



# Australian Unicycle Society

ABN 11598822426

## Individual Membership Application Form

www.unicycling.org.au

### Section 1: Personal Details of the Applicant

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Suburb/Town: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (DD/MM/YY) Gender: Male  Female

*Date of Birth required for age-matched event categories. If left blank, applicant will be treated in the "Open" category at AUS events.*

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ (Mobile number preferred)

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Newsletter: I would like to receive the AUS newsletter (by email):

*Email may be used for membership information, newsletters and other occasional AUS communications, but will not be passed on to third parties. **PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!***

### Section 2: Emergency Contact Details

First / Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ (Mobile number preferred)

*Emergency contact details for use by AUS officials and event organisers only.*

### Section 3: Declaration and Waiver

I confirm that I have read, understood and accept the conditions of membership of the Australian Unicycle Society, **including the assumption of risk**, as set out in this and the following pages:

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

To be signed by Parent or Guardian if applicant under 18 years of age:

**NOTE:** AUS officials, coaches and volunteers do not have special skills or training in the supervision or care of children and adolescents. The guardian remains legally responsible for all risks and consequences of unicycling activities.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

The completed form may be submitted to your local affiliate, handed in at any AUS event or posted directly to the AUS at:

The Secretary, The Australian Unicycle Society, 35 Queen Street, Newtown NSW 2042

You do not need to fill out this form if you have completed an AUS Membership form in the past.

You are an active financial member in any membership year once you have attended an AUS or affiliate club event that year.

**PRIVACY INFORMATION:** The AUS is committed to the protection and privacy of members' information. The AUS requires the information requested in this form in order to provide you with the membership services of the AUS. Any personal information provided will only be used in accordance with the objects and purposes of the AUS, AUS general business and to provide you with membership services. If the requested personal information is not provided you may not be able to receive the full benefits of membership of AUS. The AUS will not disclose any personally identifiable information obtained from you to other parties for purposes other than those stated above without your express consent, except in circumstances where disclosure is required to prevent a threat to health or life or is authorised by law or reasonably necessary to enforce the law. Individuals are able to access their personal information through the AUS upon request to the AUS secretary.

# CONDITIONS OF MEMBERSHIP

(APPLICANT TO RETAIN FOR REFERENCE)

**UPON SIGNING THE MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM, THE APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THEY HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THESE CONDITIONS**

1. I hereby undertake to respect the Constitution and Regulations of the Australian Unicycle Society.
2. I shall participate in unicycling competitions or events in a fair and sporting manner. I shall submit to disciplinary measures taken against me and shall take any appeals and litigation before the authorities provided for in the Articles of Association and AUS Regulations.

**3. ASSUMPTION OF RISK**

*NOTE: Section 74 of the Trade Practices Act ("the Act") implies a warranty of due care and skill into contracts for the supply of services to consumers, as defined in the Act. To the extent that the warranty applies to any contract relevant to the Release and Waiver of Liability, it cannot be excluded.*

- a) The PARTICIPANT must disclose to the ORGANISER in writing any pre-existing medical or other condition that may affect the risk that either the PARTICIPANT or any other person will suffer injury, loss or damage.
- b) The PARTICIPANT acknowledges that the ORGANISER relies on information provided by the PARTICIPANT, and the PARTICIPANT states that all such information is accurate and complete.
- c) The PARTICIPANT acknowledges that unicycling can be a dangerous activity. The PARTICIPANT recognises that there are risks specifically associated with the activity, including the possibility of falls, twists, strains, broken bones, trauma or other serious injuries.
- d) The PARTICIPANT agrees with the ORGANISER in connection with any ride or event. In particular, the PARTICIPANT has been advised to wear an approved helmet at all times during any event.
- e) The PARTICIPANT understands and acknowledges the dangers associated with the consumption of alcohol or any mind-altering substance before or during an event, and the PARTICIPANT accepts full responsibility for injury, loss or damage associated with the consumption of alcohol or any other mind-altering substance.
- f) If a PARTICIPANT fails to comply with the ORGANISER'S rules and/or directions, the PARTICIPANT will not be permitted to ride or to continue to ride, and no refund will be given.
- g) The PARTICIPANT accepts all risks associated with the activity, including the possibility of injury, death, loss or damage.
- h) The PARTICIPANT agrees to indemnify the ORGANISER against all claims made by any other person against the ORGANISER in respect of any injury, loss or damage arising out of or in connection with the PARTICIPANT'S failure to comply with the ORGANISER'S rules and/or directions.
- i) The PARTICIPANT agrees and acknowledges that, to the extent permitted by law, the ORGANISER shall not be liable for any injury, loss or damage suffered by the PARTICIPANT or by any other person arising from or in connection with the PARTICIPANT'S participation in any event, whether such injury, loss or damage was caused directly or indirectly by the negligence of the ORGANISER or otherwise, or by the ORGANISER'S servants or agents.
- j) The PARTICIPANT hereby releases the ORGANISER from all such claims, and indemnifies the ORGANISER against all claims made by or on behalf of any other person.
- k) To the extent permitted by law, the PARTICIPANT acknowledges and agrees that all warranties, covenants and stipulations are hereby excluded.
- l) All accidents, injuries, loss or damage must be reported by the PARTICIPANT to the ORGANISER before the PARTICIPANT leaves the venue of the event.
- m) If the PARTICIPANT suffers any injury or illness, the PARTICIPANT agrees that the ORGANISER may provide evacuation, first aid and/or medical treatment at the PARTICIPANT'S expense, and the PARTICIPANT'S acceptance of these terms and conditions constitutes the PARTICIPANT'S consent to such evacuation, first aid and/or medical treatment.

I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ THIS ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND THAT IT HAS BEEN EXPLAINED TO ME, AS REQUIRED. I FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS AND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT. I SIGNED THE DOCUMENT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT MADE TO ME AND INTEND MY SIGNATURE TO BE A COMPLETE AND UNCONDITIONAL RELEASE OF ALL LIABILITY TO THE GREATEST EXTENT ALLOWED BY LAW.