



City of Portsmouth Athletic Club Full Membership (without track) Policy

Membership Overview

This policy governs the **Full Membership (without track) Plan** for the City of Portsmouth Athletic Club (CoPAC). The Independent Membership Plan allows members over 18 who train independently, therefore not making use of track or field facilities at Mountbatten Centre or accessing coaching to join CoPAC at a discounted rate.

Membership Duration

This Membership Plan is valid from the time of purchase until 31st March 2026. All memberships will automatically terminate on this date, regardless of the date of purchase (unless purchased between 1st January 2026 - 31st March 2026; in which case membership will be carried forward the the next membership year, expiring on 31st March 2027 -*applies to new members only*).

Members must renew their membership subscription to continue their membership beyond this period.

Eligibility Criteria

To qualify for the Full Membership (without track) Plan:

- The member must be confident they will not want to make use of the track or field facilities at Mountbatten Centre for the duration of the membership.
- The member must be over 18 years of age at the start of the membership year.

Membership Fees

The membership fee for this Membership Plan is set at the time of purchase and is non-refundable. Fees are subject to annual review and may change for future membership years.

Membership Renewal

- This Membership Plan is not automatically renewed.
- A new membership plan must be purchased for the next membership year starting 1st April 2026.
- Members will be notified of renewal options prior to the expiration date.

Membership Benefits

Full Membership (without track) provides access to:

- Competition opportunities.
- Member-exclusive activities and discounts where applicable.
- Club affiliation
- Entry to:
 - National track, cross country & road/XC relay championships
 - Southern track, cross country & road/xc relay championships
 - National Athletics League (subject to selection)
 - Southern Athletics League
 - Veterans/Masters league (over 35)
 - Hampshire League Cross Country
 - Wessex League Cross Country

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- Free travel to events listed above (when over 50 miles away)
- England Athletics Affiliation (competition licence) - Members must adhere to the England Athletics Senior Code of Conduct, available here:
 - [Senior Athlete Code of Conduct](#)

Cancellation & Refunds

- Membership fees are non-refundable.
- Members may choose to cancel their membership, but no partial refunds will be issued.

Code of Conduct

All members must adhere to CoPAC's rules, policies, and code of conduct. Failure to do so may result in membership suspension or termination.

Amendments to Policy

CoPAC reserves the right to amend this membership policy as needed. Members will be notified of any significant changes.

For any questions regarding this policy, please [contact](#) CoPAC administration.

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