



WESTERN AUSTRALIAN SPELEOLOGICAL GROUP (Inc.)

(founded 1958)
www.wasg.org.au

Membership Application Form 2012

Enquiries: treasurer@wasg.org.au

Payment: mail form & cheque to Treasurer, WASG, PO Box 67, Nedlands WA 6909 (cheques/money orders payable to 'WA Speleological Group'); or bring form & cash to a meeting or pre-arranged trip; or email the Treasurer (as above) for options for electronic transfer

Membership Type

- \$100 Single Membership
- \$170 Family Membership (for couples or family members living at the same address)
- \$50 3-month Introductory Membership (for new members only; includes free use of gear for three months)
- \$40 3-month Introductory Student Membership (as above; must attach copy of student ID)
- \$68 Honorary Member – actively caving
- \$33 Honorary Member – inactive (not caving), but wishing to receive ASF Journal
- \$40 Member who pays their ASF levy to another club

Details of all persons covered by this membership (all minors must be accompanied by an adult)

	Name	Occupation	DOB	M/S No.	M/S Status
1					
2					
3					
4					

Postal Address					
Telephone	Home	Work	Mobile		
Email #1			Email #2		

Trip Leaders Must Complete:

First Aid Certificate Type/No		Expiry Date	
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- Please make my contact details available to WASG / ASF Members Please do not publish my contact details

Areas of cave related expertise you are happy to share/wish to learn (eg: palaeontology, hydrology, biology, geology, cave diving)

SHARE: _____ LEARN: _____

**All adults must sign the acknowledgement and indemnity on the second page for your membership to be accepted.
If you have any questions about this please speak to a Committee Member**

OFFICE USE ONLY

<input type="checkbox"/> Form checked / money received	<input type="checkbox"/> Record payment / issue receipt	<input type="checkbox"/> Issue membership card
<input type="checkbox"/> Add to/amend data base	<input type="checkbox"/> Add to 'Informer' database	<input type="checkbox"/> ASF database

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Name of WASG Member that form and funds were handed to: _____ on: _____

- Informers are now electronic – not arriving in your Inbox to inform you of club activities and upcoming caving trips?
- Changing address – including address or E-mail address?
- Need any of your personal details suppressed from the membership listing?

If so, please contact the Treasurer at: treasurer@wasg.org.au

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MEMBER'S CAVING DETAILS (Required for New Members and Trip Leaders)

New Members: Please indicate below what caving experience you have and which Trip Leaders you have caved with.

Trip Leaders: In accordance with the club by-laws you need to have a current **First Aid Certificate** and lead at least two open trips per year to maintain your Trip Leader status. Please indicate below the date and area of open trips undertaken and/or list other works or projects you have conducted in the past year which have contributed to overall club objectives.

EXPERIENCE LEVEL		Novice	New Caver	Experienced	Very Experienced
Date	Trip Leader	Details of Caves / Area visited / Project / Training / etc.			
		(Please attach additional pages if there is insufficient space)			

DECLARATION AND CONSENT

- I acknowledge that caving, rock climbing and their associated activities are very dangerous and risky activities and that my participation in caving, rock climbing and other activities associated with the Western Australian Speleological Group may result in my serious injury or death.
- Whilst undertaking activities with the Western Australian Speleological Group I agree to follow the instructions of the activity leader or other person in charge from time to time, and agree to exercise all possible care to ensure the safety of myself and others on the activity.
- I acknowledge that it is my responsibility, prior to the commencement of any activities, to notify the activity leader of any medical conditions, allergies etc. to which I may be subject as well as any prescription or recreational drugs which I am taking or which may be active in my body.
- I acknowledge that the Western Australian Speleological Group (whether by itself, employees, agents or contractors) shall not be liable for:
 - any loss, damage or injury suffered or occasioned by me as a consequence of my participation in caving, rock climbing and other activities associated with the Western Australian Speleological Group; and/or
 - any loss, damage or injury suffered or occasioned by me through the use of any facilities, equipment or programs provided, in caving, rock climbing and other activities associated with the Western Australian Speleological Group.
- I acknowledge that I shall be participating in caving, rock climbing and other associated activities at my own risk and I will not hold the Western Australian Speleological Group or its officers, employees, agents or contractors liable for any personal injury or loss of property whether caused by the negligence of the Western Australian Speleological Group, its employees, agents or contractors.
- I acknowledge that there is no term express or implied in any contractual relationship between the Western Australian Speleological Group and myself, that caving, rock climbing and associated activities, or any equipment provided for my use in the activities of caving and rock climbing and associated activities, will be safe for use by me.
- In the event of an accident or illness (real or apparent), I hereby authorise the activity leader, or other person in charge at that time, to obtain such medical assistance or treatment as he or she may consider necessary in his/her sole discretion. For this purpose, the person in charge may engage any doctors, nursing assistance, hospital accommodation or transportation as required and, in this event, I agree to promptly pay all fees and expenses incurred as a result of my accident or illness (real or apparent).

Signing clause: This operates as a full release to Western Australian Speleological Group Inc. Executed as a deed on:

Signed #1 :		Date:	
Signed #2 :		Date:	
MEMBER STATUS	<input type="checkbox"/> Regular	<input type="checkbox"/> Full	<input type="checkbox"/> Trip Leader (horizontal) <input type="checkbox"/> Trip Leader (vertical)

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Monthly General Meetings: 7:30pm on the first Tuesday of every month except January.

Baden Powell House (Scout Association Headquarters), 581 Murray St, Perth (enter off Harvest Terrace).

Members and non-members welcome. Bring friends along for a social evening of informative talks / slide presentations, latest reports on local caves, and get your name in first for future trips.

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