



O.N.A.K.A.I.

Official National Amateur Karate Association of Ireland

National Governing Body for Karate in Ireland

Affiliate Club Requirements

1. The registered Club Instructor must have a Dan grade in traditional karate
2. This Dan grade must be awarded by a bona fide organisation *
3. The traditional style of karate must be recognised by O.N.A.K.A.I. *
4. Verifiable documentation is required to support the qualification.
5. All clubs must register with the National Vetting Bureau to obtain an affiliate registration number
6. Instructors & Assistant Instructors must be Garda vetted
7. Instructors & Assistant Instructors must complete the Safeguarding 1 workshop.
8. Instructors & Assistant Instructors must complete a Sport 1st Aid Course.
9. Clubs must have their own active insurance policy that is fit for purpose or join the O.N.A.K.A.I. club insurance policy scheme.
10. Clubs with members under 18 years of age must appoint a Club Children's Officer
11. This Club Children's Officer must complete the Safeguarding 2 workshop
12. Clubs must have a minimum of 10 members
13. Clubs must carry out a Safeguarding Risk Assessment
14. Clubs must have a Safeguarding statement
15. Clubs must agree to attain all coaching qualifications as required by O.N.A.K.A.I.
16. Clubs must comply with governance codes as set out by O.N.A.K.A.I.
17. Clubs must agree to abide by the constitution of O.N.A.K.A.I.
18. Instructors may be required to demonstrate their proficiency in the art of karate
19. Instructors may be required to undergo an assessment by the O.N.A.K.A.I. Technical committee.
20. Instructors may be required to submit their teaching syllabus

In order to comply with regulation and to provide protection to all our members, all clubs that apply to become an affiliate of O.N.A.K.A.I. must meet our clearly defined basic set of criteria. This membership process is essential to uphold and maintain the highest standards possible in our sport. All club applications will be considered by The Executive Committee of O.N.A.K.A.I. and assessed using the above criteria.

*The decision in relation to the bona fides of Dan grades and the recognition of styles will be made by the Executive Committee of O.N.A.K.A.I.



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