

MCRCF Membership Application Information

Membership Classes and Dues

All members of all classes (except non-flying members) must hold a current AMA membership for the application year. Annual dues are currently:

Membership Classes:	Regular and Senior - - - -				\$50.00
	Family (Exempt from initiation fee)	-	-	-	\$30.00
	Junior (Exempt from initiation fee)	-	-	-	\$ 5.00

See the MCRCF By-Laws for complete descriptions of membership classes. A *Junior* member is less than 19 years old *. A *Senior* member is 60 years old or older *. *Family and Junior* members are an additional member in the immediate family of and residing at the same address as a Regular / Senior member paying full dues. *Non-Flying Members* are members of any class who have declared that they will not fly during this membership year. Channel selection and AMA membership proof are not required for non-flying members. No frequency tags will be issued. *(Jr. and Sr. ages are as of March 1 of the current flying year.)

Initiation and Late Renewal Fees

A \$25.00 initiation fee will be charged to all NEW Regular and Senior members. Family and Junior members are exempt from initiation fees.

Late Renewal applications postmarked on March 1st or later must include the \$25.00 fee (except for Juniors and Family members.)

Remittance Table

Use this table to check that you are including the correct amount.

	<u>New Membership</u>	<u>Renewal (before 3/1)</u>	<u>Late Renewal (after 3/1)</u>
Regular: 19-59 years	\$ 75.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 75.00
Seniors: 60+ years	\$ 75.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 75.00
Juniors: less than 19 years – Requires a Regular/Senior member in same household.	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00
Family: each additional, Regular/Senior member in same household.	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00	\$ 30.00

Frequency Tags **(Please read this section. Frequency pins must be displayed when flying at the field.)**

Even members with a “SS” Frequency Pin must display their pin when flying at the field.

Your unique looking MCRCF frequency tag is replaced yearly, and will serve as your club membership card while operating at the field. Members are responsible for ensuring that any guests have a current AMA membership and display an appropriate alternative frequency tag on the frequency pole. Guests should also understand and follow all club safety rules and operational procedures.

Members will have their MCRCF frequency tags marked with the official club stamp once they are approved for solo operation. There is strictly NO flying without a Club certified instructor or flight qualifier until you have become a club qualified pilot and your frequency tags have been *officially stamped*.

Channels

In the table on page 1, please write in the channel numbers of the radios you own and intend to use at the field in the coming year. Please make a separate request for any tags in excess of six, but only if you plan to use them. *If you will use a Spread-Spectrum radio system, use the letters "S-S" for one of your channel numbers.*

Below are the standard numbered channels allowed. Numbers in bold have been heavily used in the past. Members might still experience some crowding on these channels, but it's become less common since most users now have Spread Spectrum radios.

72 MHz Standard Channels

11 **12** 13 14 15 16 **17 18** 19 20 21 **22** 23 **24** 25 **26** 27 **28** 29 30
31 32 33 34 35 36 37 **38** 39 40 41 42 43 **44** 45 46 47 **48** 49 **50**
 51 **52** 53 **54** 55 **56** 57 **58** 59 60 **SS** = Spread Spectrum

50 MHz Amateur (Ham) Radio Channels (licensed operators only)

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