

# VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB

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## APPLICATION FOR TRIAL SPORTING

The VRC welcomes individuals engaged in any sport associated with the Club or recognized by the HKSF&OC to apply for Trial Membership of a Sporting Section. Applications are reviewed by the VRC Sporting Committee and proposed to the General Committee for approval.

To apply for Trial Membership of a Sporting Section, the following criteria are considered and reviewed annually by the Sporting Committee:

- Demonstrated excellence in one of the Club's core sports.
- Willingness and ability to make voluntary contributions and serve the Club.
- Willingness and ability to support the Club in developing performance through coaching, mentoring, and participation in Sporting Section activities.
- Financial need or short-term presence in Hong Kong.

### **Guidelines for applying:**

- **Access to Club Facilities:** Trial members and their spouse/partner, on payment of the appropriate fee, can enjoy full access to all club facilities and are welcome to attend all club activities events at both VRC venues.
- **Training and Competition:** Trial members can participate in training sessions and compete or race for VRC.
- **Team Selection:** Trial members are treated equally in team selection processes.
- **Membership Card:** Trial members will receive a VRC Membership Card with an expiry date.
- **Membership conversion :** Trial members have the option to convert to Associate Membership after completing the required 80 support hours per year totalling 240 at the end of the 3-year term without additional entrance fee. Failure to reach the 240 support hours will result in the end of this contract.
- **Validity:**
  - Trial membership is valid for three years.
  - Trial members are reviewed by the Sporting Committee and can be withdrawn at any time.
  - Trial membership can be terminated anytime by the member giving one month's notice.
  - Minimum age requirement is 16 years old.
- **Guest Access:** Trial members may bring guests, subject to guest fees similar to other VRC memberships.
- **Equipment Rental:** Trial members can rent club equipment.

- **Boat Rack Rental :** Trial members can rent a boat rack under discretion of the General Manager and subject to availability of space.
- **Payment Method:** Prevailing monthly subscription fees must be paid via Direct Debit Authorization (DDA)

### **Trial Membership Restrictions:**

- Trial members do not have voting rights and access to our reciprocal clubs.
- **Payment Terms:**
  - 30% of the entrance fee (at the time of application) of an Associate Membership in full, or two equal instalments over a period of the first 6 months
  - VRC Club subscription fee in force at that time
  - Fees set forth by the Sporting Section
  - Board/boat storage fee (if provided)
  - Subscription fee must be paid by DDA. Should the DDA stop working, membership will automatically be suspended until such time as the DDA is working.

For further details and questions, please feel free to contact VRC for an appointment to speak to someone on our Membership Committee or Sporting Committee.

### **To Apply:**

- Complete this application form and give/send to your Sporting Section for approval.
- Please provide an up-to-date passport sized photograph for Membership Cards
- Complete the [DDA form](#) and send the original form together with the application form to VRC Headquarters :

Unit 3, 29/F, Metropole Square,  
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- Pay the joining fee to  
VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB  
HSBC Account No. 002 252 393 001  
FPS : 113 982 128

## **APPLICATION FORM FOR TRIAL MEMBERSHIP OF SPORTING SECTION**

*(Please fill in full name and detailed address in **BLOCK LETTERS**)*

Name of Sporting Section:	
<b>MAIN MEMBER</b>	
NAME (First, middle, surname):	
ADDRESS (Residence) :	
E-MAIL :	
MOBILE NUMBER:	
OTHER NUMBER :	
DATE OF BIRTH:	
HK ID NUMBER :	
<b>SPOUSE/PARTNER</b> (COMPLETE if your spouse/partner wants to be VRC member/s)	
NAME (First, middle, surname):	
E-MAIL :	
MOBILE NUMBER:	
OTHER NUMBER :	
DATE OF BIRTH:	
HK ID NUMBER :	

Describe your reasons for applying for a Trial Membership of a Sporting Section. Include additional information separately if necessary:

How do you meet the VRC Sporting Member Requirements for Demonstrated Excellence, Voluntary Contribution, and Elite Performance Development? Please share your profession and how your skills could benefit the VRC through voluntary activities.


Please explain your financial need or short-term presence in Hong Kong. Supporting documents will be required during the interview.


Comments from Sporting Committee:


Name of Sporting Committee Proposer :	Membership Number:	Signature:
Name of Sporting Committee Seconder :	Membership Number :	Signature :

Please take time to read the Club's By-laws, located on our website: [www.vrc.com.hk](http://www.vrc.com.hk).

I am fully aware of the application procedure for Trial Sporting Membership according to the Club's Articles of Association and the Club's By-Laws.

I have read the Club's By-Laws and I agree that my family and I will abide by the Club By-Laws at all times.

Signature of Main Applicant:

Signature of Spouse/Partner :

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Name :

Date :

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Name :

Date :