

BYLAWS
of the
ARLINGTON-FAIRFAX JUNIOR CHAPTER
of
THE IZAAK WALTON LEAGUE OF AMERICA

ARTICLE I - MEMBERSHIP AND DUES

1. The annual membership dues shall be ten (\$10.00) dollars more than the cost of an Izaak Walton League of America Junior membership, payable on or before January 1, of each year.
2. Only active members between ten-years of age and their eighteenth birthday, or a full time high school student under the age of nineteen years, shall be eligible to hold office, vote at meetings or otherwise enjoy the privileges of the Organization.
3. Members between their nineteenth birthday and to the end of formal education shall be Junior Advisors.
4. Any member who by his conduct violates the ethics of any of the rules of this Junior Chapter or of the National Organization, may be expelled from membership by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors at a regular board meeting, provided the accused has been given at least ten-days' notice of the proposed action, and is given an opportunity to be heard before the board. All charges must be supported by affidavit.
5. Any member whose connection with this Junior Chapter shall be severed by resignation, death, expulsion, or otherwise, shall forfeit all interest in any funds or property belonging to this Junior Chapter.
6. **No Transfer of Membership**
Membership in the Arlington-Fairfax Youth Chapter is not transferable or assignable to any other person.
7. **Conflict Of Interest**
No Member shall have any ownership interest in any funds or property belonging to the Arlington-Fairfax Youth Chapter.
8. **Exemption Of Members' Private Property**
The private property of the Members of the Arlington-Fairfax Youth Chapter (including Members who are also serving as Directors and/or Officers at the time) shall not be assessable

for or otherwise subject to the debts, obligations, or liabilities of the Arlington-Fairfax Youth Chapter.

ARTICLE II - MEETINGS

1. Regular meetings of the Arlington-Fairfax Junior Chapter shall be held at the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter property as scheduled or called by the Board of Directors
2. Special meetings of the chapter may be called at any time by the President, or a majority of the Board of Directors, or not less than one-fifth of the active members, by mailing a written or printed notice stating the time and place of such meeting, at least five-days before the time of such meeting.
3. Twelve-members or 10% of the membership (whichever is less) shall constitute a quorum at a duly called meeting.

ARTICLE III - BOARD OF DIRECTORS

1. The Board of Directors shall meet at Arlington-Fairfax Chapter Property at a time designated by the President.
2. A majority of the Board of Directors shall constitute a quorum for transacting business.
3. Special meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held at the call of the President or at the request of a majority of the members of the board. Special meetings shall be held on not less than twenty-four hour e-mail or written notice.

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS

1. The officers of this Junior Chapter shall be elected to hold office for the term of one year; or until their respective successors are elected and qualified by the Board of Directors at its first meeting after the annual election of directors each year.
2. Only active members between ten-years of age and their nineteenth birthday, and who can complete their term of office prior to graduating from high school, shall be eligible to hold office.

3. The President shall be the chief executive officer of this Junior Chapter. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the Junior Chapter and of the Board of Directors and to perform such other duties as ordinarily pertain to this office.
4. The Vice-President shall, in the absence of the President, perform the duties of the President and such further duties as shall be assigned to them by the Board of Directors or the President.
5. The Secretary shall keep an accurate record in permanent form of all business transactions and shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed from time to time by the Board of Directors.
6. The Treasurer shall receive all money owing to the Junior Chapter; s/he shall deposit such money in the manner hereinafter prescribed; he shall annually account for the same to the Junior Chapter, and at such further times as requested by the Chapter Board of Directors. Upon his retirement from office he shall turn over to his successor all funds in his possession belonging to the Junior Chapter. The Treasurer and other Officers of the Chapter handling money shall furnish satisfactory bond the cost of which shall be paid by the Chapter.
7. The duties of all other officers shall be such as determined by the Board of Directors.
8. The directors of the Junior Chapter may at any time by a two-thirds vote ask for, demand, receive and accept the resignation of any officer of this Junior Chapter, and upon his or their refusal to tender such resignation or resign, the majority of said Board of Directors may dismiss him from office, declare said office vacant and elect his successor.
9. If any vacancy occurs during the year, in any one or more of the above offices, for any reason, the Board of Directors, at any regular or special meeting, may elect a successor or successors who shall hold office for the unexpired term of the vacancy.
10. The President of the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter will appoint an advisor to the Junior Chapter.
11. The Junior Chapter, at a two-thirds vote of the membership may petition the President of the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter to assign a new advisor.
12. All officers of the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter will provide advice and guidance to the equivalent Officer of the Junior Chapter

ARTICLE V - COMMITTEES

The President, with the consent and approval of the Board of Directors, shall appoint such standing and special committees as the Board of Directors shall direct. The President shall be an ex-officio member of all committees.

ARTICLE VI - FINANCES

1. The fiscal year of the Junior Chapter shall begin on the first day of January and end on the thirty-first day of December in each year.
2. All funds of the Junior Chapter shall be deposited with the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter's treasurer, in the name of the Junior Chapter. The Arlington-Fairfax Chapter Treasurer will hold the checkbook for the Junior Chapter
3. All disbursements shall be by check, signed by an Officer of the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter by direction of the Board of Directors of the Junior Chapter.
4. A thorough audit shall be made at least once each year by a committee designated by the Board of Directors and submitted at a regular meeting of the Junior Chapter.

President Arlington-Fairfax Chapter Inc

Secretary Arlington-Fairfax Chapter Inc

Date Signed _____

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