**Membership renewal for Life and Veteran Members**

FFFAIF has several membership categories including Individual, Corporate, Life and Honorary Members and Veteran members.

Life Members have been elected at an AGM as the highest honour in recognition of outstanding and meritorious service to the FFFAIF, such as service on the committee for over ten years. **Life Members** are entitled to the privileges of members including **electronic copies of** ***DIGGER*** **and COBB*e*R** and **do not** **have to pay an annual membership fee** ($40 or $35 concessional).

The FFFAIF Committee recognises that Members with 15 or more years membership who have attained an age of 90 years or more have made a significant contribution to the Association, and has chosen to reward these loyal veteran Members by waiving the annual membership fee of $35.

Both Life Members and Veteran Members are entitled to **receive their electronic copy of** ***DIGGER*** **without charge**, however those wishing **to receive** **a paper copy of *DIGGER*** can elect the PLUS option with their membership by **PAYING $30 per annum as a contribution towards printing and posting of your paper copies.**

**Please read carefully** the membership structures below so that you *select the option* that best suits your needs. You can renew your e-membership or PLUS membership, *OR* take the opportunity to switch from one membership type to the other for 2022/23.

***PLUS for Life and Veteran Members***

**Life and Veteran members wishing to receive printed copies of *DIGGER***

Select this option if you wish to maintain a library of *DIGGER* issues in hard copy formor *if you DO NOT have a current e-mail address*. (NB: Those PLUS-Life/Veteran members with e-mail will receive the electronic copy of *DIGGER* as well as the paper copy.)

For **$30** per annum, ***Plus*** ***Life and Plus Veteran members*** receive:

* all of the***e-membership*** rights and benefits listed below (under e-membership), ***PLUS***
* **four printed** issues of *DIGGER* each year, ***PLUS***
* electronic versions of the AGM materials if you have an e-mail address; paper copies if you do not have e-mail.

This category is known in shorthand as ‘***PLUS*** ***LIFE or PLUS VETERAN*** ***membership***’.

***e-membership for Life or Veteran Members***

Select this option if you have *a current e-mail address* and a device on which to download, store and read *DIGGER* and COBB*e*R magazines and you wish to enjoy your FREE membership.

E-Life and e-Veteran memberships *do not receive a printed copy of the AGM materials or DIGGER magazine*. Please re-supply your current e-mail address to ensure our records are up to date.

For no charge, ***e-Life members and e-Veteran members*** receive:

* full membership rights including voting at AGM meetings,
* four searchable **electronic issues** of our flagship *DIGGER* magazine each year, e-mailed as a pdf and readable on PC and tablets;
* copies of our electronic COBB*e*R magazine and any e-books produced for members
* downloadable back issues of *DIGGER*,
* access to the FFFAIF Facebook group and website,
* electronic invitations to John Laffin Memorial Lectures, commemorations and other events,
* electronic versions of the AGM materials, e-mailed to you.

This category is known in shorthand as ‘***e-LIFE or e-VETERAN membership***’.

**Multi-year memberships – PLUS LIFE and PLUS VETERAN members only**

The committee encourages you to take out a two or three-year membership. This will reduce paperwork (ours and yours) and avoids any fee increase over your years of paid-up **PLUS LIFE** or **PLUS VETERAN** membership. Multi-year fees are equal to the single year rate x 2 or 3 years.

**2022/23 LIFE and VETERAN Membership Renewal Form**

Please read carefully and complete with your chosen membership category and method of payment. Complete, scan and e-mail to **membership@fffaif.org.au** or return the form by post to:

**Membership, FFFAIF Inc, PO Box 4245, FORSTER NSW 2428.**

Contact [secretary@fffaif.org.au](mailto:secretary@fffaif.org.au) or phone 02 6882 6270 if you have any questions.

**Both PLUS and e-LIFE and VETERAN MEMBERS should fill out the table below.**

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| Member’s name |  | | **Member No. AUS** | **Receipt No. (Office)  U** |
| E-mail address [print neatly] | |  | | |
| Is this the same e-mail address we have been using for you? | | | Yes / No (circle) | |

***Option 1: PLUS LIFE and PLUS VETERAN membership***

**For printed copies of *DIGGER* (for 1, 2 or 3 years)** **– (includes bonus electronic copies of *DIGGER* andCOBB*e*R** **magazines, if e-mail address supplied).**

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| Select your subscription amount from the following six options by circling your **one** choice: | |
| Plus Life or Plus Veteran membership for one (1) year | **$30 PLUS L/V Member 1yr** |
| Plus Life or Plus Veteran membership for two (2) years | **$60 PLUS L/V Member 2yrs** |
| Plus Life or Plus Veteran membership for three (3) years | **$90 PLUS L/V Member 3yrs** |

**Method of Payment for PLUS LIFE/VETERAN members**: (Please indicate with **X** in left hand column.)

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|  | **Cheque or Money Order** enclosed. Payable to ‘FFFAIF Inc.’ Send to Forster address (above). | Date of cheque: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_202\_\_ |
|  | **Electronic Funds Transfer**  **BSB**: 012402 (ANZ) **Account Name**: Families & Friends First AIF **Account Number**: 110142368  **Payment Descriptor**: (Your name)-Subs or Member No. or Phone number to allow us to identify you. | *Please still return this form by post or e-mail if you pay your membership by EFT to enable reconciling of payments received. (attach scan or photograph of form) OR Alternative: Send e-mail message with your details and date/descriptor of payment.*  *Thanks*   Date of direct deposit: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_202\_\_ |
|  | **Credit card**  Card type: Visa / Mastercard  Card Number: \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_ \_  Expiry Date: MM/YY: \_ \_ / \_ \_  Name on card: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  Security Code (CCV): \_ \_ \_  **NB**: A $1 surcharge applies to CC payments for each year of membership – add $1 for 1 year, $2 for 2 yrs, etc. | *Office use only:*  *Date of authorisation: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_2022\_\_* |

***Option 2: e-LIFE and e-VETERAN membership***

**e-Life, e-Veteran memberships (for 1, 2 or 3 years)** **– electronic copies of *DIGGER* only.**

**Please fill out the name and e-mail details at the top of this page (only). Do not pay anything.**

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| As an e-Life Member or e-Veteran member, there is **NO CHARGE** for e-membership. Just let us know each year that you wish to continue as an e-LIFE or e-VETERAN member. |

**If you wish to CANCEL your e-membership of the FFFAIF at any time, please inform the Secretary. We can then remove you from the e-mail distribution list and membership register.**

This form dated June 2022.