lesson, group training, coaching during training and coaching and guidance during tournaments. To this end the teacher has the possibility to give the guidance he deems necessary or desirable. He can also let his assistants do this for him. There are no limitations to the lessons given, the pupil is expected to balance this with the teacher in conjunction with training effort of the pupil and the guidance of the teacher.

During training and lessons a teacher will be present. The teacher is responsible for catering both individual lesson as well as group training. Furthermore the teacher will be present at tournaments as much as possible and he will offer, within his capabilities, as much as he can of what the pupils ask. The teacher has an individual contract with each student. There is a mutual obligation between club and teacher which means that all members of Ter Weer are also student of the teacher and the other way round. The teacher can be assisted by assistant trainers who, under his auspices, give training and lesson.

The students can participate in tournaments, subject to consent of the teacher. The teacher and the committee retain the right to deny members to participate in tournaments. Reasons not to let members participate are; not meeting the obligation to pay the fees, not being ready for a tournament (not trained well enough), not having the right equipment, not enough attendants available (trainers or referees), negative experiences from the past and not complying to the criteria as laid down by the KNAS. The member represents the club and the teacher outside the hall and need to comply to the applicable conventions and values within the fencing sport in general and specifically the values and conventions of the club.

#### **Membership of the KNAS**

All members of Ter Weer are joined with the national fencing federation the KNAS, in full the Koninklijke Nederlandse Algemene Schermbond, The Royal Dutch Fencing Federation. The KNAS takes care of the infrastructure of dutch fencing. This comprises among others to provide the possibility to organize tournaments, educate referees and teachers and cater the needed infrastructure for top-class sport and recreational sport. The KNAS membership also comprises a third-party liability insurance which covers affairs not covered by normal third-party liability insurance, as fencing is looked upon as a risk-bearing sport. The KNAS has two types of membership;

# A recreational membership, for everyone actively participating in fencing, but does not partake on international level or dutch championships

# A competition membership, with which one can participate in national championships and international tournaments. The results of competitive fencers are also kept on the national ranking list.

## **Pecuniary obligations**

In the articles of association and the club rules is stated that;

1. The membership is acquired by applying to the committee, which decides about the acceptance.
2. If the application is rejected, appeal can be made to the general meeting.
3. If the membership is terminated, it can only be renewed if all financial obligations are met.
4. The membership is ended by;
  - a. A written termination at least two months before the end of the year (December 31<sup>st</sup>).
  - b. Decease.
  - c. Defunct right to membership by proposal of the committee to the general meeting.
  - d. Not having paid the membership fee before the beginning of the second half of the year.
2. Honorary members, meritorious members and contributors can brake their ties with the club by a written termination at least two months before the end of the year (December 31<sup>st</sup>). As such they can be deemed defunct by the general meeting.

In addition to this the club, by means of the committee, has an agreement with a teacher. In this agreement it is, among others, specified that *all* members are also due to pay tuition fee to the teacher. This tuition fee has to be paid up front.

## **Termination of membership**

The membership can be discontinued by the member if the member at least two months before the actual termination of the membership gives written notice of termination to the committee and the teacher. Termination can be done before the 1<sup>st</sup> of January or the 1<sup>st</sup> of July. In the latter case 50% of the paid membership fee will be restituted by the club. (Excluding the fee due to the KNAS).

The tuition fee is paid monthly to the teacher and therefore can be ended monthly, provided that a months notice up front is maintained.

The membership can also be discontinued by the committee if the member comes short of his obligations. This can be not paying in time of the indebted fees, both membership or tuition. Discontinuation of the membership does not relieve the member of the obligation to pay. Furthermore the teacher, as well as the committee, can refuse a member admittance to the fencing hall based upon misbehavior or bad conduct.

## **Obligations**

Members of Ter Weer will comply to the existing rules of the fencing sport in general and especially to the rules of the club. All members will behave correctly towards fellow members and fellow sporters. Herewith belongs regard of the safety rules and respect for each others rights. Misbehavior in or outside the fencing hall can lead to suspension or termination of membership.

## **Third party liability**

Seeing that fencing is a so called risk-bearing sport, it is not unthinkable that accidents happen during training or tournaments. Basic assumption is that everybody who fences is aware of the risks involved. To minimize chances of injuries, everyone has to comply to the rules as are specified for fencing. This means for instance wearing the proper safety equipment and adhering to the trainers instructions. The teacher is responsible for the course of events during lessons and training. If an occurrence happens during training or other fencing related activities, the teacher is answerable for this. Supposing that he has taken care of well-considered conditions during fencing / sporting the consequences are for the practitioner. The teacher nor the committee can be held liable in case of these events.

## **Possible conflicts**

If a conflict arises between members and the committee or the teacher, it is agreed that the general meeting gives a verdict on the matter at hand. All parties need to comply to a decree issued by the general meeting. Before it comes to this however, all efforts will be made to solve the conflict by means of bilateral conversation.



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## INSCHRIJVINGSFORMULIER - SUBSCRIPTION FORM MEMBERSHIP TER WEER

Hierbij schrijf ik tot schriftelijke wederopzegging in het minderjarig kind / de volwassene :

*Hereby I apply for membership of myself (adult) / my child ....*

Achternaam met voorvoegsel (Family name)
Voorletters (Letters of Christian name(s))
Roepnaam (First name)
Adres (Address)
Postcode & Woonplaats (Postal code and City)
Telefoon (vast & mobiel) (Phone land line & mobile)
Geboortedatum (Date of Birth)
E-mailadres (email address)

... als lid van de Vereniging van leerlingen en oud-leerlingen van de Schermzaal Ter Weer.  
Ik ben bekend met de voorwaarden genoemd in de statuten van deze vereniging en verbind me hierbij mij aan deze voorwaarden te houden.

*... I have read and understood the terms of this membership, and promise to uphold these rules as a member of Schermvereniging Ter Weer.*

De in de statuten genoemde opzeggingstermijn is twee maanden voor aanvang van het nieuwe verenigingsjaar (1 januari). Opzeggen kan ook voor 1 juli, eveneens met een opzegtermijn van twee maanden. Het lidmaatschap kan slechts beëindigd worden door schriftelijke opzegging (per brief of e-mail).  
.. According to the legal terms of this membership I can only suspend or end membership by sending a letter or email **two months before** **january 1st (whole year termination membership) or july 1st (half year termination membership).**

Naam (Christian name + family name)	
Datum (Date)	Handtekening (Signature)
Plaats (City)	

Indien u de statuten van onze vereniging niet in uw bezit heeft en deze alsnog wenst te ontvangen, kunt u contact opnemen met dhr. J. Olie: [secretaris@terweer.nl](mailto:secretaris@terweer.nl)

*Please ask for our Legal terms (in Dutch) if you have lost them. Send an email to the secretary.*

**Stuur dit inschrijvingsformulier volledig ingevuld naar/ Fill out this form and send it to:**

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Caan van Necklaan 210  
2281BR Rijswijk**