



ROYAL PRINCE ALFRED YACHT CLUB

*Excellence in Sailing*

Membership Application Form

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**PERSONAL DETAILS**

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| Title:   |  |  |   |
| Surname:   |  |  |   |
| Given name (s):  |  |  |   |
| Preferred name:  |  |  |   |
| Date of birth:   |  |  |   |
| Occupation:  |  |  |   |
| Residential address:   |  |  |   |
| State:   |  | Postcode:  |   |
| Postal address (if different from above):  |  |  |   |
| State:   |  | Postcode:  |   |
| Home phone:  |  |  |   |
| Business phone:  |  |  |   |
| Mobile:  |  |  |   |
| Email:   |  |  |   |
| Emergency contact details:   |  | Contact name:  |   |
|  |  | Phone number:  |   |
| Are you the sole or part owner or part charterer of a boat?<br><b>(Refer to point 3 on page 4.)</b>  |  | Yes: <input type="checkbox"/>                                      | No: <input type="checkbox"/>                  |
| If yes, please provide the names (s) of the other owners / charterers (s):   |  |  |   |
| Name of boat:  |  | Type of boat:  |   |
| Insurance company:   |  | Policy number:   |   |
| Subject to availability do you require:  |  | Marina berth: <input type="checkbox"/>                             | Hardstand storage: <input type="checkbox"/>   |
|  |  | Mooring: <input type="checkbox"/>                                  | Centreboard storage: <input type="checkbox"/> |
|  |  |  | Rack storage: <input type="checkbox"/>        |
| Which class of membership are you applying for?  |  | Full Member <input type="checkbox"/>                               |   |
|  |  | General Member <input type="checkbox"/>                            |   |
|  |  | General Intermediate Member (22-29 years) <input type="checkbox"/> |   |
|  |  | Youth Member (up to 22 years) <input type="checkbox"/>             |   |
|  |  | Other (eg. Spouse Concession) <input type="checkbox"/>             |   |
| If you are applying for a spouse/partner concession of General Membership <b>(refer to point 4 on page 4)</b> please confirm your partner's full name. |  |  |   |
| Full name:   |  | Member No. (if applicable)   |   |
| If you are applying for Youth Membership please provide details of your parent / guardian no 1.  |  |  |   |
| Full name:   |  | Relationship:  |   |
| RPAYC member number:<br>(if applicable)  |  | Email:   |   |
| Residential address:   |  | Phone (home):  |   |
|  |  | Mobile:  |   |

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| If you are applying for Youth Membership please provide details of your parent / guardian no 2.   |  |   |
| Full name:  | Relationship:  |   |
| RPAYC member number:<br>(if applicable)   | Email:   |   |
| Residential address:  | Phone (home):  | Mobile:   |
| If you are applying for a family package ( <b>refer to point 5 on page 4</b> ) please confirm the name(s) of the other members of your family.<br><b>Please complete one form for each family member applying for membership.</b> | Name (s):  |   |
| Have you ever been a member of RPAYC?   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes – (please provide details)  | <input type="checkbox"/> No   |
| How did you hear about RPAYC?   | <input type="checkbox"/> RPAYC member<br><input type="checkbox"/> Friend<br><input type="checkbox"/> Website<br><input type="checkbox"/> Social media  | <input type="checkbox"/> Flyer<br><input type="checkbox"/> School<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yacht broker<br><input type="checkbox"/> Other  |
| What are your interests in RPAYC?   | <input type="checkbox"/> Keelboat racing - skipper<br><input type="checkbox"/> Keelboat racing – crew<br><input type="checkbox"/> Cruising<br><input type="checkbox"/> Sail training<br><input type="checkbox"/> Integrated disabled sailing<br><input type="checkbox"/> Gym | <input type="checkbox"/> Centreboard racing<br><input type="checkbox"/> Tackers / holiday learn to sail program<br><input type="checkbox"/> OutThere program<br><input type="checkbox"/> Youth development<br><input type="checkbox"/> Volunteering<br><input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| Are you a current member of Australian Sailing?   | Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> (provide Australian Sailing number)  |   |
| <b>(If No, refer to point 11 on page 4.)</b>  | No: <input type="checkbox"/>   |   |
| Are you, or have you been, a member of any other club?  | Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> (please provide details):  | No: <input type="checkbox"/>  |
| Have you, at any time, been suspended or expelled, or had disciplinary action taken against you by another club?  | Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> (please provide details):  | No: <input type="checkbox"/>  |
| Have you, at any time, been refused admission to another club?  | Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> (please provide details):  | No: <input type="checkbox"/>  |
| Which of the following club publications would you like to receive?   |  |   |
| Annual Report   | Via email: <input type="checkbox"/> OR Via mail: <input type="checkbox"/>  |   |
| Yachtsman magazine <input type="checkbox"/>   | Weekly E-newsletter <input type="checkbox"/>   |   |
| <b>PROPOSER AND SECONDER DECLARATIONS</b>   |  |   |
| Proposer  | Full name:   |   |
|   | I have known the candidate for (please advise time):   |   |
|   | RPAYC member number:   |   |
|   | Signature:   |   |
| Seconder  | Full name:   |   |
|   | I have known the candidate for (please advise time):   |   |
|   | RPAYC member number:   |   |
|   | Signature:   |   |
| <b>(Refer to point 9 on page 4.)</b>  |  |   |

| <b>ACCOUNT PAYMENTS</b>   |  |      |                               |
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| On receipt of my application I authorise the Club to charge the joining fee to the Visa / Mastercard below.                                   |  |      | Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Upon my election to the Club I authorise the Club to charge the subscription to the Visa / Mastercard below.                                  |  |      | Yes: <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Card number:  |  |      |                               |
| Cardholder's name:  |  |      |                               |
| Expiry:   |  | CCV: |                               |
| If you prefer direct debit please complete the direct debit form available on the website or from reception and return with this application. |  |      |                               |

| <b>CANDIDATE DECLARATION</b>  |       |
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. I certify the information I have supplied above is true and correct.</li> <li>2. I hereby consent to be nominated for membership and to provide any other personal information that RPAYC may require to determine my membership application. I also consent to RPAYC contacting my referees and / or other clubs mentioned above when considering my suitability for membership of the Club.</li> <li>3. If elected, I agree to be bound by the Club's Constitution and By-Laws.</li> <li>4. I consent to a member of the membership committee contacting me for the purposes of conducting a meet and greet to affirm my interests in the Club.</li> <li>5. I consent to the Rear Commodore Membership or a member of the Membership Committee contacting me in the future to inquire if my expectations of membership are being fulfilled.</li> <li>6. I consent to a Club Rear Commodore or Committee member contacting me with regards to my interests within the Club.</li> <li>7. I understand that the Joining Fee is non-refundable if I choose not to proceed with my application.</li> </ol> |       |
| Candidate's signature:  | Date: |

| <b>FOR YOUTH MEMBERS ONLY - PARENT DECLARATION AND INDEMNITY</b>   |   |
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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. I certify the information I have supplied above is true and correct.</li> <li>2. In accepting the application of my son, daughter or charge as a Youth Member of RPAYC, I confirm that your officers, servants, employees and agents are free and clear of all liability and responsibility whatsoever for any accident, illness, negligent act or misadventure which may occur or befall him / her in participating in any activity connected with the Club and indemnify the Club, its officers, servants, employees and agents from and against all damage, claims and demands whatsoever in respect thereof. I further authorise you in the event of any accident, illness, negligent act or misadventure, to obtain any and all medical assistance and hospital accommodation that may be necessary and in this event I agree to pay all medical and all other expenses and fees incurred on behalf of this applicant.</li> </ol> |   |
| Name:  |   |
| Capacity – please confirm you are either the:  | Parent: <input type="checkbox"/> Guardian: <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Parent / guardian's signature:   | Date:   |

| <b>IDENTIFICATION - For office use only</b> |  |
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| ID type:                                    | Sighted and checked by Club representative:<br>Name:<br>Signature: |
| Number:                                     | Date:  |

## NOTES TO APPLICANT

1. Each candidate is required to complete an application form.
2. The Royal Prince Alfred Yacht Club (the **Club**) is committed to protecting the privacy of your personal information in accordance with the Australian Privacy Principles. Please refer to the Club's Privacy Policy on the RPAYC website [www.rpayc.com.au](http://www.rpayc.com.au).
3. If the candidate is an owner (solely or in part), or the charterer, of a Boat (defined as a vessel greater than 3 metres in length, except 'Off the Beach Boats' defined in Australian Sailing's Racing Rules of Sailing Addenda A, Part 2) the candidate **must** apply for Full Membership **and** complete the Club's **Additions to the Register of Vessels Form**. The candidate will be added to the Club's register of vessels. Note: a determination by the Board that a particular vessel, or class of vessel is, or is not, a Boat for the purposes of this definition shall be binding and final.
4. A Spouse means the husband, wife or partner of a member accepted by the Board to be living in a stable domestic relationship with a member or candidate for membership.
5. A Family means a group of two (2) or more members or candidates for membership, who are either spouse, parent, guardian or child of one another.
6. A credit card surcharge will not be charged for the joining fee and initial subscription. The credit card details provided will only be used for these fees.
7. No refund will be provided for members seeking to resign after being approved as a member. If a member has elected to pay the annual subscription fee by direct debit instalments, the member is required to pay all remaining instalments for the duration of the Club's financial year in accordance with the Direct Debit Terms and Conditions.
8. Each candidate for Full Membership and General Membership, except a General Member applying to be a Spouse or Youth, requires a proposer and seconder to support their application.
9. The proposer and seconder of this candidate must:
  - a) Be either a Full Member or General Member of the Club of **not less than twelve months'** standing;
  - b) Have known the candidate personally for a period of not less than twelve months;
  - c) Be confident that the candidate is of good fame and character, and they have expressed the intention to participate in the Club's sailing activities;
  - d) Respond to any further questions which may be raised by the Membership Committee or Board in relation to the candidature; and
  - e) Actively assist the candidate in meeting other Club members and participating in Club activities with a view to fostering a long, happy membership. Proposers and seconders will be invited to attend a New Members' evening function alongside successful candidates.
10. If the candidate is unknown to any members, the candidate may enclose two character references as an alternative to a proposer and seconder. **Please use the Club's referee proforma**. Submission of references indicates to the Club the candidate's consent for the Club to contact the referees in relation to the candidate's suitability for membership of the Club.
11. The Club is required to provide Australian Sailing with a successful candidate's name, date of birth, postcode and email address to facilitate Australian Sailing membership. If elected, the candidate consents to the preceding personal information being provided to Australian Sailing.