PEIPLA MEMBERSHIP POLICY

1. Purpose

The purpose of this membership policy is to outline the requirements, benefits, and responsibilities associated with becoming a member of PEI Powerlifting. Membership in PEI Powerlifting is open to individuals who support the goals and mission of the organization.

2. Membership Categories

PEI Powerlifting offers the following membership categories:

Competitive Member - Elite CPU membership: Individuals who participate in powerlifting competitions sanctioned by PEI Powerlifting and/or affiliated organizations.

Non-Competitive Member - Performance CPU membership: Individuals who do not compete in powerlifting competitions but wish to support the organization and participate in its activities.

Youth Lifter Member: Individuals under the age of 14 who meet the requirements of a competitive youth lifter

Special Olympics Member: Individuals who meet the requirements as an athlete with Special Olympics PEI.

For further information please consult CPU: https://www.canadianpowerliftingunion.com/membership

3. Membership Requirements

To become a member of PEI Powerlifting, individuals must:

Be resident of PEI which is defined as in possession of a PEI Health Card

Complete the membership application form available on the Canadian Powerlifting Union website.

Pay the annual membership fee as determined by the organization.

Adhere to the rules and regulations set forth by PEI Powerlifting, including the organization's Code of Conduct and Anti-Doping Policy.

4. Membership Benefits**

Members of PEI Powerlifting are entitled to the following benefits:

- Eligibility to compete in powerlifting competitions sanctioned by PEI Powerlifting and/or affiliated organizations.

Access to training resources, workshops, and seminars organized by PEI Powerlifting.

Representation and support from PEI Powerlifting in matters related to powerlifting at the Regional, national, and international levels.

Discounts on merchandise, event registrations, and other services offered by PEI Powerlifting partners and sponsors.

PEIPLA will be the point of contact for any information and application for access to provincial funds for national and international events.

5. Membership Renewal

Membership in PEI Powerlifting is valid for one calendar year from the date of registration. Members must renew their membership annually by submitting the renewal form and payment of the membership fee before the expiration date.

6. Code of Conduct

All members of PEI Powerlifting are expected to conduct themselves in a manner that upholds the values of respect, integrity, and sportsmanship. Any violation of the organization's Code of Conduct may result in disciplinary action, including suspension or revocation of membership. Please refer to PEIPLA Code of Conduct Policy.

7. Amendments to the Policy

PEI Powerlifting reserves the right to amend or modify this membership policy as deemed necessary. Any changes to the policy will be communicated to members in a timely manner.

8. Contact Information

For inquiries regarding membership in PEI Powerlifting, please contact:

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