

CONSTITUTION of Flying Club @ Oregon State
Adopted October 2015

Article I - Name

The name of this organization shall be the Flying Club @ Oregon State. This student club has no legal connection to the Oregon State Flying Club, Inc.

Article II - Purpose

The purposes of this association are to promote general aviation within Oregon State University and to educate the community about general aviation issues. This student organization does not own any aircraft or coordinate any aircraft rentals.

Article III - Members

Section 1. Active Members shall be enrolled students at Oregon State University and have paid the monthly dues determined by the Oregon State Flying Club Bylaws.

Section 2. All voting members and officers of Oregon State University Flying Club must be currently enrolled for at least 6 credits at Oregon State University and pay student fees.

Section 3. Membership shall not be denied to any student on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, age, marital status, disability, disabled veteran or Vietnam era veteran status.

Article IV - Officers

Section 1. The officers of the association shall be President, Vice-President, Public Relations, and Treasurer. These officers shall perform the duties prescribed by the constitution and bylaws and by the parliamentary authority adopted by the association.

Section 2. Officers shall be nominated in September or October each year and the candidates receiving the most votes shall be named to their respective offices.

Section 3. Officers shall be elected to serve for one year or until their successors are elected, and their terms of office shall begin at the close of the meeting at which they are elected.

Section 4. Vacancies in offices shall be filled by nomination and voting of a quorum of active members present at the meeting.

Section 5. Officers shall have earned at least 6 credit hours in their most recently completed term. This requirement does not apply to first-term freshmen or first-term transfer students.

Section 6. Officers shall be registered for at least 6 hours currently. Officers shall not be on disciplinary probation.

Section 7. Officers shall have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00 and not have been on probation for the most recently completed term prior to the term of election.

Section 8. A graduate student must pay student fees and meet the same requirements as an undergraduate student with the exception that full time status shall be a minimum of 6 hours with a minimum cumulative GPA of 3.00.

Article V - Meetings

Section 1. There shall be at least one member meeting each fall, winter, and spring terms. These meetings are open to all members and otherwise interested parties. If necessary, additional meetings may be called by the President.

Section 2. Special meetings may be called by the President shall be called upon the written request of the association. The purpose of the meeting shall be stated in the notice and three days' notice shall be given except in cases of emergency.

Section 3. Fifty-one percent (51%) of the members of the association present at a meeting shall constitute a quorum.

Section 4. Meetings may be conducted via e-mail or teleconference provided that the members who reply to the e-mail thread or are present on the conference call represent a quorum, as defined in Section 3.

Article VI - Advisor

One or more advisors shall be elected each year in the same manner as the association's officers.
Responsibilities shall be those assigned by Oregon State University's Student Conduct Regulations.

Article VII - Procedures for Removing an Officer and/or Revoking Membership

An officer may be removed from office and a membership revoked based on actions harmful to the welfare and of the club and/or the club's members by following due process. The officer or member will be informed, the cause(s) for removal shall be documented, and the member/officer shall be given a designated amount of time to change, during which time the offending officer or member will be referred to campus resources/advisors for guidance. After said period of time documented reoccurrence of behavior will result in immediate suspension of membership.

Article VIII - Amendments

This constitution may be amended at any regular meeting of the association by two-thirds vote, provide that the amendment has been submitted in writing at the previous regular meeting. All amendments must be approved by the Student Events and Activates Center.