



Membership Application Form Ranelagh Yacht Squadron

If you were a financial member of the RYS last year, please include your Yachting Australia membership number (and partner and youths membership numbers if applicable).

Are you a member of another Yacht Club Yes / No

Which one: Which year did you join this club ?

If so what is your Yachting Australia Membership Number:

Do you want that club to remain your primary YA Club Yes / No

Have you ever been refused membership of another Yacht Club Yes / No

Title: Gender: M / F

First Name:

Surname: Date of Birth: / /
(compulsory if under 18)

Street Address:

Suburb: Postcode:

Mailing Address: (if different to above)

Suburb: Postcode:

Email:

Phone: (H) Phone: (W)

Facsimile: Mobile:

Spouse / Partner Name: Gender: M / F

Street Address: (if different to above)

Suburb	Postcode:
Spouse Phone Number: (H)	
Phone: (W)	Mobile: (W)
Partner's Email:	
Is your partner to be part of this membership: Yes / No If yes Annual Fee: \$39.00 (if yes fee is payable, if no for emergency purposes only)_	
Is this person to be your next of kin: Yes / No	
If 'No', or no partner who is your next of kin:	
Next of kin phone number:	Partner date of birth: / /
Is partner active in boating or to sail more than 3 races per season: Yes / No	

Family Youths to be included on this membership

	Name	(Annual Fee per youth: \$26.50)	Gender	Date of Birth	Existing Membership Number
1:			M/F		
2:			M/F		
3:			M/F		
4:			M/F		
5:			M/F		

Division:	Keel Boat / Trailable / Off the Beach Dinghy/ OTB Cat / Power Boat / Sailboard			
Type of Member:	Boat Owner / Crew / Social Member / Volunteer / Life			
Major boating / sailing interest	Racing / Cruising/Social			
Boat Name:	Sail Number:			
Boat Class:	Sub Class:			
Keel Boat Handicap details:	Safety Category			
IRC Only – Certificate no	File name	Designer	Loa	Other

Normal Crew for Boat: (if applicable to be completed by owners)

No	YA No	Name	Position
1:			
2:			
3:			

Is boat stored at Club: Yes / No	Location:
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Yachting Victoria Membership Annual Fees 2005/2006 *(Includes YV log book).*

Senior (any member over 18 on July 1 2005): \$65.00 = _____

Partner of Senior who participates: \$39.00 = _____

Youth of Senior

(less than 19 years of age on 30th June 2006) : \$26.50 x _____ = _____

Youth – no senior family member: \$32.00 = _____

Total amount _____

Payment Details (Please forward payment to the Ranelagh Club, Attention: Carol Hoffman PO Box 59 Mount Eliza VIC 3930.

Cheque attached for \$:

Payable to:

Credit Card: Visa / Mastercard / Bankcard

Credit Card Number:

Expiry Date on card:

Name on card:

For information only (circle as many as applicable)

What other water sports do you do?

diving Skiing paddling fishing swimming Life saving

If a new member how were you introduced?

by another member sailing school go sailing day boat show other

If you do not want to receive any communication (please indicate) no email no mail

Conditions of Entry

I _____ of _____ hereby apply for membership with the Ranelagh Yacht Squadron _____ Yacht Club. In so applying and in consideration of my application for membership being accepted I **acknowledge and agree** that:

1. In this membership declaration: "**Club**" for the purposes of this membership application and declaration means and includes the _____ Yacht Club Incorporated, its directors, officers, members, servants or agents. "**Claim**" means and includes any action, suit, proceeding, claim, demand, damage, cost or expense however arising including but not limited to negligence **but does not include** a claim in respect of any action, suit etc made by any person entitled to compensation under a relevant Club insurance policy or under any right expressly conferred by the Club constitution or regulation. "**Club Activities**" means performing or participating in any capacity in any authorised or recognised Club activity.

2. **The Club Constitution** is a contract between me and the Club. I will be bound by it and any By-Laws, regulations or policies made under it. I also agree to abide by the rules and policies of Yachting Australia (copies of which are available from Yachting Australia), and be subject to the jurisdiction of Yachting Australia in relation to the application and enforcement of such rules and policies.

3. **Warning:** Club Activities can be inherently dangerous. I acknowledge that I am exposed to certain risks during Club Activities including, but not limited to, physical exertion and injury, bodily contact, falls, equipment failure and unpredictable weather conditions. I acknowledge that accidents can and often do happen which may result in me being injured or even killed, or my property being damaged. I have voluntarily read and understood this warning and accept and assume the

inherent risks in participating in the Club Activities.

4. WARNING UNDER THE FAIR TRADING ACT 1999

Under the provisions of the **Fair Trading Act 1999** several conditions are implied into contracts for the supply of certain goods and services. These conditions mean that the supplier named on this form is required to ensure that the recreational services it supplies to you are:

- rendered with due care and skill; and
- as fit for the purpose for which they are commonly bought as it is reasonable to expect in the circumstances; and
- reasonably fit for any particular purpose or might reasonably be expected to achieve any result you have made known to the supplier.

Under section 32N of the **Fair Trading Act 1999**, the supplier is entitled to ask you to agree that these conditions do not apply to you. If you sign this form, you will be agreeing that your rights to sue the supplier under the **Fair Trading Act 1999** if you are killed or injured because the services were not rendered with due care and skill or they were not reasonably fit for their purpose, are excluded, restricted or modified in the way set out in this form.

NOTE: The change to your rights, as set out in this form, does not apply if your death or injury is due to gross negligence on the supplier's part. "Gross negligence" is defined in the Fair Trading (Recreational Services) Regulations 2004.

For the purposes of this clause 4, "the Supplier" shall mean and include the Club.

5. **Exclusion of Implied Terms:** I acknowledge that where I am a consumer of recreational services, as defined by any relevant law, certain terms and rights usually implied into a contract for the supply of goods or services may be excluded. I acknowledge that these implied terms and rights and any liability of the Club flowing from them, are expressly excluded to the extent possible by law, by this membership declaration. To the extent of any liability arising, the liability of the Club will, at its discretion be limited to the resupply of the services or payment of the cost of having the services supplied again.

6. **Release and Indemnity:** In consideration of the Club accepting my application for membership I, to the full extent permitted by law:

- (a) release and will release the Club from all Claims that I may have or may have had but for this release arising from or in connection with my membership and/or participation in any Club Activity; and
- (b) indemnify and will keep indemnified the Club in respect of any Claim by any person arising as a result of or in connection with my membership and/or participation in any Club Activity.

7. **Fitness to Participate:** I declare that I am medically and physically fit and able to participate in any Club Activity. I will immediately notify the Club in writing of any change to my fitness and ability to participate. I understand and accept that Club will continue to rely upon this declaration as evidence of my fitness and ability to participate.

8. **Consent to medical treatment:** If required, YV will arrange medical or hospital treatment (including ambulance transportation) for me. I authorise such actions being taken by YV where my further consent cannot be obtained and agree to meet all costs associated with such action.

9. **Privacy:** I understand that the information I have provided is necessary for the objects of Club. I acknowledge and agree that the information may be disclosed by my Club to Yachting Victoria and will only be used for the objects of the Club, Yachting Victoria and to provide me with membership services. I understand that I will be able to access my information through the Club upon request. If the information is not provided my membership application may be rejected.

10. **Copyright and right to use image:** I acknowledge and consent to photographs being taken of me during my participation in Club Activities and authorise the Club to use such photographs for promotional or other purposes without my further consent being obtained. Further, I consent to the Club using my name, image, likeness and also my performance in any Club Activities, at any time, to promote the Club by any form of media.

11. **Severance:** If any provision of this membership declaration is invalid or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, the phrase or clause is to be read down for the purpose of that jurisdiction, if possible, so as to be valid and enforceable. If the phrase or clause cannot be so read down it will be severed to the extent of the invalidity or unenforceability. Such severance does not affect the remaining provisions of this membership declaration or affect the validity or enforceability of it in any other jurisdiction.

12. **I agree to be bound by the policies of Yachting Australia Inc. and Yachting Victoria Inc as they are published from time to time on their respective websites**

13 I acknowledge that it is my responsibility entirely to ensure my boat complies with the safety prescriptions of Yachting Australia Inc and Yachting Victoria Inc. and that any such safety equipment required under the safety category declared in this application is at all times in proper working order.

I have read, understood, acknowledge and agree to the above declaration including the warning, exclusion of implied terms, release and indemnity. I warrant that all information provided is true and correct. I acknowledge this membership declaration cannot be amended. If I do amend it my application will be null and void.

Signed:

Name:

Date:

Where the applicant is under 18 years of age this form must also be signed by the applicant's parent or legal guardian.

I, _____ am the **parent or guardian** of the applicant. I authorise and consent to the applicant undertaking the Club Activities. In consideration of the applicant's membership of the Club being accepted, I expressly agree to accept in my capacity as parent or guardian, the terms set out in this membership declaration, including the provision by me of a release and indemnity in the terms set out above. In addition, I agree to be bound by and comply with the Club constitution and any By-laws, regulations or policies made under it.

Parent's Signature: (where applicant under 18 y.o)

Name:

Date: