



# AUSTRALIAN PARACHUTE FEDERATION

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# M1

## NEW or RENEWING MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION 2014/2015

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### Important:

**Do not use this form** if you are a student (i.e. do not hold any APF certifications) or have obtained your Certificate A in the current membership year. If this applies to you, please complete Form M2 - Student Pro Rata.

If you are unsure of which form to complete, please ask your local APF club official or contact the APF Office.

### How to complete this form

- Read all the instructions before completing
- Forms completed incorrectly may delay our ability to process your membership application;
- Use a black or blue pen;
- Print in CAPITAL LETTERS when completing text fields;
- Print within the boxes provided, e.g.:

S M I T H

Selection boxes must be marked with an X, e.g.:



If you make a mistake, please fill in the box completely, e.g.:

S M I T H



### Section 1 – Application Type

**\* Note. Full APF membership benefits include:** jumping, voting and public liability cover, optional gear and personal accident insurance, receipt of APF membership card, Australian Skydiving Magazine (ASM), APF publications and broadcasts and the ability to apply for all APF qualifications.

#### FULL FINANCIAL (requiring full APF membership benefits\*)

- Renewing APF members and holds qualifications
- New to the APF and holds qualifications achieved outside the APF System with:
  - An FAI affiliated organisation; or
  - The Australian Military; or
  - The Australian Skydiving Association

#### SHORT TERM (not available to Australian residents)

- Not available to APF licensed members or Australian residents
- Holds qualifications achieved outside the APF System with an FAI affiliated organisation.
- ALLOWS THE HOLDER to apply for Certificates and Display General rating, but DOES NOT allow the holder to apply for any other APF qualification.
- WILL NOT receive membership card or the ASM.

#### PILOT ASSOCIATE

- For individuals who pilot skydiving planes
- Receives APF publications and broadcasts
- Does NOT include the jumping, ASM, voting or insurance privileges.

#### ASSOCIATE

- For individuals who wish to receive the ASM and APF publications and broadcasts only
- Does NOT include jumping, voting or insurance privileges

#### Section 2 – Contact Details

Contact details are made available to and may be provided to officials of the APF, its Councils and Clubs. If you do not want any of this information made available, please omit it from this form. If you withhold this information, it may restrict our ability to communicate with you. A minimum of one form of contact must be recorded.

**Note - Overseas addresses:** incur an additional fee of \$30 per annum to cover mailing costs (this does not apply to Short Term Members).

**Privacy:** The APF may make mailing lists available to other organisations (mostly skydiving related) for marketing purposes. You can choose to be excluded from these mailing lists.

#### Section 3 – Certificate equivalency field

This section is available for new members holding parachuting qualifications outside the APF system and may be completed by the Chief Instructor (or in accordance with Operational Regulations).

In this section your new Chief Instructor may choose to recognise and select an equivalent APF Certificate class to the level you have obtained outside the APF system. This Certificate class will then be issued to you at no extra charge.

This option is available for new members' initial application only.

#### Section 4a – Renewing Members Only

*(Statistical information for the period 01/07 – 30/06 annually)*

This section is for monitoring safety trends within Australia and will enable the APF to provide members with statistical reporting.

**It applies only to jumping from within the APF system.**

#### Section 4b – All Members

**This section must be completed to be issued a 'Sporting Licence'.**

**Note:** If you have recorded less than 6 jumps in the past year you cannot be issued a 'Sporting Licence' and will be issued 'Financial Membership'.

#### Section 5 – Membership Fees

Select the fee applicable to your membership application.

#### Section 6 – Payment Details

Please provide your relevant payment details and, if necessary, attach payment accordingly.

**Note: Overseas addresses** incur an additional fee of \$30 per annum to cover mailing costs (this does not apply to Short Term Members).

#### Section 7 – Warning and Declaration

**APF membership is conditional upon the applicant reading and signing the membership conditions and declaration.**

#### More Information

You can find further information in relation to membership options by speaking with an official of your local APF Club, by contacting the APF Office directly or on our [website](#)



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<b>Section 1</b>	<b>Application Type</b> (Select ONE only)
FULL FINANCIAL <input type="checkbox"/> SHORT TERM <input type="checkbox"/> <small>(not available to Australian residents)</small> ASSOCIATE <input type="checkbox"/> PILOT ASSOCIATE <input type="checkbox"/>	

<b>Section 2</b>	<b>Contact Details</b>
Surname or Family Name	
Given Names	
Date of Birth	Gender
<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
APF Membership Number (Renewing Members)	
Mailing Address:    Unit / Apt No    Street No	
Street Name	
Suburb	
Country (if outside Australia) (Please note – overseas addresses incur an additional fee as per payment section on reverse of this form)	
State	Post Code / ZIP Code
Home Phone (include area code)	Mobile Phone
Work Phone (include area code)	Email
APF Club Affiliation	
Privacy – Do you want to be excluded from mailing lists as per instructions on Page One?    YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	

<b>Section 3</b>	<b>Certificate Equivalency Field</b> - to be completed by the Chief Instructor only – available only for the holders of qualifications achieved outside the APF system.
Organisation/Country: .....Licence/Qualification held:.....	
<b>CHIEF INSTRUCTOR ASSESSMENT as per Operational Regulations (Select ONE Only)</b>	
I have checked this person's log book and certify that they are equivalent to APF: A <input type="checkbox"/> B <input type="checkbox"/> C <input type="checkbox"/> D <input type="checkbox"/> E <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>Chief Instructor</b>	
Print .....Signature.....Date...../...../.....	

<b>Section 4a</b>	<b>Renewing Members Only</b> - Statistical information from within the APF system during <b>01/07 - 30/06</b> annually.
Jumps complete during this period?	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Malfunctions experienced during this period (reserve used)?	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>

<b>Section 4b</b>	<b>All Members</b> - I confirm I have completed a minimum of 6 freefalls in the past 12 months: YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
Your total number of jumps?	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
Is your rig fitted with an AAD (personal equipment only)?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Section 5</b>	<b>Membership Fees</b> (valid through to June 30 <sup>th</sup> 2015)		
<b>FULL FINANCIAL and ASSOCIATE MEMBERS</b>		<b>SHORT TERM MEMBERS ONLY</b>	
Annual Membership (if paying on or after 1 July 2014)	<b>\$204.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	<i>Note: Short Term membership is NOT available to Australian residents. It is primarily for international visitors who already hold skydiving qualifications.</i>	
Part Year Membership (if paying on or after 1 January 2015)	<b>\$119.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>		
Part Year Membership (if paying on or after 1 April 2015)	<b>\$68.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>		
Life Membership (20 times current non-discounted annual fee)	<b>\$4080.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>		
Life Membership / Pilot Associate Renewal	<b>\$0.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>		
Associate Membership	<b>\$67.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	One Calendar Month	<b>\$30.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>
		Two Calendar Months	<b>\$60.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>
		Three Calendar Months	<b>\$90.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>
		Six Calendar Months	<b>\$120.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>
Early Bird – Annual Membership (if paying on or before 30 Jun 2014)			<b>\$170.00</b> <input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Section 6</b>	<b>Payment Details</b> - Post, email or fax this form to the APF Office with your payment
MasterCard <input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/> Cheque <input type="checkbox"/> Money Order <input type="checkbox"/> Free to Life Member/Pilot Associate <input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> Expiry date: <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	
Name on Card: .....	Amount approved: .....
Overseas Address (Additional fee of \$30 per annum applies if paid before 31 Dec 2014, after which time this fee will reduce to \$15.00)	

<b>Section 7</b>	<b>Warning And Declaration</b> - <u>Your membership is conditional on you having read and signed this statement</u>
<p>1.) PARACHUTING &amp; FLYING IN PARACHUTING AIRCRAFT IS DANGEROUS. Serious accidents can and often do happen which may result in injury to person and/or property or being killed.</p> <p>2.) Except where provided or required by law and as such cannot be excluded, the applicant agrees that it is a term of his/her membership of the Australian Parachute Federation (APF) that APF is absolved from all liability however arising from injury or damage however caused (whether fatal or otherwise) arising out his/her membership of APF.</p> <p>3.) In consideration of APF accepting the applicant as a member the applicant:</p> <p>(i) Releases and forever discharges APF from all Claims that s/he may have or may have had but for this release; and</p> <p>(ii) Indemnifies, will keep indemnified and holds harmless APF to the extent permitted by law in respect of any Claim by any person including but not only another Member of APF.</p> <p>In this Clause 3 "Claims" means and includes any action, suit, proceeding, claim, demand, damage, penalty, cost or expense however arising from or in connection with parachuting, training to parachute, flying in any aircraft being used for or in connection with parachuting or in any way caused by, or arising out of his/her APF membership (collectively "Parachuting activities").</p> <p>4.) Parachuting activities are a "recreational activity" as defined under the <i>Competition and Consumer Act 2010</i>. Where the applicant is a consumer, as defined by any relevant law, then certain terms and rights may be implied into a contract for the supply of goods or services for the benefit of the applicant. These terms and rights, and any liability of APF flowing from them, are expressly excluded, restricted or modified by this declaration and the membership contract.</p> <p>5.) The applicant for him/herself, his/her executors, administrators, dependents and other personal representatives, absolves and indemnifies and will keep indemnified APF and all its servants, agents, employees and other persons under APF's control (the "Indemnified") from all liability howsoever arising for injury or damage (including but not limited to the applicant's person, whether fatal or otherwise, property and personal belongings) however caused including by the negligence of the Indemnified, arising out of or participating in Parachuting activities.</p> <p>6.) The applicant undertakes parachuting activities and flying in parachuting aircraft entirely at his/her own risk.</p> <p>I, the applicant for membership of the Australian Parachute Federation, have read, or have had read to me, the above warning and having understood same, consent to the activity proposed. I agree to abide by the APF Operational Regulations, Code of ethics and Constitution.</p>	
Name: .....	Signature: .....
Date:	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>

Have you considered making a donation to the Australian Parachute Team? Tax deductible donations to support our national teams with training/competition costs may be made to the Australian Sports Foundation. For further information visit: [www.apf.com.au](http://www.apf.com.au)