

Membership Application

Your membership helps support programs, events, services, and facilities provided by ARAS!

The object of a society is to encourage improvement in agriculture and enhanced quality of life for persons living in the community by developing educational programs, events, services and facilities based on needs of the community.

(Agricultural Societies Amendment Act, 2015) This application is for one individual to membership to the Ardrossan Recreation & Agricultural Society (ARAS), www.ArdrossanAg.ca. Annual dues are \$10 and membership is valid from January to December of each year. Only one vote per membership. More than one member of each household may purchase an individual membership. A person under the age of 18 may become a non-voting member and may also serve on a committee. To be eligible to vote at a membership meeting, and/or to serve as a director, member must be 18 years of age or older and dues must be paid to date. No refunds, transfers, or voting proxies permitted. **Applicant Name:** Mailing Address: Phone Number(s): Email: Yes, I agree to receive membership information from ARAS by email. (ARAS does not share your email with any other organization.) Are you interested in volunteering? If yes, please submit a Volunteer Application to indicate your areas of interest. Yes Maybe No Signature: Date: Click here to submit or email the completed application to aras.president@gmail.com or mail to Ardrossan Recreation & Agricultural Society (ARAS), 60 First Avenue, Ardrossan, Alberta, T8E 2A2. Dues can be e-transferred to aras.treasurer@gmail.com.

Administration Use	
Application date:	Method of Payment:
New Member	
Renewal	

Code of Conduct



Ardrossan Recreation & Agricultural Society (ARAS, or "the Society") codes of conduct applies to the board of directors, employees and members.

The **MEMBER CODE** includes the following items:

- 1. Accept the individual and collective duty to participate unselfishly.
- 2. Serve the Society by making decisions that best suit the interests of the Society and the community it serves.
- 3. Prepare and participate in order to add value to the organization at general meetings and functions.
- 4. Respect each other during and outside of meetings and recognize the value that diverse experiences and perspectives bring to the Society.
- 5. Speak positively about the Society internally and externally and maintain clear, consistent, honest messaging that honours our organization.
- 6. Respect any information learned during participation as members.
- 7. Avoid conflicts of interest by informing the board whenever there is a perceived conflict and abstaining from related motions, discussions, or decision-making.
- 8. Uphold member commitments by understanding the Agricultural Societies bylaws, be informed and support plans set by the board, ensuring the objectives of the Society are being accomplished.
- 9. Seek excellence by investing in personal and organizational development and growth.

Signature of Member	Date	
Printed Name		