



# York County Bowmen

15887 McCowan Rd. Stouffville ON, L4A 2P2

www.yorkcountybowmen.com

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

PLEASE ACCEPT MY APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE YORK COUNTY BOWMEN ARCHERY CLUB

NAME (IN FULL): \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: M F

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

POSTAL CODE: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE #: (Home) (\_\_\_\_\_) (Cell) (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_ E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

mm/dd/yy

\* Required, all correspondence is done through e-mail

ADDITIONAL E-MAIL ADDRESSES \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION: \_\_\_\_\_ SPECIAL SKILLS \_\_\_\_\_

(Useful for club maintenance or activities)

Preferred Archery Discipline: Traditional, Recurve, Olympic Recurve, Compound, Cross Bow

Please check  the type of membership requested:

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Type	Age	Fee * Full Includes \$50 Initiation & \$25 FOB Deposit	Summer Only**	Restrictions
	Adult	18-64	\$ 477.00 incl HST	\$ 341.40 incl HST	
	Family	n/a	\$ 646.50 incl HST	\$ 454.40 incl HST	Parents + dependent children 18 or younger
	Senior	65 +	\$ 330.10 incl HST	\$ 239.70 incl HST	
	Senior Family	65 +	\$ 544.80 incl HST	\$ 375.30 incl HST	Both members 65+
	Junior	12 - 17	\$ 307.50 incl HST	\$ 228.40 incl HST	
	Student Full	18 +	\$ 307.50 incl HST	\$ 228.40 incl HST	
	Student Part Time	18 +	\$ 183.20 incl HST	n/a	Students attending out-of-town institutions

\*\* No indoor range access Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> thru April 30<sup>th</sup>

**Effective March 1, 2018: HST 13 percent has been added to all fees.**

**HST # 858461445RT1**

### FOR FAMILY MEMBERSHIP ONLY

Please list adult partners' name, if applicable, and/or children's names (under 18 years) that will be included in your membership. Please specify children's birthdates and gender. Family members 18 years of age and older must take out an individual Adult or Student membership.

SPOUSE'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE: \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: M F  
mm/dd/yy

CHILD'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ BIRTHDATE: \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: M F  
mm/dd/yy

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**PLEASE COMPLETE ALL THREE PAGES OF FORM**

### ADMINISTRATIVE USE ONLY (to be filled in at orientation meeting)

ARCHERY EXPERIENCE, YEARS \_\_\_\_\_, LESSONS? DATE \_\_\_\_\_ COACH: \_\_\_\_\_

ORIENTATION DATE \_\_\_\_\_, PROBATIONARY FEE PAID \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVAL DATE \_\_\_\_\_, ADMINISTRATOR'S SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_

YCB memberships are for one (1) year starting January 1<sup>st</sup>. Memberships starting partially into the year are required to pay the full pro-rated yearly fee for the months remaining in the calendar year.

At the first Board Meeting following the 3 month Probationary Period a full membership will be considered by the Board. If the full membership is not granted or the new member chooses not to continue as a full member, a partial refund for the remaining months will be granted.

I promise to abide by the rules of the club as contained in the York County Bowmen’s Rules and Regulations and By-laws and I will observe any conditions or decisions made by the club’s board of directors.

I agree and my family agrees to indemnify and hold the York County Bowmen club blameless for any injury or damage I/we sustain to my/our person(s) or property while I/we are on the club’s property regardless of the cause of such injury or damage. A signed waiver form is attached to my application.

I have downloaded, read and understand the YCB Rules and Regulations.

SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ APPLICATION DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF SPOUSE IF FAMILY MEMBERSHIP: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN IF JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP: \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_\_\_ IN THE TOWN OF \_\_\_\_\_, ONTARIO.

**EMAIL TO: JOINUS@YORKCOUNTYBOWMEN.COM**

**MAIL TO: YORK COUNTY BOWMEN  
15887 MCCOWAN RD.  
STOUFFVILLE, ON, L4A 2P2**

For additional membership information visit [www.yorkcountybowmen.com](http://www.yorkcountybowmen.com)

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The following is to be signed after the orientation meeting only:

I have had an orientation meeting with \_\_\_\_\_ and have discussed, understood and agree to comply with all the rules and regulations of the club.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# Waiver Form

There is a potential risk for personal injury and damage to property while attending, or participating in any form of sports activity. Participation includes possible exposure to and illness from infectious diseases including, but not limited to Covid-19. While particular rules and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness does exist.

We at YORK COUNTY BOWMEN endeavour to create and maintain a safe environment at our facilities and we have established reasonable control of rules of conduct for participants, spectators and guests that must be followed. Any questions in regards should be clarified with an official.

This release must be signed by the prospective member and the spouse in case of a family membership.

## **Release:**

I/we have read the above notice of warning and fully understand the risks and conditions of participating in the events and functions organized or sponsored by YORK COUNTY BOWMEN.

I/we hereby save harmless and indemnify YORK COUNTY BOWMEN, its Officers, Directors, Coaches and Assistance from demands, claims, acting suits or proceedings arising out of participation of myself and/or family members in any Club activity or program or making use of the club facility in general.

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## ***Membership Application Procedure***

- To start the process of membership a membership application form must be completed and submitted by email, mail to the address on the form or hand delivered to the membership director. A signed waiver form must accompany this application form. Applicants new to archery will be required to participate in either the YCB archery school, private lesson or a short safety workshop prior to any participation in club archery activities by themselves. Arrangements for participation in the YCB archery school can be made with the York County Bowmen coaching director. School application forms are available. The short work shop can be arranged with the membership director. See the YCB website [www.yorkcountybowmen.com](http://www.yorkcountybowmen.com) for detailed information about the YCB School. A valid e-mail address is mandatory; all our communications are by e-mail. If personal access to e-mail is not available, maybe a family member or friend can take messages.
- New members must attend an orientation meeting, which will include a proficiency demonstration, prior to any archery activities at the club's facility on their own. After receipt of the application form the membership director will contact the applicant and arrange the orientation meeting and workshop if required. Applicants are requested to download and read the YCB club 'Rules and Regulations' prior to the orientation meeting. The rules and regulations will be discussed at the orientation meeting. A photo ID Tag will be issued to all members. In case of a family membership all listed members over the age of eleven require a photo ID Tag. ID Tags must be visible at All times on club property. Photos should be submitted via email with the membership application.
- All applications for membership are subject to a ninety (90) day probationary period. During this time both parties, the applicant and the YCB board of directors, have the option to accept or reject the application. The probationary period does not apply to members who have had a previous membership at YCB.
- In addition to the annual membership fee, new members are required to pay a one time non-refundable initiation fee of \$50.00. This fee will be reduced to \$25.00 for new members who have participated in a YCB Archery School Program within the previous 2 months. Members who allow their membership to lapse beyond Feb 15 of the renewal year, will be charged an additional administration fee of \$25.00 to re-instate the membership. This fee will also apply to past members who wish to rejoin.
- Fees include a non-refundable amount of \$124.30, (\$62.15) for students, juniors and senior citizens). This amount covers the probationary period of 3 months and will not be refunded should you choose not to join the club following the 90 day probationary period. A 50% discount off the administrative fee applies to recent (within two month) participants in the YCB archery lessons. Payment may be by cheque or money order payable to **York County Bowmen. E-transfers are preferable to [joinus@yorkcountybowmen.com](mailto:joinus@yorkcountybowmen.com)**
- Student and Junior memberships require sponsorship from an adult full member. No application for individual membership shall be considered from any person under the age of twelve years on December 31<sup>st</sup> of the year of the 12<sup>th</sup> birthday. Any junior member under the age of 16 on December 31<sup>st</sup> of the year of the 16<sup>th</sup> birthday needs to have a parent or guardian present at the club's facility at all times. All parents or guardians who may accompany this junior member at any time must participate in the orientation meeting with the membership director or a person designated by the membership director. It will be acceptable to entrust a willing adult full club member to take temporary charge of the junior member while on the club's facility. The gate lock code and an electronic key fob, to have access to the building, can be supplied on request but must stay in the possession of the parent or guardian accompanying the junior member. Photo ID tags will be issued to the junior members as well as all parents or guardians who may accompany the junior member at any time. These ID tags must be visibly worn by all while on the club's property.
- Family memberships include up to 2 adult partners and all dependent children under the age of 18 years. Family members 18 years and older must apply separately for an individual adult or student membership. Family, seniors, applies if ages of both spouses are 65 or over.
- A full time student membership is for persons attending school full time locally and make use of the club's facility year round.
- Out-of-Town student membership is for persons attending school full time out-of-town. They will be allowed access to the facilities from the beginning of May to the end of the Labour Day weekend. Occasional visits to the club at other official school holidays will be included. Key fobs or gate lock codes may be issued to these members on the membership director's discretion.
- Probationary members will have limited privileges of the club; the gate lock combination and a clubhouse key fob will not be issued. Knowledge of the presence of a full member or individual arrangements with a full member is mandatory to have full access to the club's facilities. It is not recommended that new members, unfamiliar with the grounds to meander into the forest by themselves; an adult full member's accompaniment is strongly advised until becoming fully familiar with the surroundings and trail safety rules. There are some heavily wooded areas and it is possible to easily become disoriented. It is recommended that new members participate actively in archery and meet as many full members and board members as possible during their probationary period.
- Approval for full membership will be reviewed, after the 90-day probationary period, by the Board at the monthly Board meeting (normally held in the first week of each month). Once approved and upon notification by the membership director, the full yearly membership fee is to be submitted to the membership director. Active membership starts as of the day of membership approval; payment is due within a period of 30 days after notification of acceptance. To accommodate certain circumstances special payment arrangements may be negotiated with the board of directors.
- Upon receipt of payment members will be eligible to rent an electronic key fob (\$25.00 refundable fee) to get access to the building, a lock combination for the gate and a new photo ID tag will be issued to all new full members. The ID tags must be worn in a visible manner (shirt, hat, quiver etc) whenever on the club's property. The members are requested to keep the lock combination secret; it shall not be passed on to non-members. Each year a new gate lock combination will be issued to paid-up members prior to the lock being reprogrammed. Building entry key fobs of members not having renewed their membership for the following year will be deactivated.
- The membership fees are for a 12-month period. However, we do operate within a fiscal year, which ends on the 31st of December. This date is also when membership renewals are due. Notifications requesting payments will be mailed in December to all members. New members joining partly into the year pay the pro-rated yearly fee for the months remaining on the calendar year. For example: A member being approved at the June meeting pays 7/12 ths of the annual fee.
- Certain maintenance is required on the clubhouse, grounds, 3-D, Field and FITA course during the year. All members, excluding Senior, Junior and Honorary members are obligated to participate in this work for a minimum of 10 hours/year. Administrative activities count as work hours. An additional fee will be assessed and added to the next year's fee for non-participation in the amount of \$10.00 per missed hour. Please note the notices on the board in the club house, e-mail notification or newsletters for work party schedules.

***Please retain this sheet for your information***

*Revised Jan 2021*