

GREENWICH FLYING SQUADRON INC

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NEW ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION (CREW, FAMILY OR YOUTH*)

1 July 2016 – 30 June 2017 Season

Please fill in all details as necessary and sign the second page. Parent – Guardians of Youth new members less than 18 years old, please note you must also sign the declaration at the bottom of this page.

If you have problems with this form in any way please contact: Chris Gaskell on 0432 018 081 or gfsmemberships@gmail.com

Associate Member Type: (e.g. Crew, Family or Youth*)	Mr/Mrs/Ms/ Dr/...	Surname	First name	Middle Initial	DOB For u18's	YA Number

Address	Phone (home)	
	Phone (mob)	
Suburb/Town:	Postcode	Email**

**providing an email address is mandatory as our online membership system cannot operate without one

Boat DETAILS (at minimum the name of the boat that you crew on please)

Sail No	Yacht / Sabot / Laser Name	Skipper's name	Class & Length

FEES

① ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP	Crew Membership	\$100
	Family Membership	\$100
	Junior/Youth Membership (under 18)	\$100

② YA FEE(s)	Yachting Association fees are included in amount above.
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	TOTAL FEES
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PAYMENT: You will receive an automatically generated email explaining how to log in and pay on line, once your application has been passed by the GFS Committee and your details entered into the data base.

Nominated by (print)	signed
Seconded by (print)	signed

The New Membership applications are discussed and voted on by the GFS Committee who meet at the Clubhouse on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 pm. It is not necessary for new applicants to be present but you are more than welcome to attend.

* Parent - Guardians of Associate Member Youth applicants - please read and sign the following declaration:

As the legal guardian/parent of the applicant, I undertake to pay all fees and charges incurred by the applicant in relation to this membership.

I also undertake to be responsible for accompanying the applicant within the GFS Clubhouse and pontoon precinct on any occasion he/she accesses Clubhouse facilities, when they are otherwise unsupervised by Club officials. In the event of an emergency I can be contacted as per the details below.

I declare that the applicant can swim at least 50 metres unaided and take care of himself/herself on land and on, or in, the water in normal circumstances.

I agree to indemnify GFS in relation to all costs, losses, damages, liability and causes of action arising from actions or inaction of, or any injury to, the applicant in connection with this membership.

Name of Parent/Guardian (print)	signed
Address	Contact phone number:

IMPORTANT INFORMATION & SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. **Remember the ISAF Fundamental Rule 4:** “The responsibility for a boat’s decision to race or to *continue* racing is hers alone”.

2. **For a yacht to be eligible to race:**

Her owner must:

- a. Be a Full Member, financial for the current season.
- b. Provide to the Club, proof of sufficient Third Party Liability cover on the boat. This cover to be for a *minimum* of \$10 million;
- c. Have had the yacht successfully audited to comply with RRS and Special Regulations Equipment Category 7, the appropriate Waterways requirements and any special GFS requirements. Class boats must comply with their class requirements.

3. **Be Good Neighbours:**

☞ **Parking:** GFS asks that you are courteous and exercise consideration for the neighbours when you use the very limited parking available in Bay Street.

Members or their guests are not allowed to park in the area beside or behind the clubhouse. This area is needed as a turning circle by:

- a. Emergency Services (the life they save may be yours); and
- b. Local Bay Street residents—it is their street after all!!

☞ **Noise:** When leaving the premises, please have consideration for others and keep any noise to a minimum;

☞ **Duty Rosters:** GFS is a voluntary, self-help sailing club. **If you race Saturdays and/or Twilights**, your boat can be rostered for **Saturday Start Duty and/or Twilight Duty Crew**. Both duties require the **Skipper and at least two Crew**, be present for that duty.

4. **Your Contact & Family Details:**

Details are required for the YA data base. **Your Contact Details** may be shared with other members of GFS and may be used by officials of GFS to contact you with regard to imparting Club information, Duty Rosters, etc. These details will not be passed by GFS to any other organisation or person other than those named above.

MEMBER’S DECLARATION:

I have read the **Important Information and Special Conditions** and have taken special note of:

- ISAF Fundamental Rule 4 and am aware of its implications;
- I recognise that any boat or equipment stored or left in the Club premises is stored or left solely at my own risk;
- I agree to abide by the Rules of the Club and indemnify GFS against responsibility for myself and family and any crew/guests.

Applicant’s signature _____ **Date:** _____

Notes about GFS Membership Fees

Full Membership	- All boat owning members over 18 years of age
Associate Membership	- Regular crew - Family members - Youth under 18 years of age
YA / AYF Membership	- All Club members whether Full or Associate pay a YA annual fee regardless of whether they are already a YA member through association with another sailing club. If over 18, they become Silver YA Members and if under 18 become Youth YA Members. This fee is included in the GFS fee.