



# The Ohio Radio Kontrol Society, Inc.

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## TORKS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ CELL PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTH DATE \_\_\_\_\_ AMA MEMBERSHIP # \_\_\_\_\_

OCCUPATION \_\_\_\_\_ EMPLOYER \_\_\_\_\_

YEARS FLYING RC \_\_\_\_\_ PREVIOUS CLUBS \_\_\_\_\_

POSITIONS HELD \_\_\_\_\_

TORKS MEMBER SPONSOR \_\_\_\_\_

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY APPLYING FOR (see reverse side) \_\_\_\_\_

WHY DID YOU CHOOSE TORKS? \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_

### Application Procedure:

1. Ask a current TORKS member to serve as the sponsor of your membership application. If you don't already know a TORKS member to do this for you, a visit to the field will help you to meet current members.
2. Complete this form and bring it to a club meeting, along with payment for applicable dues and fees. (The date and location of the next club meeting may be found on the Club's website.) You will be asked at this meeting to introduce yourself and then the club members will vote whether to accept you as a probationary member.
3. Dues for a Regular membership are \$150.00 per year. There is a one-time initiation fee of \$150.00, payment of which may be spread over three years. Descriptions of all membership categories are provided on the reverse side of this sheet.
4. There is a one year "probationary" period after which you must attend a club meeting at which the club members will vote whether to accept you as a full member. As a probationary member you may use all the facilities of the field—your only limitation is not being able to vote on issues before the membership. If you have children under 16 they may become Junior members with no dues, but they must also show a current AMA card in order to fly. Your spouse may be listed as an Associate if so desired with no fees.
5. There is an Orientation Program which you must attend and pass, during which your flying skills will be evaluated. If you cannot already fly, arrangements can be made for individual instruction. Your sponsor is responsible for your indoctrination and flight training. He or she may, however, ask someone else to be your instructor.
6. You must be a member of the Academy of Model Aeronautics (AMA) to receive your membership card and flying privileges. The club treasurer will independently verify that your AMA membership is current.
7. There is a "Member Manual" which you will be given and which contains all the rules of the Club.

## TORKS MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

<b>Category</b>	<b>Dues</b>	<b>Initiation Fees</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1-Regular	\$150/year	\$150 one-time. (May be paid \$50 per year for three years. Second and third year may be reduced to \$20 by working at Club's major events.)	
2-Family	\$75/year	\$75 one-time. (May be paid \$25 per year for three years. Second and third year may be reduced to \$10 by working at Club's major events.)	Must be living in same household as a current Regular member.
3-Life	None.	None.	Awarded by vote of the membership for extraordinary contributions to the Club.
4-Associate	None.	None.	Non-flying spouse of a current Regular member.
5-Junior	None.	None.	Must be under 19 years old and a dependent of a current Regular member.
6-Probationary	\$150/year	\$150 one-time. (May be paid \$50 per year for three years. Second and third year may be reduced to \$20 by working at Club's major events.)	
7-Affiliate	\$50/year	\$150 one-time. (May be paid \$50 per year for three years. Second and third year may be reduced to \$20 by working at Club's major events.)	Non-flying membership.