

Membership Application Form

Bacchus Marsh and District Historical Society Inc.
ABN: 17417446188 / Incorporation No: A0015500C



Instructions

1. Please read the **Important Information** section below and familiarise yourself with the conditions of membership.
2. Obtain and read the Rules of the Society (See our website or contact us for a copy).
3. Complete the Form and submit via one of the following:

Post Memberships
Bacchus Marsh and District Historical Society Inc.
PO Box 223, Bacchus Marsh, VIC 3340

Email enquiries@bmdhs.org.au

In Person Drop into the Archive during opening hours (See our website for opening hours)

4. Make payment of AUD \$20 (Excl. GST) dollars when requested by the Committee via:

Cheque: Make out to Bacchus Marsh and District Historical Society Inc.
or
Direct Credit: Bacchus Marsh & District Historical Society Inc. (Bacchus Marsh Community Bank)
BSB Number / 633-000 Account Number 155090822 (Please use your name as reference)

Membership Details

I wish to become a member of the Bacchus Marsh and District Historical Society Inc.

Full Name
Postal Address
Telephone/Mobile
Email Address

I have read and agree to be bound by the Rules of the Society.
(Please circle your response)

YES NO

Signature	Date
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Office Use Only

Date Approved by Committee	Secretary's Signature
Date Payment Received	Membership Number on Registry

Important Information

The Bacchus Marsh and District Historical Society Inc. is a not-for-profit association incorporated in the State of Victoria that has a well-managed Trust (Mona Denny (Bacchus) Memorial Trust).

The Society was established on the 4th of October 1968 by a small group of community members concerned about the fate of the historic police cells, which were built from local sandstone.

The Society has a simple set of Objectives, they are:

- The object of the Society is to promote the study, collection and preservation of Bacchus Marsh and District's history, historical places, and objects.
- To promote and support historical research and publication of the same.
- The Society shall elect three members of the Association to administer the Mona Denny (Bacchus) Memorial Trust and the terms of their appointments will be in the accordance with the charter of the said trust.

Members are involved in numerous activities and projects that support our objectives. They include:

- Answering enquiries on our pioneering families and local history
- Creating indexes so information can be accessed more quickly
- Maintaining an Archive of historical artefacts, documents, and photographs
- Publishing a periodic newsletter and books about the area, organisations, and people
- Organising historical displays and tours for the community
- Conducting research activities

We are a volunteer organisation made up of more than fifty members, working to preserve, protect and provide historical information to the public and members. To enable us to sustain our activities and maintain research services we charge modest fees to cover our ongoing operational costs.

The Annual membership fees for the Bacchus Marsh and District Historical Society Inc. is:

- AUD \$20 (Excl. GST) - Individual

There is no joining fee, and the annual subscription is due from the 1st of June each year.

To apply for membership please download the Membership Application form, complete, and sign the form, then:

- Post it to the Society
- Email a scanned copy to the Society
- Drop it into the Archive during opening hours

Please note for new members:

- Applications for membership must first be approved by the Society's Committee
- Do not send any money with your Membership Application Form. Once your application for membership is approved by the Committee you will be notified, and your annual membership fee will become immediately due and payable. Payment options are explained on this Form.
- As a member of the Bacchus Marsh and District Historical Society Inc. you will be required to adhere to all its Rules, which will be forwarded to you with your welcome pack upon receipt of your membership payment.