

Cha Don Ryu Club

Constitution

Article I

Name & Purpose

- Section 1 This organization shall be known as the Cha Don Ryu Club.
Section 2 The purpose of this organization is to teach self-defense as well as educating its members about Asian customs and philosophies.

Article II

Membership Policy

- Section 1 Membership will only be open to currently enrolled students, staff, and faculty of NCSU who are interested in the organization.
Section 3 Membership will only be approved by the Head Instructor, Mr. Truong Duc Nguyen.
Section 4. Brief interview of the person interested may be conducted by Mr. Truong Duc Nguyen if needed.

Article III

Requirements for Maintaining Membership

- Section 1 Members of this organization may have no more than two absences per four weeks.
Section 2 Any members failure to have an excuse acceptable by NC State will loose their membership status.
Clause 1 (Illness, death in the family, religious activities, or conflict in work class schedule such as tests, lectures, labs will be excused, and any others accepted by NC States' Policy for excused absences.)
Section 3 Any member who is reported by university official or law official for violating NC States Code of Conduct or illegal actions will be handled by the Head Instructor. A request for appeal may be permitted by the offender which will be held by the four officers and the head instructor.

Article IV

Officers

- Section 1 Officers shall be elected once a year by the organization.
Section 2 The four officers will include President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasure. Officers will be elected by a majority vote of 2/3 of the present members.

Article V

Duties of the Officers

- Section 1 President will be in charge of the meetings. Take part in making announcements to the club and in charge of communicating with its members.
- Section 2 Vice-President will fill the President's position if the President can not attend a meeting. Assist the President and any other officers.
- Section 3 Secretary will keep accurate records including attendance, important events at meetings and proceedings. He/she will let the Head Instructor know when a member has two absences, or when a member has enough lessons for the next rank.
- Section 4 Treasurer will be in charge of the Club's finances. These include recording each financial activity, write receipts for dues, uniforms, and rank test fees.

Article VI

Dues

- Section 1 A fee of \$20.00 will be due at the beginning of each semester. Due date for this payment will be one week after the first official meeting of each semester.
- Section 2 Money collected shall be placed in a fund for the Club's use. These may include equipment, travel expenses, and demonstrations.
- Section 3 A fee of \$30.00 will be charged for each rank test which will be sent directly to Grand Master Kim Pyung Soo in order to receive a promotion to the next rank as well as a certificate.
- Section 4 Uniform is required for each members. The latest date for having a uniform will be the first rank test for each person.

Article VII

Amending the Constitution and By-laws

- Section 1 Amendments to the constitution or by-law shall be presented by any member and voted upon with a majority vote of 2/3 of the present members. At least 50% of the current members must be present in order to vote, with at least three of the four officers.

Article VIII

Meetings

- Section 1 Meetings will be held at the request of any officer. Members who have any concern must notify any officer in order to have a meeting.
- Section 2 Three of the four officers must be present with at least 50% of

- the current members in order to have a meeting.
- Section 3 Meetings will be once a month. Each member may miss no more than two meetings per semester. Excused absences will be permitted. See (Article III, Section 2, Clause 1).

Article IX

Ranks in Cha Don Ryu

- Section 1 Ranks will be approved by Grand Master Kim Pyung Soo. Test will be conducted either by the Head Instructor Mr. Truong Duc Nguyen or Master David L. Mitchell.
- Section 2 Rank test date will be announced two weeks in advance. Those who can not attend rank test at the specified date must notify the Head Instructor for approval.
- Section 3 Before wearing the belt for the next rank, one must first pay the fee for rank test.
- Section 4 Each member will sign a form that will prohibit the opening of a class that teaches Cha Don Ryu martial arts, unless approved the Grand Master Kim Pyung Soo.



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Laura Semprouch
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Dear Ms. Semprouch:

We have reviewed your organization's constitution and officers list and everything seems to be in proper order. You are now a registered student organization at North Carolina State University entitled to all privileges entailed in that status.

Understand that this registration in no way gives the University or Student Government responsibility for any financial liability which may be incurred by your group. Your status does, however, give you the opportunity to approach the Student Senate with a request for funds, and it gives you certain on-campus solicitation privileges.

Please be aware that we ask each student organization to update its file whenever there is a change of officers and at the beginning of each school year. Failure to do so will result in a loss of registration.

If the Department of Student Development can be of assistance to your group, please do not hesitate to call on us. Good luck with your new group.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "R. S. Bryan, Jr.".

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