

Brookdale Gamer Club

Constitution

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1. Club Name

1.1 Name of the Club is **Brookdale Gamer Club**

2. Purposes of the Club

2.1 The primary object of the Club is to promote gaming, develop better comradery between all game (card, video, etc.) players. As a club, another aim is to bring in players to our club who do not know that there are other game players who play the same games that other people play as well. A primary objective of the Club is to not limit ourselves to the games already played, or limit ourselves to card games. We are to constantly learn new games, as well as constantly improve ourselves through discipline, honor, and respect.

3. Membership

- 3.1 Full members will only be students of Brookdale Community College, and be in good academic standing. Any form of discrimination, including race, color, gender, sexual orientation, or political, ethnic or religious affiliation is not tolerated. This organization shall not limit any member in the enjoyment of any right or privilege, advantage or opportunity.
- 3.2 If any member discriminates in any way above, and/or any ways not listed above, that member will be removed from the club. Length will be dealt with on a case by case basis.

4. Executive Committee

- 4.1 The make-up of the Executive Committee is as follows: President, Vice President, Treasurer, Secretary, and Public Relations. All Officers in the club will be currently enrolled with at least 6 credits in non-audited classes, and will be in good academic standing with Brookdale.
- 4.2 First Officers were appointed. As the semesters come to close, officers that are graduating or transferring are then voted on. If circumstances arise that the new officers do not feel right with who was voted in, they can put to an officer's vote to then appoint their successor. Terms for officers are for as long as they are a student at Brookdale Community College. However, an officer can be voted out if the majority of the club feels that the Officer is not performing his or her duties as an officer of the Club.

4.3 Executive Committee's Duties

a. President:

i. Handles the everyday business of the club, and has final say as to what goes on in a club meetings, as well as set up the agenda for meetings. The president also acts the spokesperson for the Club, calls meetings, and acts as overall official for the organization.

b. Vice President

 This officer will usually head special committees and will act as President when the president isn't available.

c. Secretary

i. Keeps records of the meetings and formal business, as well writes letters for the Club.

d. Treasurer

 Keeps the financial records of the organization, as well as keep the officers' roster up to date, and prepares budget. In charge of all financial responsibilities.

e. Public Relations

 Handles advertising for Club Activities and head of recruiting new members.

f. Filling Officer Vacancies

 Terms for officers are for as long as they are a student at Brookdale Community College. However, an officer can be voted out if the majority of the club feels that the Officer is not performing his or her duties as an officer of the Club.

5. Frequency of Meetings

5.1 Meetings will take place anywhere between two and four times a month, including special meetings before special events to help organize and delegate tasks for events.

6. Size of Meetings

6.1 The aimed size for meetings is 15-20 people per meeting, with the potential to grow as the club grows.

7. Voting

7.1 Club decisions will be put to a popular vote. A winning vote will be a majority vote for either Yay or Nay. Reasoning for both for and against an idea will be required. An appeal vote will be left to the officers with a unanimous vote, and anyone can call for it, but an appeal vote is the final say on a vote.

8. Money

8.1 All monies of the organization shall be kept in a special account assigned by the Associated Students of Brookdale Community College and the Office of Student Life & Activities. Use of allocated funds and earned income are governed by ASBCC Finance Committee Guidelines. Authorized signatures for check disbursements will be kept on file with the ASBCC Treasurer and updated as needed.

9. Adviser's Role

9.1 The adviser shall be a regular employee of the college. The duties of the faculty / staff will be as defined in the Role of the Brookdale Club & Organization Advisor. The faculty adviser may participate in all activities of the organization. The office of Student Life and Activities will appoint an adviser each April. Appointments begin July 1, and conclude June 30 of the following year.

10. Legal

10.1 This organization shall abide by all applicable rules and regulations of the college and under the privileges as granted by the Associated Student Brookdale Community College. The Rules and regulations are found in such documents as the Brookdale Community College Catalog, The Student Handbook, as well as the general regulations of the college as provided by the Board of Trustees, by the State of New Jersey and the Federal Government.