

CANBERRA CROQUET CLUB REGULATIONS - MEMBERSHIP

1. Definition of Member

For the purpose of the Annual General Meeting, a member is a person who was a financial member on the last day of the previous financial year and has not indicated that he or she will cease membership.

2. Financial Year

The financial year ends on 31 May.

3. Membership fee

3.1 Subject to regulation 4, the membership fee for a playing member for 12 months is \$240, or such other amount as the Committee may from time to time determine. This fee may be paid in quarterly or half-yearly instalments, but members paying this way are committed to completing the full annual payment.

3.2 A member who lives at least 50 kilometres by road from the Club is eligible for a Country Membership rate two-thirds that listed in regulation 3.1.

3.3 A person who joins as a playing member after the beginning of the financial year will pay a pro-rata amount based on the annual membership fee calculated on a month by month basis. A member may not resign or transfer to associate membership for part of a year and re-join later at a reduced fee.

3.4 The annual fee for an associate (non-playing and non-voting) member is \$10, or such other amount as the Committee may from time to time determine, irrespective of which month of the financial year that person joins. An associate member has no playing rights except as specified by the Club.

4. A reduced annual membership fee for a playing member is payable in the following circumstances.

A person who is:

- (a) totally dependent on a social security pension; or
- (b) totally dependent on a war veteran's pension; or
- (c) a full-time student under the age of 25;

will pay an annual membership fee that is half the fee mentioned in regulation 3.

5. New members

5.1 No joining fee is payable.

5.2 New members will receive the following items at no extra cost:

- (a) A Clubhouse key
- (b) CCC personal name badge,
- (c) Details of the Club Rules, playing and tournament regulations and other information on the game (See CCC website) and
- (d) Canberra Croquet Club hatband if desired.

6. Coaching

- 6.1 The fee for Club introductory lessons is \$50 for six x 2 hour session, or such other amount as the Committee may from time to time determine.
- 6.2 The fee for each Club coaching session is \$2 for members and \$5 for non- members or such other amounts as the Committee may from time to time determine.
- 6.3 Professional coaches will be required to contribute \$5 per court per hour, or such other amounts as the Committee may from time to time determine.

7. Green Fees

- 7.1 Visitors who are affiliated members of their State Association or other national croquet or gateball associations are required to pay green fees of \$5 per day or part thereof, or such other amount as the Committee may from time to time determine.
- 7.2 Visitors who are not affiliated are required to pay green fees of \$10, or such other amount as the Committee may from time to time determine. However, members may invite such visitors for special activities as approved by the Club at \$5 per day.

8. Members and visitors are entitled to tea and coffee at no extra cost.

9. Entry fees for tournaments are set separately.

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