

Warrah Society ACN 000 705 644 (A Public Company Limited by Guarantee)

Application for Membership

By signing this document, I apply for membership of the Warrah Society and consent:

- a. To the terms of the Constitution of the Company – view [link](https://warrah.org.au/wp-content/uploads/2022/11/Warrah-Society-Constitution-9-November-2022.pdf)
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- b. To uphold the Statement of Values and Principles (please see attached); and
- c. To respond to annual correspondence sent by the Company for the purpose of confirming a Member’s membership or contact details within 3 months of the date of the correspondence.

There is no requirement to pay membership and the Applicant is welcome to make a donation to the Company. Any donation above \$2 will be tax deductible – donate [here](https://warrah.org.au/donate-today/)
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Surname:	
Given name:	
Mailing address:	
Email address:	
Phone number:	
Occupation:	
Date:	
Signature	

Are you above 18 years old	Yes	No
Are you an employee or spouse of an employee	Yes	No

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Statement of Values and Principles

1. Warrah Society's service philosophy is informed by an anthroposophical understanding of human development and the principles of Curative Education and Social Therapy.
2. We always uphold the rights and dignity of people with intellectual and other disabilities.
3. We uphold the National Standards for Disability Services, Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Governance Standards and the New South Wales Education Standards.
4. We strive for the highest standard of professional knowledge in providing quality education, services and support for both children and adults with disabilities.
5. We strive to understand each individual's disability and needs, and provide support that empowers each person to make choices, develop and contribute.
6. We acknowledge and support the innate capacity of each individual to know their own intentions and social needs, regardless of disability.
7. We recognise that although the physical body or soul may have a disability, the spirit of every individual is unique, enduring and free of disability.
8. We support individuals to build and maintain community networks of interest in accordance with their wishes, and encourage engagement and exchange with our local community.
9. We recognise the important principle that all relationships throughout Warrah Society carry a quality of mutual learning and respect.
10. We strive for clarity and transparency in communication and decision making as the foundation for trust, harmony and productive working relationships.
11. We strive to be a Learning Community where learning and continuous improvement are embraced by every individual as well as by the organisation.
12. We enjoy the cultural diversity of the Warrah Society community and encourage its expression through Festivals, special events and other cultural activities.
13. Our commitment to sound, holistic environmental values is inspired by Warrah Society's unique natural environment, and Warrah Society's Biodynamic Farm