

ROCKY MOUNTAIN PYROTECHNICS GUILD

MEMBERSHIP - General Information

Membership in the Rocky Mountain Pyrotechnics Guild is January to December. Dues for the year are payable beginning January 1. Beginning in 2020, a late fee of \$25 will be charged if dues are not paid before April 1.

You must be a current member in order to participate in the field at any build/shoot events or to vote at RMPG meetings.

Definitions:

A current (or renewed or new) member is one who has paid the membership dues for the current calendar year.

A renewing member is one who paid the membership dues the previous year.

A former member is one who did not pay membership dues the previous year.

For a former member to renew, they must pay for the previous year and the current year.

If someone has not paid dues for more two or more years they are a non-member and need to apply to be a new member.

A temporary member is a one-time (not once/year) opportunity for a person to see what club build/shoots are like before they join. It is \$25 for that one event, which can be applied toward a Single or Family membership, if they join within one year. The person may ONLY observe; they may not manufacture, load, wire, fire or touch any energetic materials. They must come with and stay with their RMPG sponsor. They may not take photographs or videos while in the member only area of the field without the express approval of all persons who will appear in the picture or video. These pictures or videos may NOT be published NOR appear on any websites.

A supporting member is one who pays annual dues of \$25. This entitles them to be on the copyro list server and receive the Hothead newsletter, but they cannot attend events or vote at meetings. No signature or copy of driver's license is required for Supporting Members. The \$25 can be applied toward a Single or Family membership.

Beginning in 2019 we have a modified membership category for new members wishing to join AFTER August 31 in any year. These new members will pay the \$100 initiation fee, plus \$25 for a single or \$40 for a family membership. At that time they are considered full and active members for the remainder of that calendar year. In January, they are renewing members just like everyone else.