



香港賽馬會
The Hong Kong Jockey Club

**SAMPLE of Racing Membership
Application Form**

SECTION 1 – APPLICANT’S AGREEMENT ^{Note 1}
(To be completed and signed by the applicant)

The Stewards
c/o Membership Services Department

Gentlemen,

I wish to apply for election to Membership of the Hong Kong Jockey Club as a Racing Member. In support of my application:

- a. I agree to provide all requested personal data;
- b. I have ensured that the details given in this application are true in all respects, in order that Stewards may assess my suitability to become a Racing Member;
- c. I agree to submit to the Club any document or evidence requested to support my application;
- d. I agree to be interviewed by the Club's representatives or committees;
- e. I agree that the Club may approach my bank, the persons who are named in support of my application and other authorities, including the Police and other law-enforcement agencies to conduct the necessary background checks; I also authorize the aforementioned parties including the Police to release any of my personal data in their records for the Club's reference.
- f. I have offered no advantage to anyone for the sponsorship or support of my application for Membership;
- g. I understand that the Stewards of the Jockey Club may reject my application for Membership without explanation;
- h. I have read and understood the attached "Notice relating to the Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance" ^{Note 2} which restricts the Club's use of my data.

In the event of my election:

- a. I agree to abide by the rules of the Club as set out in the Memorandum and Articles of Association and By-laws of the Club;
- b. I agree to join the Membership Card Programme operated by the Club's appointed Issuer, and to abide by the Programme's Terms and Conditions;
- c. I consent that the Club may transfer my personal data to the Club's subsidiary entities in or outside of Hong Kong (e.g. the Beijing Clubhouse) to facilitate the delivery of personalised services to me.

Signature

Date

[Signature area]

[Date area]

Notes:

- 1. To become a Full Member, a Racing Member must obtain a Full Membership application form and go through the application process. No automatic transfer is available.
- 2. Additional copies of the Notice (Form DP1) may be obtained from the Members Services Centre, G/F, Jockey Club Headquarters, 1 Sports Road, Happy Valley, Hong Kong.

FOR OFFICE USE
Full Membership Application
No. []

SECTION 2 – VOTING MEMBER’S STATEMENT OF SPONSORSHIP

(To be completed and signed by the Proposing Voting Member)

To uphold the integrity of the Club, Voting Members should make an informed judgement on the applicant and his/her reputation before considering either proposing or seconding his/her application.

The Proposing and the Seconding Voting Members must elaborate on the applicant's suitability based on their own assessment of the applicant's character and social standing, and have had personal knowledge of the applicant for a reasonable period of time.

[Fill in the name of the candidate here]

[State the length of acquaintance with the candidate. There is no minimum time a sponsor should have known a candidate. If the acquaintance has been of less than a year, please cross out the word "year(s)" and substitute with "month(s)" on the application form.]

An interest in horseracing is preferred.

I have known Mr Candidate personally for six ^{month(s)} year(s) by virtue of the following:
(a detailed description of your association / acquaintance, including family background)

EXAMPLE:
Although I have known Mr Candidate personally for a relatively short time, his father Mr Wong, membership number W9999, has been my friend for over 20 years. Mr Candidate graduated from the Cambridge University, and is now pursuing a career in the accounting field. He is a keen racegoer and would also like to use the Club's facilities as he has a young family.

Proposer should recommend the candidate who is a person of integrity, known to him / her personally and possesses suitable personal qualities. Accordingly, Proposer is asked to provide information on his / her association with the candidate and an intermediary (if any); and to describe fully the nature of their relationship.

I propose the applicant for Racing Membership of the Club and consider that he/she is a person of integrity and possesses the following qualities to become a Racing Member of the Club:

EXAMPLE:
I consider Mr Candidate a competent accountant. He demonstrates professional integrity in his work, and participates in community work in his spare time. (An example of this community work would be valuable here.)

Proposer should appraise the candidate's quality / suitability to become a Club Member. The description should convey the point that his / her sponsorship is relied upon his / her own knowledge and assessment of the candidate but not solely based on the introduction or recommendation from an intermediary.

I have received no advantage for the proposing of this application.

To the best of my knowledge, all information given by the applicant is true.

Name of Proposing Voting Member

Signature

Membership No.

Date

<Proposer Account No>

SECTION 3 – VOTING MEMBER’S STATEMENT OF SPONSORSHIP
(To be completed and signed by the Seconding Voting Member)

To uphold the integrity of the Club, Voting Members should make an informed judgement on the applicant and his/her reputation before considering either proposing or seconding his/her application.

The Proposing and the Seconding Voting Members must elaborate on the applicant's suitability based on their own assessment of the applicant's character and social standing, and have had personal knowledge of the applicant for a reasonable period of time.

[Fill in the name of the candidate here]

[State the length of acquaintance with the candidate. There is no minimum time a sponsor should have known a candidate. If the acquaintance has been of less than a year, please cross out the word "year(s)" and substitute with "month(s)" on the application form.]

An interest in horseracing is preferred.

I have known Mr Candidate personally for six ^{month(s)} year(s) by virtue of the following:
(a detailed description of your association / acquaintance, including family background)

EXAMPLE:
Although I have known Mr Candidate personally for a relatively short time, his father Mr Wong, membership number W9999, has been my friend for over 20 years. Mr Candidate graduated from the Cambridge University, and is now pursuing a career in the accounting field. He is a keen racegoer and would also like to use the Club's facilities as he has a young family.

Seconders should recommend the candidate who is a person of integrity, known to him / her personally and possesses suitable personal qualities. Accordingly, Secunder is asked to provide information on his / her association with the candidate and an intermediary (if any); and to describe fully the nature of their relationship.

I second the applicant for Racing Membership of the Club and consider that he/she is a person of integrity and possesses the following qualities to become a Racing Member of the Club:

EXAMPLE:
I consider Mr Candidate a competent accountant. He demonstrates professional integrity in his work, and participates in community work in his spare time. (An example of this community work would be valuable here.)

Seconders should appraise the candidate's quality / suitability to become a Club Member. The description should convey the point that his / her sponsorship is relied upon his / her own knowledge and assessment of the candidate but not solely based on the recommendation of the Proposer or on the introduction from an intermediary.

I have received no advantage for the seconding of this application.

To the best of my knowledge, all information given by the applicant is true.

Name of Seconding Voting Member

Signature

[Signature area]

[Signature area]

Membership No.

Date

[Membership No. area]

[Date area]

SECTION 4 – PRINCIPAL MEMBERS’ SUPPORT

(To be completed and signed by each of the three Supporting Member(s))

BY THE FIRST SUPPORTING MEMBER

I have known _____ personally for _____ year(s) and consider that he/she is a person of integrity and possesses the following qualities to become a Racing Member of the Club:

Each Supporting Member vouching for the integrity and suitability of the candidate is required to declare the length of acquaintance with the candidate, and to state the candidate’s quality to become a Racing Member.

I have received no advantage for supporting this application.
To the best of my knowledge, all the information given by the applicant is true.

Name	Signature
_____	_____
Membership No.	Date
_____	_____

BY THE SECOND SUPPORTING MEMBER

I have known _____ personally for _____ year(s) and consider that he/she is a person of integrity and possesses the following qualities to become a Racing Member of the Club:

Each Supporting Member vouching for the integrity and suitability of the candidate is required to declare the length of acquaintance with the candidate, and to state the candidate’s quality to become a Racing Member.

I have received no advantage for supporting this application.
To the best of my knowledge, all the information given by the applicant is true.

Name	Signature
_____	_____
Membership No.	Date
_____	_____

BY THE THIRD SUPPORTING MEMBER

I have known _____ personally for _____ year(s) and consider that he/she is a person of integrity and possesses the following quality to become a Racing Member of the Club:

Each Supporting Member vouching for the integrity and suitability of the candidate is required to declare the length of acquaintance with the candidate, and to state the candidate’s quality to become a Racing Member.

I have received no advantage for supporting this application.
To the best of my knowledge, all the information given by the applicant is true.

Name	Signature
_____	_____
Membership No.	Date
_____	_____

SECTION 5 – PERSONAL DETAILS OF MEMBERSHIP APPLICANT AND FAMILY MEMBER(S) (To be completed by the applicant)

PERSONAL DETAILS

Salutation Miss Mr Mrs Ms Dr Prof Other (Please specify)

Surname

Other Names in Full

Name in Chinese

Name you would like to be known as in Club publications:

HK Identity Card No.

Date of Birth (Day/Month/Year) / /

Sex Male Female

Marital Status Single Married

Nationality

Residential Address *Rm/Suite/Flat/Unit/Apt
*Blk/Hse/Tower
No. & Name of Street
District

Residential Phone No.

Mobile Phone No.

Primary Email Address

Secondary Email Address

Principal Occupation

Name of Firm

Brief Description of Business

Position in Firm

Business Address *Rm/Suite/Flat/Unit/Apt
*Blk/Hse/Tower
No. & Name of Street
District HK Kln NT

Business Phone No. Fax No:

Correspondence Address Residential Business
(Please choose one as your preferred correspondence address)

* Delete as appropriate

This information assists the Stewards in their assessment of the applicant's qualities and suitability for membership. Each applicant is asked to provide detailed information on his / her personal and business background.

Academic qualifications (Please ✓ as appropriate)

- Secondary Tertiary
- University (Please specify)

Professional qualifications and membership of professional associations (e.g. ACCA, FHKAM)

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This information assists the Stewards in their assessment of the applicant's qualities and suitability for membership. Each applicant is asked to provide detailed information on professional background, any community service carried out and any horse-racing or ownership interests.

Community services (For example, volunteer work or organisations during the past ten years)

Organisation	Position
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Other achievements (Please give additional information)

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Membership of other clubs (if any)

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Horse racing interests (Please ✓ as appropriate)

- How often do you attend the races?
- times per month
- How long have you been interested in racing?
- Where do you prefer to watch the races?
- Home
 - Racecourse Any preferred areas?
 - Others

This information assists the Stewards in their assessment of the applicant's involvement in horse racing, as it is the Club's core offering.

Which part of the racing experience do you enjoy the most?

(For example, excitement of the race, sporting entertainment, socialising, betting, etc.)

Which is your favourite horse? Who is your favourite jockey and trainer?

Favourite horse

Favourite jockey

Favourite trainer

Are there any major local and overseas races that you especially want to attend? Why?

Do you intend to become a horseowner? Yes No

Do you own racehorses overseas? Yes No

If yes, how many racehorses do you own? _____
 where? _____ (Country)

Have you ever been barred from any racecourse in the world?

No Yes _____
(Please specify)

Have you ever been convicted in a court in Hong Kong or elsewhere of any criminal offence (excluding traffic Related offences)?

No Yes _____
(Please specify)

CLOSE RELATIVES WHO ARE MEMBERS OF THE CLUB

(i.e. Parents, brothers/sisters, in-laws, children)

Name	Membership No.	Relationship

BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION

Name of Bank _____
Branch _____
Account No. _____