



AUSTRALIAN BRAVERY ASSOCIATION

ORDINARY MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

OFFICE USE ONLY Membership Number:		Received:	Approved:
<input type="checkbox"/> Citation Checked	Signature of Membership Secretary:		
Family Name:		Postnominals (If applicable):	
Given Names:		Preferred Name:	Title:
Address:			
Suburb:		State:	Postcode:
Contact Numbers: (M)		(AH):	(BH):
Email Address:			
Date of Act of Bravery:		Award received:	
Date of Investiture:		Citation: (Please attach a copy)	

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY (See next page)	
Ordinary Member	<input type="checkbox"/> \$30.00 one (1) year or <input type="checkbox"/> \$90.00 for five (5) years
Honorary Member (Level 1 Award Recipient)	<input type="checkbox"/> Membership fee waived
Life Subscription \$300.00 (open to all categories)	<input type="checkbox"/> Limited to one hundred members
Ordinary Membership: Complimentary first calendar year of membership, then fees are due annually at the start of each calendar year.	

I do hereby apply to become a member of the Australian Bravery Association Inc. In the event of my admission as a member, I agree to be bound by the rules of the Australian Bravery Association for the time being in force. The information I have supplied is a true and correct account. All information is collected, stored and handled in accordance with the National Privacy Principals (NPPs). Details of the NPP can be found at www.privacy.gov.au. If you have any concerns about how your information is stored and handled, please contact the ABA at the address below.

I enclose the sum of \$..... being for my membership application.

<input type="checkbox"/> Cheque	<input type="checkbox"/> Money Order	<input type="checkbox"/> Cash (Do not post)	<input type="checkbox"/> EFT
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EFT details: A/C Name: Australian Bravery Association Bank: Westpac BSB: 034 122
A/C No: 68-8064 Reference: Your Name

Signature of Applicant: Date: / /

How do you wish to receive the ABA Newsletters?	<input type="checkbox"/> Australia Post	<input type="checkbox"/> Email
How did you become aware of the ABA?	<input type="checkbox"/> Investiture	<input type="checkbox"/> ABA Website
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please specify)	

Membership Forms and fees should be mailed to:

Melanie Warburton
 National Membership Secretary
 Australian Bravery Association
 16 Embling Street WANNIASSA ACT 2903
 Email: ABANationalMembership@gmail.com Website: www.forbravery.org.au

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

Ordinary Member

An 'Ordinary Member' is a member of the Association who:

- (a) has been admitted as a result of the receipt of an award for his or her brave act; or
- (b) is a next of kin to a posthumous awardee or deceased awardee.

These awards include the Star of Courage (SC), the Bravery Medal (BM), a Commendation for Brave Conduct and a Group Bravery Citation. As well bravery awards from other groups such as the Royal Humane Society, the Surf Life Saving Society, and the Police and Emergency Service Organisations.

Associate Member

An Associate Member is a member of the Association who has been admitted as a result of his or her:

- (a) direct next of kin or close relationship to an Ordinary Member; or
- (b) special qualifications, interest or capacity to support the aims and objectives of the Association and is accepted by the National Executive.

Honorary Member

There are two classes of Honorary Membership:

- (a) Category One: is open to an individual who is a Level 1 Bravery or Gallantry award recipient under the Australian Bravery/Gallantry Decorations and the former Imperial Bravery/Gallantry Decorations systems.

Level 1 awards include the Victoria Cross (VC) and the Cross of Valour (CV).

- (b) Category Two: is open to an individual who has accepted an invitation by the National Executive to become an 'Honorary Member'.

Honorary membership of the Australian Bravery Association is to recognise an individual who possesses qualifications or skills which will enhance the attainment of the Association's aim and objectives.