



## Assert your right to swordfight!

Ah, the summer hols! School is a distant memory, the tyranny of team sports has been temporarily broken, and you can spend your days as a woodland warrior fending off your friend's attacks with a stick. What fun!

Thank heavens, then, that this September you don't have to down your weapons and forget all about duelling - because Royal Tunbridge Wells Fencing Club is running a beginners epee course where you can learn how to swordfight properly. And guess what: swords are more fun to fight with than sticks!

Whether you're quick of limb or fast of thought, learning to fence will stimulate your brainbox in fiendishly fun ways. Plus, it's a much better workout than wielding weapons on a Playstation or X-Box and, unlike football, you're allowed to stab your friends!

Of the three swords used in the modern sport of fencing, the epee is a brilliant weapon to start with as there are no tricky rules and no limit to the target area - so, ultimately, you'll be able to hit your opponent almost anywhere you like!

The course is open to children aged 7 to 13. Each session will consist of a general warm-up, footwork, technical exercises and sword fights! All equipment is provided, just wear tracksuit bottoms and trainers - and bring a drink (a water cooler is available).

To book your place on the taster / course, please call 07768 085 735 or email: [rtwfencingclub@gmail.com](mailto:rtwfencingclub@gmail.com). See the column to the right for further details.

So don't give in to the double whammy of Monday homework and wall-to-wall football: It's time to fight back!

### Course Information

#### **Location**

Territorial Army Centre, St John's Road, Tunbridge Wells, Kent TN4 9UU

#### **Course**

Classes will start on Monday 10th September 2018 and run for 13 weeks; the course finishes on 10th December. There is no club session on 22nd October (half-term). The class runs from 7-8pm.

#### **Coaches**

**Paul Beasley**, Level 3 coach  
**Chris Higginson**, Level 2 coach

#### **Cost**

The course fee is £104.00 (£8.00 per session)

#### **Payment**

Payments may be made via:

- Cash (in an envelope, please, with the pupil's name on the front); or
- Cheque made payable to RTW F/C; or
- By bank transfer to: The Royal Tunbridge Wells Fencing Club, Account number 03045237 Sort Code 30-98-77.

#### **Contact details**

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