

HAWKESBURY RIVER YACHT CLUB INC.  
PO BOX 156 BROOKLYN 2083 NSW www.hryc.asn.au



## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

**MEMBERSHIP YEAR 2017/18** – Fees due by 1/7/17

Title	Surname	First Name
Email address		

YA Silver card # if known	Date of Birth

Member address			
Suburb/Town	Postcode	Phone	Mobile

Vessel Name if applicable	
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### FEES AND CHARGES

#### SELECT ONE ONLY

Sailing Member	\$140	
Junior Member (under 18)	\$65	
Social Member	\$20	

*Please remember to sign and enclose the second page.*

Post, scan & email, or hand deliver this form to the HRYC Secretary at [secretary@hryc.asn.au](mailto:secretary@hryc.asn.au)  
or to The Secretary HRYC, PO Box 156, Brooklyn, 2083  
Payment should preferably be made by EFT; details below. Otherwise, payment may be made by cheque or cash. If by cash, this should be in person, not sent by mail.

HRYC EFT details: BSB 062308; Account number 28006166.  
Please include member's name in the transfer.

**NOTES ABOUT FEES**

**Sailing membership** – (including Junior members). The fee covers access to the membership section of the HRYC website, email updates and the monthly email newsletter *The Pennant*. It includes social days on the water and all races. All sailing and junior members are registered with YNSW.

**Social members** – The fee covers access to the membership section of the HRYC website, email updates and the monthly email newsletter *The Pennant*. It includes social days and social events on the water. Social members are not registered with YNSW.

The Club’s operation year extends from 1 July to 31 June. The financial year is from 1 June to 31 May to allow for AGM preparation in early July of each year.

**IMPORTANT** – Your contact and family details may be shared with Yachting Australia, Yachting NSW and members of the HRYC and may be used to contact you with regard to imparting information. They will not be used for any other purpose.

**RISK WARNING**

Pursuant to the Civil Liability Act this RISK WARNING is issued to all persons participating in the sailing activities conducted by Hawkesbury River Yacht Club Inc.

Participants are warned that, regardless of the precautions taken by experienced persons, sailing can be a potentially dangerous pursuit and participants are exposed to significant risk of property damage, physical harm and possible death.

As an indication, these risks may include, but are not limited to:

- The extremes of weather and sea conditions.
- That control of vessels may be lost, resulting in collision with objects and other vessels.
- Unpredictable vessel movement at any time can result in equipment impact, falling down or overboard and possible drowning.
- The absence of immediate medical care and the likelihood that significant delays may occur before medical assistance becomes available.
- Exposure to the elements for extended periods.

Hawkesbury River Yacht Club also warns participants it may be unable to render assistance to participants who are in distress in all situations.

Participants are warned to consider the above risks and all other risks before deciding to participate in any sailing event with Hawkesbury River Yacht Club Inc.

Participants are also advised that although Hawkesbury River Yacht Club is covered by third party liability insurance, this cover DOES NOT extend to participants in a sailing vessel. Any participant who considers they have a need for insurance must make their own private arrangements with an insurer. A personal accident insurance policy is available with subscription to membership of Yachting NSW.

***I have read this information and the HRYC Club Rules. I agree to abide by the HRYC Club Rules. When participating in any HRYC event I accept, and agree to abide by, the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) of the International Sailing Federation, noting in particular Fundamental Rule 4: The responsibility for a boat’s decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is theirs alone.***

**Signature of applicant .....** **Date .....**