

# Registration Form

## SCA - SchermCentrum Amsterdam



### Undersigned:

First and last name: ..... (M / F)

Address: .....

Zip code + city: .....

Date of birth: ..... (dd-mm-yyyy)

Nationality: .....

Home and cellphone: .....

E-mail (incl. parent's e-mail for youth members): .....

For youth member: name and phone nr. parents: .....

requests to be accepted to this club by the Board of SchermCentrum Amsterdam as:

- ☐ **youth member** (up to age 18) € 30
- ☐ **student member** (student ID) € 37
- ☐ **senior member** € 43
- ☐ **guest member** (union member via other club) € 23

- I promise to adhere to the obligations the membership entails, as stated in the welcome letter, the Statutes and the Bylaws.
- I am aware that I must become a member of the Koninklijke Nederlandse Algemene Schermbond (KNAS: Royal Dutch General Fencing Union) unless I'm already a member of a foreign Fencing Union and that the fee for this will be collected via an automatic withdrawal once every year. I am aware that SCA members are obliged to pay all costs that KNAS collects via the club, but are meant for individual members, e.g. KNAS fee, contribution for referees, penalties (FIE and KNAS) etc.
- I am aware that the monthly contribution will be collected via an automatic withdrawal, for which I have filled out and signed the necessary forms. **See overleaf!**
- I am aware that if I damage or lose material that belongs to the club, I will be held responsible for reimbursing the exact amount.
- I am aware of the fact that I can only terminate my club membership by email to [leden@schermcentrumamsterdam.nl](mailto:leden@schermcentrumamsterdam.nl), which is subject to a notice of at least 1 (calendar) month and that the membership fee must be paid until the final date of which I will receive a confirmation, even when not coming to training. Verbal communication will never count as ending a membership.
- I am aware that SCA does not assume responsibility for loss of personal belongings, and that SCA is not responsible for injury caused by fencing, at or outside of the club.
- I agree with the privacy policy, as stated on the website of SCA. I know that SCA can post photos and videos of fencers on social media posts wherein I may be depicted, but that I can always object to their usage by e-mailing to [leden@schermcentrumamsterdam.nl](mailto:leden@schermcentrumamsterdam.nl).

☐ **Yes, I give my permission to SCA to use my e-mail address for sending the newsletter with information concerning the club, e.g. tournaments, training nights, parties etc.**

Signature: ..... Amsterdam, ..... - ..... - .....  
(dd) (mm) (yyyy)



## Continuous Authorization SEPA

Name	SchermaCentrum Amsterdam
Address	Frans Otten Stadion, IJsbaanpad 43
Zip code and City	1076 CV Amsterdam
Country	Netherlands
Payee ID	NL22ZZZ405337780000

By signing this form, you grant permission to SchermaCentrum Amsterdam to send continuous automatic withdrawal requests to your bank to withdraw an amount from your bank account, and you hereby permit your bank to continuously withdraw this amount requested by SchermaCentrum Amsterdam from your account.

The withdrawal concerns the collection of the membership fee and KNAS-membership fee. One-time administration costs to the amount of one month membership fee costs are applicable and are charged the first month.

If you do not agree with the withdrawal, you can request a return. Contact your bank within 8 weeks after withdrawal for this return. Ask about the terms and conditions.

Name	_____
Address	_____
Zip code and city	_____
Country	_____
Email address	_____
IBAN	_____
Bank Identification (BIC) (Not required for Dutch IBAN)	_____
City and date	_____
Signature	

# SchermaCentrum Amsterdam (SCA)

IJsbaanpad 43  
1076 CV Amsterdam

IBAN NL75INGB0005258301  
KvK 40533778

Dear new member,

Welcome to SchermaCentrum Amsterdam, also known as SCA! We are very pleased to welcome you to our club as a new member. This letter is to inform you about the possibilities and responsibilities that are connected to your new membership. Please contact the coaches and Board with any additional questions. The club's Statutes and Bylaws are available for inspection in the fencing hall.

## Information

SCA is an active club. We often have important, fun, and interesting information to share with you. We do this in several ways:

- All information regarding SCA and its activities is available on our website, [www.schermaCentrumamsterdam.nl](http://www.schermaCentrumamsterdam.nl). Visit this website often for news, tournament results, pictures and any additional information
- SCA also actively uses a newsletter. You will be signed up automatically upon becoming a member if you checked the box on the registration form. Via this group, we will inform you about upcoming tournaments, meetings, and other important fencing news.
- SCA is also active on Facebook ([www.facebook.com/schermaCentrumamsterdam](https://www.facebook.com/schermaCentrumamsterdam)), Twitter ([www.twitter.com/scamsterdam](https://www.twitter.com/scamsterdam)) and Instagram (sca\_amsterdam). These social media accounts are used by many members to maintain social contacts within the club. Messages published on the website and the mailing list are also published on these accounts.

## Membership

SCA has four different types of memberships with different fees:

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| - youth member (up to age 18)                  | € 30 |
| - student member (student ID)                  | € 37 |
| - senior member                                | € 43 |
| - guest member (union member via another club) | € 23 |

The contribution is automatically withdrawn on a monthly basis.

We would like to receive the filled out and signed automatic withdrawal form as soon as possible, together with the filled-out membership form.

In case of serious disease, injury or temporary stay outside The Netherlands, longer than 4 months, you can send a *request* to suspend the monthly fee to [leden@schermacentrumamsterdam.nl](mailto:leden@schermacentrumamsterdam.nl). The board will decide if the request will be granted. The period of notice of one month is due. When you come back, the first month is free of charge. You will receive a confirmation.

In the case that you want to terminate your membership, you can only do so **via e-mail** ([leden@schermacentrumamsterdam.nl](mailto:leden@schermacentrumamsterdam.nl)), which is subject to a notice of at least one month counting from the day the e-mail has been received. Verbal communication of ending a membership to a coach or club member or using other e-mail addresses will not count as a termination of membership. You will receive a confirmation with the final date. Until then the membership fee must be paid, even when not coming to training.

## KNAS fee

Next to the membership fee, each member will be signed up as a member of the KNAS (Royal Dutch General Fencing Union). The club pays a fee for each member, which will then be passed on for payment to the individual members. This will happen per half or whole year, depending on the date of the start of the club membership. This fee will also be collected via an automatic withdrawal.

The KNAS-membership is mandatory due to the associated WA-insurance for clubs and fencers. The contribution is also used to support the sport through organization of tournaments, training for referees and coaches, and maintaining the website. SCA members are obliged to pay back all costs that KNAS collects via the club, but are meant for individual members, e.g. KNAS fee, contribution for referees, penalties (FIE and KNAS) etc.



### Equipment

The club is in possession of a limited number of basic equipment sets, which are available to new fencers for free. This set is made up of a fencing jacket, mask, glove, weapon and body wire. It is expected of new members to begin purchasing their own equipment after approximately 3 months of membership. After one year, each member is supposed to have his own complete set. The club offers several opportunities to buy equipment. Group orders and equipment repair courses are organized on a regular basis. Please contact one of the coaches for purchase or repair of equipment.

### Practice

The club offers different practice options for fencers. These all take place in the 'Bep van der Pol' fencing hall in the Frans Otten Stadion (IJsbaanpad 43, 1076 CV Amsterdam) and on Wednesdays in the Apollohal (Apollolaan 4, Amsterdam) Fencers are encouraged to participate in all practice sessions they are admitted to. The schedule:

Day	Time	Group	Location	Coaches
Monday	19:00 – 20:30	Beginners/Recreational	FOS	Matthijs & Daniël
Monday	20:00 – 22:00	Competitive fencers *	FOS	Matthijs, Daniël & Arash
Tuesday	18:00 – 19:00	Youth <11	FOS	Matthijs, Daniël & Elise
Tuesday	19:00 – 20:30	Youth <16	FOS	Matthijs, Daniël & Elise
Tuesday	20:30 – 22:00	Adults	FOS	Matthijs, Daniël & Rezk
Wednesday	16:30 – 17:45	Youth <11	Apollohal	Daniël
Wednesday	17:45 – 19:00	Youth <16	Apollohal	Daniël
Wednesday	19:00 – 21:00	Adults	Apollohal	Daniël
Thursday	18:00 – 19:00	Youth <11	FOS	Matthijs & Daniël
Thursday	19:00 – 20:30	Youth <16	FOS	Matthijs & Daniël
Thursday	20:30 – 22:00	Adults	FOS	Matthijs, Daniël & Arash
Friday	19:00 – 20:30	Youth <11 and Youth <16	FOS	Matthijs & Daniël
Friday	20:00 – 22:00	Adults	FOS	Matthijs, Daniël & Rezk

*\*Admissible by invitation only*

The format of practice sessions is mostly similar in all groups and consist of a group warm-up and footwork followed by sparring and individual lessons with the coaches. The individual lessons are meant as supplementary to the classical practice and are as equally distributed amongst the interested fencers as possible. In consultation with the coaches, competitive fencers can follow structural lessons. Guest members are excluded from individual lessons.

### Finally,

Hopefully we have adequately informed you about the club with this letter. Feel free to contact us with any questions at the club, via [training@schermcentrumamsterdam.nl](mailto:training@schermcentrumamsterdam.nl) or [leden@schermcentrumamsterdam.nl](mailto:leden@schermcentrumamsterdam.nl) or by phone: Matthijs Rohlf, 06-12997169.

We wish you lots of fencing fun!