

# Remember the Peninsula Meetup Group Rules and Regulations

Welcome to the Peninsula Meetup Group! To ensure a smooth and enjoyable experience for everyone, please review and adhere to the following rules:

## 1. Responsibility

All members are expected to familiarize themselves with and follow these rules. Ignorance of these guidelines is not an acceptable excuse for violations. Let's all be responsible and respectful.

## 2. No-Shows

A "no-show" is someone who fails to attend an event without canceling their RSVP in advance or notifying the event page. Here's how it works:

- **Not a No-Show:** If you change your RSVP and/or leave a message on the event page 24 hours in advance.
- **A No-Show:** If you do not update your RSVP or notify us and you miss the event.

**Consequences:** After ONE no-show, you will be removed from the group. No-shows cause frustration for organizers and prevent others from attending. Please make sure to update your RSVP or notify us if you cannot attend. Most cancellations require a 24 hour notice, once reservations are confirmed with the venue. Once reservations are confirmed, any cancellation after is considered a No-show.

If you un-RSVP within 24 hours of the event, you will be removed from the group, after two occurrences.

I suggest to not RSVP or add yourself to the waitlist, unless you are fully committed on showing up. Also, do not add yourself to the waitlist, if you are not watching for updates up to the day of the event.

Tardiness - Anyone late, 20 minutes or more, will be marked as a no show. This is specific for restaurant or time restricted events.

## 3. Guest Invites

Members are not to bring or invite guests to any event, unless the event description states and/or allows additional guest count. Bringing a guest without permission or without prior authorization, you will be removed from the group, first occurrence.

## 4. Profile Pictures

Members must have a profile picture to join or remain in the group. If you don't have a profile picture, please add one promptly to avoid removal.

## 5. Inactive Members

Members who have been inactive for more than a year will be removed from the group. "Inactive" means not visiting the group or participating in any events (including RSVPs or wait list attempts). If you wish to remain a part of the group, please engage periodically.

## **6. Behavioral Guidelines**

The following behaviors are not tolerated and will result in immediate removal from the group:

- **Harassment or Discrimination:** Any form of harassment or discriminatory behavior is unacceptable.
- **Disruptive Behavior:** Being disruptive or disrespectful towards others at events is not allowed.
- **Inappropriate Content:** Sharing or discussing inappropriate content in group communications or events will not be tolerated.
- **Privacy Violations:** Respect the privacy of other members and do not share personal information without consent.
- **Bullying:** Bullying, whether online or in-person, is strictly prohibited. This includes any behavior intended to intimidate, belittle, or harm others. We strive to create a supportive environment, and bullying undermines this goal.

Thank you for helping us maintain a welcoming and respectful environment for everyone. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to reach out.