

Melbourne Runabout & Speed Boat Club

Categories of Membership and Entitlements



GENERAL MEMBERSHIP

1st Year General Membership & Joining Fee

Membership fee	\$ 275.00
Working Bee X 4	\$ 432.00
Meeting Levy	\$ 55.00
Joining fee	<u>\$ 558.00</u>
	<u>\$1320.00</u>

General Membership Renewal Fee

Membership	\$ 275.00
Working bee x 4	\$ 432.00
Meeting levy	\$ <u>55.00</u>
Working bee x 4	\$ <u>762.00</u>

This membership is suited to those who are want to join our family friendly and family orientated Club and use the Club's facilities on and off the water. Is the owner of a boat suitable for registration under the Melbourne Runabout & Speed Boat Club's Rules and Conditions. If you do your working bee hours and attend one general meeting your ongoing membership could be \$275 per annum. The membership year is July to June (or part there of).

1. Is permitted to use the club's facilities with up to a maximum of 6 guests.
2. Will receive a card and key which gives access to the Club grounds and boat ramps.
3. Initial Scrutineering to be carried out by the Club Registrar or his representative. Following years the Member will scrutineer the boat at renewal time.
4. Must complete an Induction and the Induction Questionnaire.
5. Must attend four (4) Working Bees each year, or incur a Working Bee levy. **Note** the member does not need to attend at the sanctioned Working Bee days. **Members are encouraged to contact the Rear Commodore, and carry out work around the Club at their own convenience.**
6. A member may nominate a Spouse/Partner, Co-owner or adult child to attend a working bee on their behalf. A working bee is a four (4) hour block, unless reduced in time by the Commodore or Vice Commodore. Some jobs that are not as desirable as others may attract extra working bee credits or a reduction in hours at the discretion of the Commodore or Vice Commodore.
7. Must personally attend two (2) General Meetings per year (a Club function is also classed as a meeting attendance), or incur a Meeting levy. It is expected that the member will attend the Annual General Meeting.

In addition to the above criteria, new General Membership members:

- a) Will have a probation period of 12 months, their proposer will be held accountable for any misdemeanours.
- b) Within the first 12 months, must attend one (1) meeting, to provide input and obtain an appreciation for the running of the Club. Failure to comply will incur a meeting levy and may risk cancellation of membership.

General membership extends to the spouse/partner and children of the General member, all having the rights and responsibilities of the General Member. The General Member is responsible for the conduct of family members.

ELIGIBILITY FOR FAMILY MEMBERS \$55.00

1. Spouse/Partner of General member or child of a General Member
2. Children of General members and must be at the age of 18 or above
3. ***Residing at the General Members address***

Membership & Levy fees are inclusive of GST

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CONDITIONS OF USE OF CLUB FACILITIES

1. Are permitted to use the Club's facilities with up to a maximum of 6 guests. You may have additional guests with approval from the Committee.
2. Can utilise the General Member's key which gives access to the Club grounds and boat ramps
3. Are not required to attend Working Bees.
4. Must complete an Induction and the Induction Questionnaire.
5. Must attend two (2) Meeting per year.
6. Are not entitled to hold, or be nominated for, office in the Club.
7. Are not entitled to vote at any meetings of members.
8. This membership is linked to the primary member and that primary member will be held accountable for any misdemeanours.

JUNIOR FAMILY MEMBERS:

Junior Membership fee \$11

This membership is suitable for the children of your family, who want to feel they are part of a Club, and can graduate to General Membership if they have their own boat or Associated Membership if they wish to use the family boat at 18 years of age, and qualify not to have to pay a joining fee.

1. Children of General members, permanently residing with the General member must be at the age of between 12 and 17 inclusive.
2. Are not permitted to operate a boat without the supervision of a licensed adult unless individually licenced.
3. Upon reaching the age of 18 may apply for General membership, and be credited 25% of the joining fee for each previous year of Junior membership.
4. Must complete an Induction and the Induction Questionnaire.
5. Will receive a membership card.
6. Are not required to attend Working Bees.
7. Are not required to attend meetings.
8. Are not entitled to hold, or be nominated for, office in the Club.
9. Are not entitled to vote at any meetings of members.

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RACE MEMBERSHIP

Race Membership fee

Membership	\$ 137.50
Working bee x 2	\$ 216.00
Meeting	<u>\$ 55.00</u>
	<u>\$ 408.50</u>

Race Membership no water access

Membership	\$66.00
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This Membership is suited to those who are wanting to take part in the sport of powerboat racing or Ski Racing and must hold an approved Race Licence in accordance with provisions set by the Australian Power Boat Association or Ski Racing Australia

1. Will receive a card and key which gives access to the club grounds and boat ramps.
2. Must have their boats scrutineered each year by an APBA Official Scrutineer. A copy of an APBA Scrutineering form must be provided otherwise the boat must not be used on the Club water.
3. Must complete an Induction and the Induction Questionnaire.
4. Must attend two (2) Working Bees each year, or incur a Working Bee levy. Note that the member does not need to attend the sanctioned Working Bee days. **Members are encouraged to contact the Rear Commodore, and carry out work around the Club at their own convenience.**
5. A member may nominate a Spouse/Partner, Co-owner or Crew Member to attend as working bee on their behalf. Working bees are a two (2) four (4) hour block, unless reduced in time by the Commodore or Vice Commodore. Some jobs that are not as desirable as others may attract extra working bee credits or a reduction in hours; at the discretion of the Commodore or Vice Commodore.
6. Must attend one (1) Race Committee Meeting per year, or incur a Meeting levy.
7. Are not permitted to use the water on Sundays or any gazetted public holidays unless participating in a racing regatta on that day.
8. Are permitted to utilise Club water for practice or testing on the day's gazetted for such use by the Club, which will be displayed on the Club calendar and may change from time to time.
9. A circuit race boat is not permitted to use their boats for water skiing, aqua planning or other similar activity on the Club's water.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP – ONLY APPLIES TO MEMBERS WITH ONE BOAT

Associate Membership Fee

Membership	\$ 137.50
Working bee x 2	\$ 216.00
Meeting	<u>\$ 55.00</u>
	<u>\$ 408.50</u>

This membership is for those who have children transitioning from junior ranks to general membership. Recognising the shared ownership of boats and thus increasing membership and to create a more family accessible Club environment

1. A co-owner with the current financial full member of the Club registered boat, and must be at the age of 18 or above.
2. Are permitted to use the Club's facilities with up to a maximum of 6 guests.
3. Must complete an Induction and the Induction Questionnaire.

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4. Will receive a membership card and key which gives access to the Club grounds and boat ramps
5. Must attend two (2) Working Bees each year, or incur a Working Bee levy. Note that the member does not need to attend the sanctioned Working Bee days. **Members are encouraged to contact the Rear Commodore, and carry out work around the Club at their own convenience.**
6. Must attend one (1) General or Committee Meeting per year, or incur a Meeting levy.

ASSOCIATED SPORTING CLUB MEMBERSHIP – (Sub-Club)

Fishing Membership fee

Membership	\$ 137.50
Working bee x 2	\$ 216.00
Meeting	\$ 55.00
	<u>\$ 408.50</u>

Fishing Membership no water access

Membership	\$44.00
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This membership is suited for those who want to join our family friendly and family orientated Club and use the Club's facilities on and off the water and wish to take part in fishing on Melton Reservoir and to join in all the activities of the Melton Sportfishing Club. You must also be a current financial member of the Melton Sportfishing Club.

1. Will receive a card and key which gives access to the club grounds and boat ramps.
2. Must have their boats scrutineered each year by an MRSBC Official Scrutineer.
3. Must complete an Induction and the Induction Questionnaire.
4. Must attend two (2) Working Bees each year, or incur a Working Bee levy. Note that the member does not need to attend the sanctioned Working Bee days. **Members are encouraged to contact the Rear Commodore, and carry out work around the Club at their own convenience.**
5. A member may nominate a Spouse/Partner, Co-owner or Crew Member to attend as working bee on their behalf. Working bees are a two (2) four (4) hour block, unless reduced in time by the Commodore or Vice Commodore. Some jobs that are not as desirable as others may attract extra working bee credits or a reduction in hours; at the discretion of the Commodore or Vice Commodore.
6. Must attend one (1) General Committee Meeting per year, or incur a Meeting levy.
7. A fishing boat is not permitted to be used for water skiing, aqua planeing or other similar activity on the Club's water.

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