

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: How are rates for faculty and staff determined?

A: The membership fee is the same rate that students pay in their fees. Students voted to charge \$175 per semester beginning in Fall 2015. It is part of Texas law that non students pay a fee that is not less than the fee that students pay.

Q: Why is there no deadline for the Fall, Spring or Summer registration?

A: Faculty and staff are eligible to enroll at any time during the year.

Q: Are affiliates or alumni eligible to enroll in the payroll deduction program?

A: No, all participants must be employed by Texas A & M University – Corpus Christi.

Q: How soon can I use the Recreational Sports facilities and/or Programs after I sign up with the payroll deduction program?

A: When you sign up, you will receive a receipt from the Recreational Sports staff. Use this receipt until your SandDollar card is activated (approximately 3 business days).

Q: Are students eligible for the payroll deduction program?

A: No, the Recreational Sports fee is included in their student fees.

Q: Can I have my account deducted for my significant other or senior dependent?

A: Yes, your account can be deducted for a significant other or senior dependent. You must have a current membership in order to do this.

Q: Can my spouse/domestic partner or senior dependent participate in Group Fitness Classes?

A: Yes, they can participate in the Group Fitness Classes. They will need a membership to use the facility and to participate in Group Fitness Classes.

Q: What if I no longer want to participate in the payroll deduction plan?

A: Please give written notice to the Recreational Sports office (or email to Janie.Lara@tamucc.edu). You will not receive a refund for the current month. If the request is received after the 20th of the month, deduction from your check will end with the 2nd check from that date.

Q: What is my universal ID number?

A: All employees have been issued a universal ID number to take the place of their social security number by Human Resources. Please contact HR if you do not know your number.

Q: Can I purchase personal training or a locker through payroll deduction?

A: At this time, payroll deduction can only be used for membership. You must possess a membership prior to purchasing personal training sessions or a locker.