

The ACTA policy on Members & Visitors:

Preamble

Member shooters, clubs and states are bound by a common set of rules and procedures as defined within the ACTA Statement of Purposes, ACTA Rules, Regulations, determinations, resolutions and policies. Sections 9(a) and 9(b) of the ACTA Rules summarize the arrangement:

9. EFFECT OF MEMBERSHIP

All classes of Members acknowledge and agree that:

(a) these Rules constitute a contract between each of them and the Association and that they are bound by the Rules and the Regulations;

(b) they shall comply with and observe these Rules and the Regulations and any determination, resolution or policy which may be made or passed by the Executive Committee or any duly authorised committee or other entity with delegated authority;

Clubs need to be aware that considerable potential liability is assumed when authorizing shooters, members or visitors, to shoot on their licensed grounds. For registered shooters currently registered with the ACTA or genuine visitors this liability is borne by the ACTA insurers. No liability is assumed by the ACTA insurers for any other person shooting on club grounds and in this instance liability would be borne by the club and/or its individual committee members.

For this reason the ACTA rules further state:

38. REGISTERED SHOOTERS

38.1 Registration with the Association

The Association shall keep a register of shooters and **no person may enter or compete at an Association competition, event, or at any competition or event conducted by a Member State or Member Club** appointed for that purpose, unless such person is registered with the Association as a registered shooter and is not in arrear with his or her registration fees.

Policy

Any person shooting at an ACTA affiliated Club or Ground must be either a current member of the ACTA or a genuine visitor.

A genuine visitor may shoot at an ACTA member club however they must sign the visitor book and may only shoot at three visits to the club prior to being required to join.

Membership of an ACTA member club must also include membership of the relevant State Association and the ACTA. ACTA offer several classes of membership (see website).

Visits referred to above include practice, target only competition and competition.

Reciprocal rights exist between ACTA and SSAA and Field and Game Australia but only for the purpose of the National 5 Stand Championships. There exists no reciprocal right at any other level.

Membership Categories & Fees 2011

FULL MEMBER - This category of membership is \$110

PARTNER MEMBER - This membership is available to the partner of a full member and is \$60

VETERAN MEMBER - This membership is available to persons who are over the age of 65 years at the time of registration, date of birth is required, and is \$60

LONG SERVICE CONCESSION - This membership is available to persons who are over 60 years of age at the time of registration with 30 years or more continuous membership with the ACTA. Date of birth is required. This category of membership is \$60

INTERMEDIATE MEMBERSHIP - This membership is available to person's 18 years and under 21 years of age at the time of registration. Date of birth is required and this category of membership is \$60

JUNIOR MEMBER - This membership is available to people under the age of 18 years at the time of registration. Date of birth is required. This category of membership is \$35

CLUB ONLY MEMBER - Open to new and existing members who wish to shoot non-competitively or competitively at their own club. Cost is \$68 including CTSN subscription.

This category is limited to 10% of Club Membership.

Members with a Club Only membership can convert to another membership category at any time on payment of the balance in the membership fee.

NEW START MEMBER – Open to NEW members only for a period of one membership year to shoot non-competitively. Cost is \$43.

COMPLIMENTARY FREE LIMITED

Each club will receive two limited free ACTA memberships (category and complimentary to be selected on registration form). There will be no cards sent for complimentary. These complimentary memberships are to be used for new members to the ACTA. Normal membership status will apply to the level of membership taken under this offer. New Shooter Levy is included in the Complimentary Membership. These memberships can be used up to and including October 31 each year.

IF DATE OF BIRTH IS NOT SUPPLIED FOR VETERANS, INTERMEDIATE & JUNIORS THE CLUB WILL BE CHARGED THE FULL MEMBER RATE.

REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNLESS THEY ARE ON THE OFFICIAL REGISTRATION FORM WITH ALL REQUIRED DETAILS COMPLETED.

Each registered Member receives a Handicap label, which must be attached to the current Handicap Card and presented at all competition events. This Handicap label, as well as providing proof of membership, records each Member's official grade and handicap.

Every registered Member, with the exception of Partner members, Club Only, New Start and Juniors, will receive a monthly copy of the Clay Target Shooting News (CTSN) posted to their mailing address. Juniors who have no other family members receiving the CTSN may apply to the ACTA to receive the CTSN.

5.3 2010 Registration & Fees Summary

FULL ADULT MEMBER	\$110
PARTNER MEMBER <i>(Partner to a Full Adult Member)</i>	\$60
VETERAN 65 years at time of registration <i>(Date of birth must be supplied)</i>	\$60
LONG SERVICE Over 60yrs with 30yrs continuous membership <i>(Date of birth must be supplied)</i>	\$60
INTERMEDIATE Over 18 and under 21 years at time of registration <i>(Date of birth must be supplied)</i>	\$60
JUNIOR MEMBERS Under 18 years at time of registration <i>(Date of birth must be supplied)</i>	\$35
CLUB ONLY MEMBERS Open to new and existing members who wish to shoot non-competitively or competition at their own club. Cost is \$68 including CTSN.	\$68 incl CTSN
<u>Secretaries please note this membership category is restricted to 10% of your total Club membership</u>	

NEW START **\$43**

Open to NEW members only for a period of one membership year to shoot non-competitively.

NEW SHOOTER LEVY **\$5.50**

(Applies to **All** new Memberships **except Juniors** and **Complimentary Free Limited Members**)

5.4 Half-year Membership

*Applies to **NEW**
'Full Adult'
Membership only
after the
1st July 11*

Forms must be dated later than 1st July and be received in the National office after 1st July

\$60.00+ levy \$5.50 = \$65.50

Half-year Membership is at a reduced rate and is not half price

Please note:

Half-year Membership does NOT apply to Veterans, Partners, Intermediate, Club Only, Junior or New Start members.