

# Anne Arundel Radio Club Application Form

## **Please Read**

This is the proper form for applying for membership in the Anne Arundel Radio Club. If you have ever been a member of this organization and wish to be reinstated, you need the Renewal Form instead. This form is available on our web site by clicking on the blue text at the top of our online Application Form found at: <https://www.w3vpr.org/node/322>

## **Becoming a Member**

To become a member, you must first fill out a membership application form, either online or on paper. Dues, if applicable must be submitted. You must also receive approval from both the AARC Board of Directors and the AARC General Membership. This requires a vote typically held at one of the club's twice-a-month, regularly scheduled General Membership Meetings. Though your attendance is far from mandatory, you are invited to attend and encouraged to do so. We'd love the chance to meet you. The date on which the last of the conditions above are met, will be considered your first date of membership.

## **Free Memberships**

We offer free first time memberships to those who either attend a license class at the AARC and subsequently pass their license or upgrade exam for that class of license, or who simply pass a license or upgrade exam held at the AARC club house. Such memberships if granted in the first 9 calendar months of the year will expire on December 31st of that year. Otherwise, such memberships shall be free until December 31st of the following year.

## **Paid Memberships**

If you do not qualify for a free membership above, the standard dues schedule applies. We offer regular (individual), family and student memberships. Be aware, we do not pro-rate dues. If your date of membership is during the first 10 calendar months of the year, your membership will expire on December 31st of that year. Otherwise your membership will expire on December 31st of the following year.

## **Privacy**

Be aware we will make every effort to keep the information you have shared with us on this form private. It will be shared only with AARC Members. If marked "Do Not Publish" your phone numbers will be shared only with AARC Board Members as needed to complete their duties. We take the privacy issue seriously.

## **Welcome**

I hope after reading all this you are still interested in joining our organization. If so please complete this application form and tender any dues required to our club's Treasurer. We look forward to having you as a member.

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By submitting this application I agree to abide by the Bylaws and rules of the Anne Arundel Radio Club, Inc. ("Club"). I know that participating in Club activities and using Club facilities are potentially hazardous and that I should not enter into or participate in such activities unless I am physically able and properly trained. I assume all risks associated with my participation and use, including volunteering but not limited to falls, contact with other participants, the effects of the weather, the condition of facilities, and all such risks, property damage, illness, or injury being known and appreciated by me. I have read and understand the waiver, and knowing these facts, and in consideration of your acceptance of my application for membership, I for myself and anyone entitled to act on behalf of myself, waive and release the Anne Arundel Radio Club Inc. ("club officers and directors"), American Radio Relay League, and all sponsors, their representatives, members and successors from all claims or liabilities of any kind arising out of my participation in club activities, and use of club facilities even though that liability may arise out of negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons identified in this waiver. Further, I hereby agree to hold harmless the Anne Arundel Radio Club Inc., its officers, and directors, as the result of any publication of any image of myself or minors I have signed for, and not authorized by the Anne Arundel Radio Club Inc., including photographs and images used in whole or in part, or as modified by unauthorized individuals.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Please fill out the remainder of this application accurately and legibly.

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Call Sign: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_ ARRL Member:

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zipcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Do Not Publish Home Phone:

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Do Not Publish Cell Phone:

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Do Not Publish Work Phone:

License:  -None  -Novice  -Technician  -General  -Advanced  -Extra

Membership Type:  -Regular (\$30)  -Family (\$45)  -Student (\$15)

If Family is selected, enter names of family members who share you interest in Amateur Radio below including any call signs they hold.

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Call Sign \_\_\_\_\_

I Will Pay Via:  -Check  -Credit Card  -Cash  -PayPal  -Free – see below

To qualify for free membership you must 1) never have been a member of the AARC 2) either have attended an AARC License Class prior to passing the exam related to that class, or have taken a license or upgrade exam at the AARC club house. 3) have taken the exam referenced within the last 90 days.

Please make all payment payable to the Anne Arundel Radio Club, and submit same to the AARC Treasurer.