

Expression of Interest in Membership

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Previous Water experience .....

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Previous Scouting experience .....

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Bi-Monthly Meetings

The Water Scout Fellowship usually meets on the first Tuesday of April, June, August, October, December & February at 7:30pm to plan activities, share stories on past activities and exchange ideas. All are welcome to attend these meetings. Please contact a committee person to confirm the location of the meeting.

[www.waterscoutfellowship.scoutsqld.com.au](http://www.waterscoutfellowship.scoutsqld.com.au)

Joining & Membership Costs:

[Payable to Scouts Australia, Qld Branch]

**Joining fees** are valid until the next 31<sup>st</sup> March. i.e. Join 1/5/09 Pay \$47.50 and will need to be renewed on the 1/4/09. Fees for the 2009-2010 are as follows;  
\$47.50 for New Members  
\$9.50 for New Member with a Certificate of Appointment

**Renewal membership fees** are invoiced to the fellowship on the **1<sup>st</sup> April** for all members who are registered with the fellowship on the 31<sup>st</sup> March. Fees for the 2009-2010 are as follows;  
\$38.00 for Members  
\$9.50 for Members with a Certificate of Appointment e.g. Scout leader with another formation

Membership Fees [Paid to Fellowship]

\$10.00 per year for all Members

**Contacting the Committee**

Water Scout Fellowship email address:

[waterfellowship@hotmail.com](mailto:waterfellowship@hotmail.com)

Chairperson Lynette Kingston  
(3265-4982 A/H)

Secretary Doug Parry  
(3511-1427 A/H)

Treasurer Kerry Parry  
(3511-1427 A/H)



# Water Scout Fellowship

[Chartered Formation]

2009-2010



## Membership Information

Membership is open to anyone over the age of 18 years who has an interest in water activities, service to the community and would like to meet new friends. While this is a scout fellowship, membership is not limited to only those who are or have been members of the scout movement.

## Activity Information

The Fellowship will mainly hold water activities which may include canoeing, sailing, boating, skiing, fishing but may include other activities such as bush walking, abseiling and much more. As well, social activities are planned which may include BBQs, dinners and relaxing weekend breaks.

The Fellowship will also contribute to the community at least once a year by helping with a community activity or a youth activity for scouting. All activities are organised by members of the fellowship for the benefit of other fellowship members.

Insurance Cover is provided by Scouts Australia, Qld Branch however a minimum \$500 excess applies to any insurance claim should a claim be necessary. Personal Insurance only applies to registered members of the Water Fellowship or Scouts Australia on authorized scouting / fellowship activities.

## Fellowship fees

[Payable to the Water Fellowship]

### **Fellowship Fees**

This fee is payable annually and on joining to assist with the cost of stationery and postage etc

\$10 per year [paid to Fellowship]

**Hiring costs** vary depending on where we hire the craft. E.g. Scout owned crafts' hire costs varies between \$5 [canoe/kayak] - \$15 [sailing] per person per seat.

### **Activity fee:**

Members - \$5 per activity

Non-water fellowship members [18yrs +] - \$15.00 per activity



## Cancellations of Activities

Activities may be cancelled due to insufficient numbers or at the discretion of the Activity Leader.

When booking an activity please ensure you provide a contact number on which you can be contacted on the day of the activity

## Information for Water Activities

Members are encouraged to use their own craft and to supply their own safety and personal equipment, however hire craft will be sought for most activities. Included in the hiring will be the PFD and paddles.

Members' family and friends are welcome to participate in fellowship activities at the approval of the Activity Leader.

Please check with the Activity Leader for level of competence required and any additional information on each activity. A list of Safety & Personal equipment is listed below;.

### Safety Equipment

Map, chart and/or compass

Bailer

Throw/tow-rope [10metres]

Spare canoe/kayak paddle [for long trips]

Personal 1<sup>st</sup> Aid kit

Emergency Repair kit

Drinking water

Signaling devices [for night and day]

### Personal Equipment

PFD [Personal Floatation Device]

Sunscreen & insect repellent

Food [appropriate to the activity]

Wet weather gear [if required]

Sunsmart gear etc

Shoes & hat etc