

Wootton Community Network Inc
 A not-for-profit community group
 Operating the Brush Turkey Café



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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

(CONFIDENTIAL – one form per member)

1. I apply to become a member of the Wootton Community Network Inc.
2. I understand that the aims of the association are
 - to see the local area prosper once more, with improvements to existing services and the creation of employment opportunities in an environment of community not isolation.
 - to enhance the lives of people living within the local community.
 - to serve as an example to other small isolated communities.
 - to develop a sense of pride within the community.
3. The following information is submitted for consideration of my application:

Name:			
Postal address:			
Postcode:		Home Phone:	Mobile:
Email:		Website (if applicable):	
Local Address:			
This is my/our (tick as many as apply)			
<input type="checkbox"/> FARM <input type="checkbox"/> HOME <input type="checkbox"/> BUSINESS <input type="checkbox"/> WEEKENDER <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:			
I would / would not like to volunteer to help at some time, and have the following skills that I would like to share with Wootton Community Network 			
<input type="checkbox"/> I agree to abide by the Constitution and By-Laws (see reverse).			
<input type="checkbox"/> I agree that my contact details will be supplied to other members for networking purposes.			

Signed: **Date**.....

This form can be delivered to the Secretary or emailed with payment details. Secretary will advise if membership is accepted.

Annual membership fee **\$20.00** payable by direct deposit to:-

Wootton Community Network Inc.		
BSB: 932000	Acct: 500023558	Reference: "WCN22" and your name
Please email when paid to notify the Treasurer secwootton@gmail.com . Alternatively, you can post a cheque with this form, pay by cash or card at a meeting or event at the Brush Turkey Café.		



MEMBERSHIP – refer to NSW Model constitution

https://www.fairtrading.nsw.gov.au/data/assets/rtf/file/0004/370291/Model_constitution.rtf

2 Membership generally

- (1) A person is eligible to be a member of the association if:
 - (a) the person is a natural person, and
 - (b) the person has applied and been approved for membership of the association in accordance with clause 3.
- (2) A person is taken to be a member of the association if:
 - (a) the person is a natural person, and
 - (b) the person was:
 - (i) in the case of an unincorporated body that is registered as the association - a member of that unincorporated body immediately before the registration of the association, or
 - (ii) in the case of an association that is amalgamated to form the relevant association - a member of that other association immediately before the amalgamation, or
 - (iii) in the case of a registrable corporation that is registered as an association - a member of the registrable corporation immediately before that entity was registered as an association.
- (3) A person is taken to be a member of the association if the person was one of the individuals on whose behalf an application for registration of the association under section 6 (1) (a) of the Act was made.

3 Application for membership

- (1) An application by a person for membership of the association:
 - (a) must be made in writing (including by email or other electronic means, if the committee so determines) in the form determined by the committee, and
 - (b) must be lodged (including by electronic means, if the committee so determines) with the secretary of the association.
- (2) As soon as practicable after receiving an application for membership, the secretary must refer the application to the committee, which is to determine whether to approve or to reject the application.
- (3) As soon as practicable after the committee makes that determination, the secretary must:
 - (a) notify the applicant in writing (including by email or other electronic means, if the committee so determines) that the committee approved or rejected the application (whichever is applicable), and
 - (b) if the committee approved the application, request the applicant to pay (within the period of 28 days after receipt by the applicant of the notification) the sum payable under this constitution by a member as entrance fee and annual subscription.
- (4) The secretary must, on payment by the applicant of the amounts referred to in subclause (3) (b) within the period referred to in that provision, enter or cause to be entered the applicant's name in the register of members and, on the name being so entered, the applicant becomes a member of the association.

4 Cessation of membership

A person ceases to be a member of the association if the person:

- (a) dies, or
- (b) resigns membership, or
- (c) is expelled from the association, or
- (d) fails to pay the annual membership fee under clause 8 (2) within 3 months after the fee is due.

WHY BECOME A MEMBER?

Your membership helps support monthly dinners, community events, printing the Wootton Valley News, maintain the buildings and grounds.