



RED WING SOARING ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Membership Types

Individual Membership (Equity Owner)

Individual members own a share in the club assets (known as equity). Members are expected to do their share of the work; e.g. assembling the gliders at the beginning of the season, disassembling them at the end of the season, maintaining the hangar area, and acting as a Field Operations Officer a few times each year. These duties are light and no members are expected to do it all.

Family Membership (Equity Owner)

Family memberships include one adult and one child under 23 years of age, or a married couple may share a club membership. Family members have all the same privileges and responsibilities of an Individual Membership, except that they get only a single vote between them. An additional \$50 per year (annual dues) is the only cost associated with the family membership.

Youth Membership (Non-Equity Owner)

Youth membership is a non-equity membership designed to provide a cost effective method for youth to pursue interests in soaring and aviation. Youth members are still required to pay annual dues currently set at \$100. The applicant must be 22 years of age or less, the minimum age being 14, and those under 18 must have written parental or guardian permission. Youth members do not have voting privileges and there is no equity share buy-in or equity payout upon resignation.

Equity Level Options and Annual Dues

A number of equity levels and financial options have been created to provide flexibility to prospective members based on their financial situations. Prospective Individual or Family members can join at any one of three options; Full share, 2/3 share and 1/3 share. All equity owning membership levels have equal flying and voting privileges in the club. Share equity values are evaluated annually and adjusted if necessary.

1/3 Share:

Equity: \$600 (one time investment)
Annual Dues: \$550/year
* Resignation Refund: 25% of current 1/3 share

2/3 Share:

Equity: \$1,200 (one time investment)
Annual Dues: \$475/year
* Resignation Refund: 62.5% of current 2/3 share

Full share:

Equity: \$1,800 (one time investment)
Annual Dues: \$400/year
* Resignation Refund: 75% of current full-share

* Resignation Refund: Members who choose to resign will be refunded a portion of their equity based on their share level at the time of their resignation.

PLEASE CONTACT AN RWSA BOARD MEMBER OR EMAIL INFO@RWSA.ORG IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS REGARDING MEMBERSHIPS.

RED WING SOARING ASSOCIATION - MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name:

Current address:

City:

State:

ZIP Code:

Home Phone:

Mobile Phone:

Email Address:

Date of Birth (Youth Members Only):

Additional Member Name: (Family Members Only):

MEMBERSHIP TYPE SELECTION

Membership Type
(choose one):

Individual

Equity Level and Annual Dues Selection (choose one)

Full Share Equity \$1,800 Annual Dues \$400

2/3 Share Equity \$1,200 Annual Dues \$475

1/3 Share Equity \$600 Annual Dues \$550

Family

Equity Level and Annual Dues Selection (choose one)

Full Share Equity \$1,800 Annual Dues \$450

2/3 Share Equity \$1,200 Annual Dues \$525

1/3 Share Equity \$600 Annual Dues \$600

Youth

Annual Dues

Annual Dues \$100

SOARING SOCIETY OF AMERICA (SSA) INFORMATION

SSA Membership Number (if current member):

SSA Membership Expiration Date:

AVIATION EXPERIENCE (*NOTE: NONE REQUIRED*)

Ratings:

Hours:

Endorsements (e.g. towing):

SIGNATURES

Applicant:

Date:

Parent or guardian if youth member under 18:

Date:

APPLICATION SUBMISSION

All membership applications are reviewed and approved by the Board of Directors.

Applications may be submitted for review by any one of the following methods:

- Delivered to any member of the Board of Directors, or
- Emailed to info@rwsa.org , or
- Mailed to:

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