

**STAG LEAP RUNNING CO. SOCIETY
CONSTITUTION
OCTOBER 24, 2018**

ARTICLE I: NAME

Stag Leap Running Co. Society

ARTICLE II: PURPOSE

A local community trail running resource, set up by Abi and Michael Moore, in Fernie BC. The main goal is to facilitate trail running in the area and build the trail running community through club runs, races and events.

ARTICLE III: MEMBERSHIP

A: The club has an open membership policy, with no joining fee.

B: Members who actively take part in club runs and/or races/events are fully recognized by the club.

C: All members have equal rights in the club.

ARTICLE IV: MEETING

A: We will hold open members meetings the spring of each year.

B: We will contact members via email, as well as posting on our website and social media.

ARTICLE V: EXECUTIVE BOARD

A: As a Member-Funded Society, the two current officers are:

- Abi Moore: President, Race/Events Coordinator, Secretary
- Michael Moore: Vice-President, Treasurer

B: Any vacancies will be opened up to existing members in advance of our spring meeting.

ARTICLE VI: ELECTIONS

A: Positions other than President and Vice-President are available to be selected by the membership, for a minimum of a year up to four years. There is no limit as to how many times a person may hold a position.

B: Available positions will be posted, in advance of our annual spring meeting. Any active member may put their name forward for a position.

C: Nominees can present their qualifications in response to said posting. Elections will be at our annual spring meeting.

D: We will operate a two-round system of voting to nominate a member into a position.

ARTICLE VII: FUNDS

There is no joining fee for our Club. There are fees to compete in races and attend events. Such fees cover overheads, insurance, land use, facility/equipment rentals, food and racer giveaways.

ARTICLE VII: COMMITTEES/DIVISIONS

For larger races and events, volunteers are secured to cover roles such as First Aid, Marshals, Timing and Aid Stations.

ARTICLE IX: AFFILIATIONS

A: We are a Member Club of the Fernie Trails Alliance, a Member of Tourism Fernie, an affiliate Club of BC Athletics and a Member Club of International Trail Racing Association.

B: Our races and events are approved by and sanctioned by BC Athletics.

ARTICLE X: COACH/INSTRUCTOR

We offer no coaching or instruction at this time.

ARTICLE XI: RATIFICATION

The constitution will be made available to our membership via our website.

ARTICLE XII: AMENDMENTS

Any amendments to the constitution will be made prior to, and made available at, our annual spring meeting.

ARTICLE XIV: BYLAWS

Members will be made aware of any rules or regulations specific to the club via email and/or social media.