

# General terms and conditions (GTC) of ASHTANGA YOGA RAUM FRANKFURT (AYRF)

## 1. Range of application

These GTC are valid for all offers of AYRF at all places of work. They are handed out to all members of AYRF at their registration, before they take part at classes. These GTC are an integral part of any member contracts.

## 2. Eligibility requirements/liabilities

The participant declares, throughout the participation at all offers or classes of AYRF, that he does not carry any health or medical risks. If the state of health will change after the conclusion of a contract as far as the participation would be limited or any health risks could occur, AYRF will be informed, so the teachings and the yoga-practice can be adjusted individually regarding the issue which occurred.

Utilization of immovable property and participation at any offers or classes of AYRF is always on own risk. AYRF is only taking over responsibility or liability for participant's injuries or damages in case of gross carelessness or deliberate intention.

AYRF takes no responsibility at all for objects of value brought to AYRF. The members and participants (MAP) are prompted herewith to not bring objects of value. If objects of value are brought with, please keep them close by you.

## 3. Personal data

All MAP of AYRF are herewith informed about the collection and electronic savings of their personal data for processing purposes. The regulations of the federal data protection act are complied. The members and participants agree to the utilization of their personal data for these purposes, e.g. receiving a newsletter.

All contract holders will inform AYRF immediately about significant changes in their personal data as far as the changes relate to the contract with AYRF, especially addresses and bank details, if payment is made by direct payment.

## 4. Membership/Fees

The memberships of AYRF starts with the first day of the following month after signing the contract and they have a notice period of three (3) months to the end of each month. Cancellation notes have to be sent in written form (postal mail or email to [cancellation@ayrf.de](mailto:cancellation@ayrf.de)). Cancellation notes have to be sent in to the end of a month, the cancellation will be due to the end of the third month followed by the notice of cancellation. AYRF is entitled to cancel any membership to the end of every month without any reasons. No resting periods are offered.

If a member books a monthly shower option, this option will become part of the regular membership; this need to be regulated in written form, too. Shower cards and 10 cards are valid all times, as long as AYRF is in business. Shower cards and 10 cards are not refundable.

The membership fee is to be paid in advance in the beginning of every month through direct payment. The members accept a direct debit authorization with the assignment of the contract. If the direct payment is refused by the members bank, AYRF is entitled to impose € 20,00 as an expense allowance.

Memberships are not assignable. Memberships include the participation at regular classes (regular class schedule), but they do not include the participation at workshops or other offers.

AYRF is entitled to change the current fee. The alterations in prices will be announced in advance.

If the value added tax (VAT), which is included in every fee, is changed by law, AYRF is entitled to change the fees without a notification in advance.

## 5. Changes in offers of AYRF/Opening hours

AYRF is entitled to change the offer of classes, the class schedule, the opening hours, the location where the classes are taking place and is entitled to set a maximum of participants in classes, if this is needed to ensure the proper course of classes. Members are not entitled to reduce the monthly fee in these cases.

In case of illness, vacation or other hindrances of teachers of AYRF, AYRF will try to organize a substitution. In some cases, classes can be cancelled. In these cases, members are not entitled to reduce the monthly fee. Closing times based on vacations, renovations as well as on special opening hours based on national holidays will be announced in time and in advanced. In these cases, members are not entitled to reduce the monthly fee.

## 6. Principle of solidarity

Money shouldn't be the reason for someone to not being able to join classes offered by AYRF. Everyone should have the possibility to practice Ashtanga Vinyasa Yoga in a group and under guidance of a teacher. AYRF does not exclude students, who are in financially uncomfortable situations, from taking part at classes offered by AYRF. Anyone, who is not able to pay the full monthly contribution because of financial reasons, is more than welcome to negotiate a suitable monthly contribution until the full amount will be affordable. The principle of solidarity applies to workshops of AYRF as well.

The principle of solidarity, of course, is limited by the financial possibilities of AYRF. Everyone is welcome to support the principle of solidarity: Voluntarily, members can raise their monthly contribution by 5,00 – 35,00 € (10-Card-Owners: 10,00 - 20,00 € extra). The cancellation note for the solidarity fee needs to be sent by mail to [cancellation@ayrf.de](mailto:cancellation@ayrf.de) with a cancellation will be due to the end of the next month followed by the notice of the cancellation.

## 7. Miscellaneous

Unwritten agreements are not made. Changes and additions of these GTC and all membership contracts must be in written form. Place of jurisdiction is Frankfurt am Main. If one or more regulations of these GTC or of memberships contracts will become ineffective, the other regulations will stay unaffected.