



SCVRC MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

Associate Member (Annual Dues: \$75; \$50 for seniors ≥60)

Requirement	Benefit
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Fill out membership form● Pay \$75	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Attend SCVRC member only event● Attend Club Picnic● Club Newsletter● Access to the club Email list● May become eligible for Full Member status● Access to Metcalf 200 yd range during Club activities● May assist with RO duties

Full Member (Annual Dues: \$75; \$50 for seniors ≥60)

Requirement	Benefit
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Current NRA member and provide documentation● Complete 180 Day probationary period● Have a club sponsor● BOD approval● Voted in by general membership	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● All Associate Member benefits● Discounts at SCVRC events● Eligible to be county proxy holder● Eligible to develop and run club programs or events● May serve as: Club Officer; member of the BOD; chair of various committees; prospective new member sponsor● Full Members, in good standing, may request inactive status for any length of time upon written notice

SCVRC MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION PROCESS

Step 1: Join as an SCVRC Associate Member

- Fill out an application form and join as an Associate Member (\$75 dues payment will be credited towards Full Member dues for up to 1 year)
- Join NRA and/or provide membership # and proof of expiration date to Club Secretary (NRA new member letter, copy of NRA membership card or NRA magazine address label)
- Attend a general business meetings and Club activities, including work parties
- Identifying a Club Sponsor. (See below)

Step 2: Transition to SCVRC Full Member Status

- Transitioning from Associate Member to Full Member is encouraged but not required.
- You must complete the 180-day probationary period
- Have a club sponsor and identify them with the club secretary
- Participated at club events and attended business meetings
- Membership may be revoked during probationary period by a majority vote of either the BOD or Full Membership
- Member works with Sponsor to fulfill requirements for Full Membership consideration
- Following BOD recommendation, only a majority vote by the Full Membership shall confer Full Member status

Club Sponsor's responsibilities

- Monitor/track Prospective Members Club involvement and service
- Ensure prospective Member is safe/responsible when handling firearms or train prospective Member in safe firearm handling
- Facilitate interactions with General Membership
- Sponsor will contact BOD to discuss consideration of Full Membership status

SCVRC MEMBERSHIP: CUSTOMS AND PRACTICES

Membership Reinstatement

Inactive Member status

- Send (or E-mail) a written notice to Club Secretary requesting reinstatement
- Dues amount and Member status (Full vs. Sustaining) will be determined by Club Secretary
- Membership shall be reinstated upon receipt of dues payment

Full Membership

- **Within one year:** may request Club President to consider an exemption
- Reinstatement as a Full or Associate Member will depend on level of prior year service
- No dues reduction will be allowed, and a penalty fee may be assessed
- **More than one year:** join as an Associate Member and complete steps as outlined

SCVRC Life Membership

Life Membership may be conferred upon any Full Member in good standing who has demonstrated **consistent, long-term, and exceptional dedication** to the SCVRC that far exceeds what is typically expected for continued Full Membership

- Nominations for Life Membership are determined by existing Life Members
- Nominee's justifications for Life Membership shall be presented to the BOD
- Majority vote by the BOD shall be required to confer Life Membership
- Dues payments by Life Members shall be voluntary
- Life Members shall be expected to pay any General Membership special assessments
- Proof of NRA membership is an **absolute** requirement and shall be provided to the Club Secretary on an annual basis as part of the annual membership renewal process, unless NRA Life Member status has been previously established

SCVRC MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION CHECK-LIST

It is each new member's responsibility to ensure the following items have been completed and to provide this sheet to the SCVRC secretary (or any club officer) when completed

- New Associate Member's name: _____ Date: _____
- Identify a club sponsor _____
- Fill out a "Membership Application Form" and provide to Club Secretary Date: _____
- If not an NRA member Join. NRA # _____ Exp Date _____
- Attend Club Events, Meetings, Work Parties

Event	Club Representative	Date