



## Membership – Policy

Membership of the SpringDale Neighbourhood Centre is open to all people who wish to be part of a SpringDale Special Interest Group or people who share our values and wish to be part of our organisation.

### Membership Categories

1. **Individual Members**

People who wish to make use of membership privileges.

2. **Whole of Life Membership**

This is simply a prepaid membership and entitles the member to all the privileges for the rest of the person's life. The benefits are not transferable.

3. **Life Member**

This is a very special category of membership and is only awarded to those who have given exceptional service to SpringDale. This award is presented at the AGM or other special occasion as the SpringDale Committee sees fit. A person may be nominated by any member and this honour may only be awarded by the SpringDale Committee.

### Membership Privileges

Membership entitles individuals and representatives to participate in events and meetings. Members may be part of a SpringDale Special Interest Group if there is a vacancy in said group.

Members may participate at General meetings and may attend committee meetings as observers. All members are eligible to be appointed to the committee (after a minimum 12 months membership).

### Register

A register of members will be kept in accordance with the SpringDale Neighbourhood Centre Inc. constitution. Access to inspect the register of members may be obtained through the Secretary, who will advise the Committee that access has been requested. Updates to the register will be made during the year

### Renewal

The annual membership fee is set by the Committee of Management. All memberships are up for renewal in January each year. Membership fees are set at the Annual Meeting as per our Constitution.