



MEMBERSHIP AND COACHING FEES

1. Annual Membership Fees:

Will be comprised of the SWA annual membership fee and a Club portion and will be set each year by the VPS Board prior to new season membership applications. Subsequent reductions in membership fees (club portion) can be set by the VPS Board at any General or Board meeting throughout the season.

2. SWA Transfer out of a Junior Competitor:

If a Junior Competitor Transfer is initiated using the Swimming WA Transfer Form "Application for Transfer" then any parent/s of that SWA member who hold an Ordinary Membership Class with the Club must sign a form that relinquishes their membership and rights and also agrees that they have no claims against the Club and that all outstanding debts with the Club have been cleared.

3. Membership Terms and Conditions:

All members must adhere to the Clubs Terms and Conditions of Membership as may be modified from time to time. Any breach of these Terms and Conditions may affect their membership including expulsion and/or suspension.

4. Coaching Fees:

Coaching fees are either monthly or casual and are set by the VPS Board.

4.1 Monthly

members are invoiced by the Treasurer each month for fees as determined by the squad category the swimmer is allocated to. **Waiver of fees due to absence requires a minimum of 2 weeks' notice prior to invoice issuance unless due to illness or injury and will be for 4 weeks or more and the treasurer must be advised in writing. No part payment of fees unless agreed to by the Board.** Each member agrees to pay all invoiced amounts and failure to do so may result in the swimmer being unable to train or attend target meets or club events if the outstanding amount is equivalent to 2 or more months of fees (or \$250 whichever is the least amount owing). In the case of unpaid fees, the Treasurer will make contact with the member to discuss payment. Failure to pay the outstanding amount, or to make payment arrangements, unless in the event of hardship or unforeseen circumstances, will result in written correspondence being sent advising the member that all training and competing may cease until outstanding amounts have been settled with the club. Continued non-compliance may result in the membership with VPS being cancelled. If a member leaves the club with unpaid invoices the club Registrar will not sign off on any subsequent club transfer requests until full payment is made. The Club reserves its rights to vary the scheduled training programs, including cancelling sessions on offer to cater for increased or declining demand.

4.2 Monthly Coaching Fee Discounts

– 10 per cent (10%) discount on monthly coaching fees for second and subsequent family member applies. A thirty per cent (30%) discount applies for Health Care Card concession holders (no other discount applies). A copy of the Health Care Card must be produced and provided each year (or when the card expires). Being an active Board member also attracts a discount, see Board By-Law "COMMITTEE (BOARD) MEMBER FEES"

4.3 Casual Coaching Fees (Members)

– Members who wish to pay on a casual basis must request this in writing and can only be purchased via a pre-paid booklet of 5 vouchers. Casual fees are \$15 per session for all Squad members. No discounts applied to casual fees (e.g. second family member or Health Care Card concession). The Coach will hold the booklet and hand back a voucher at each session to the swimmer.

4.4 Casual Coaching Fees (Non-Member)

- \$20 per session paid by cash to a Board member or the coach. This fee only applies to a visiting member of another affiliated club under a temporary arrangement. Other arrangement may also be negotiated for visiting members.

4.5 Coaching Fees (From 1st August 2019):

Bronze - \$75 per month

Silver - \$90 per month

Gold - \$125 per month

The Club may change these fees and discounts without notice.

Developed: January 2017

Adopted by Board: May 2017

Amended date: July 2019

Review Date: May 2020 (or earlier as required)

President or Delegate Signature: