2017 – Middlesex County R-C Fliers, Inc. Application Form – 2017

Please print and accurately complete all sections of this form - some information is shared with AMA.

*** Indicates mandatory information*

** **Name:** (Please print): _____
First Middle (initial) Last

** **Address:** _____
Street

_____
Town State Zip

** **Home Phone:** (_____) _____ **Work / Alternate Phone**: (_____) _____

** **Date of Birth:** (AMA request) ____ / ____ / _____ ** **AMA Number:** _____

** ***Include Photocopy of AMA card!***

E-mail address: _____
(Voluntary – you will be added to an e-mail list for club members only - *please print clearly*)

****NOTE*** If you have included your e-mail address, can we save newsletter postage costs by sending you an e-mail notification with the newsletter attached? ☐ *YES*, send e-mail ☐ *NO*, continue to send hardcopies

Please see page 2 for guidance on dues, fees, and channel numbers

Channel numbers and AMA membership are mandatory unless you declare yourself a non-flyer

** Dues and Fees	
Dues:	$
Initiation or Late Fee:	$
Total Enclosed:	$
Check #	

** Channel Numbers Maximum of 4	
Use "SS" for Spread Spectrum	
1st _____	3rd _____
2nd _____	4th _____

I declare myself a non-flying member. I will not fly this year.

( ) initials

Application Status	[ ] **New Member** (Include dues and initiation fee, except Junior and Family) **Ck** [ ] **If New Flyer** [ ] **Renewal** (Submitted before 3/1/2017) [ ] **Late Renewal** (3/1/2017 or later; include fee)

Participation Information	[ ] **Potential Instructor** [ ] **Will help with an event** [ ] **Would run an event** [ ] **Would consider running for office** [ ] **Would consider serving on a committee**

Read before signing: *By signing this application, I agree to abide by all rules, regulations and by-laws of the Middlesex County R-C Fliers. I farther understand that I cannot fly my aircraft without a club qualified instructor or flight qualifier until I receive my officially stamped frequency tag(s). I understand that if I do not abide by the AMA and MCRCF rules, my membership is subject to censure, suspension, or expulsion.*

APPLICATIONS MUST BE MAILED WITH PAYMENT TO:
(Checks only, Payable to: MCRCF. NO CASH)
INCLUDE A LARGE, SELF-ADDRESSED, STAMPED ENVELOPE

Ray Capobianco
28 Griffen Drive
Wakefield, MA 01880

_____ ___/___/_____
** Applicant's Signature ** Date Questions? Call Ray at 781.944.6056

Mailing Checklist: Please use this checklist to verify that your application is complete.

___ I have filled out all mandatory sections of the application. (These items are marked with red asterisks. **)
___ I have included a photocopy of my new AMA card for the current application year.
___ I have calculated the correct dues amount, based on my age, submission date, and status (New/Renewal).
___ I have signed and dated the application form and listed all of the frequency pins that I need this year.
___ I have included a signed check for the correct amount. (No cash please.)
___ **Do Not Forget**, send Ray a Large (4" x 9") Self-Addressed, Stamped Envelope (SASE) with your application.
We use the stamped envelope to send you important membership material by return mail – no envelope, no Membership Pin!

Use the Checklist – INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED!

Call Ray if you have not received your membership acknowledgement within 2-3 weeks.

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.

	New Membership	Renewal (before 3/1)	Late Renewal (after 3/1)
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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