

So, you've had a few flights, like it, and decided to join, what next ?

Before joining, make sure you understand the following:

- * Gliding clubs operate on a voluntary basis so members are expected to contribute to the ongoing operations of the club where possible.
- * Learning to fly requires some dedication regarding time. Consistent attendance is recommended to stay current.
- * All aviation involves extensive procedures and facilities requiring serious money to keep a flying club operational. You will need to budget at least \$3000 per year to have a proper flying experience.

Full Club Membership \$145.00

Student Membership \$35.00

Infrastructure fee \$35 (per month)

Flying time charged per minute.

PW 6 (two-seat trainer) - \$1.10.

Smyk PW-5 - \$0.90

Grob Astir - \$1.00

The Club's qualified instructors provide their services at no cost to the student, so all instructional flights are charged at aircraft rates only.

Maximum charge for Club aircraft is three hours per day.

Launch Charges

Aerotow (normal operations) - \$5.00/min.

Aerotow retrieve \$180/hr (\$3.00/min)

Winch Launch (when available) - \$20.00.

TO JOIN BENDIGO GLIDING CLUB:

1. To fly gliders you need to be a member of the Gliding Federation of Australia (\$320/yr as at 2019). For GFA Membership details see <http://glidingaustralia.org/GFA-Admin/membership-purchase-or-renewal>. You will need to specify your primary club as Bendigo Gliding Club.
2. Fill in the Application Form (see page 2) and return to the club secretary:
Email: secretary@bendigogliding.org.au

Postal: Secretary, Bendigo Gliding Club.
PO Box 846, Bendigo, 3552

The secretary will soon contact you, and before you know it you will be airborne with Bendigo Gliding Club!



BENDIGO GLIDING CLUB INC
PO Box 846
BENDIGO VIC 3552



Incorporation No. A0000591J
ABN 87 890 655 043

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

SURNAME _____ GIVEN NAMES _____
RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS _____
POSTAL ADDRESS (If different) _____
MOBILE _____ HOME _____ WORK _____
EMAIL _____
DATE OF BIRTH ____ / ____ / ____

I hereby apply to the Committee for admission to membership of the Bendigo Gliding Club Inc.
I enclose the appropriate fee as determined by the Committee and I agree to abide by the rules of
the Bendigo Gliding Club Inc.

Membership Type (Tick one) Full Student Associate

Signed _____ Date ____ / ____ / ____

Nominated by:

Name _____ Signature _____

Seconded by:

Name _____ Signature _____

CONSENT OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN IF APPLICANT IS UNDER 18 YEARS OF AGE

I, _____ of _____

am the parent or guardian of the above applicant who is under 18 years of age, and I hereby
consent to this application.

Signed _____

Date _____