



Federation of Australasian Mandolin Ensembles

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF FEDERATION OF AUSTRALASIAN MANDOLIN ENSEMBLES INC.

Introduction to the Association

The Federation of Australasian Mandolin Ensembles Inc. (F.A.M.E.) was constituted in 1991 to provide a national focus for mandolin orchestras in Australia and New Zealand.

Our aims are to:

1. promote community involvement in the formation of orchestras of plucked instruments,
2. encourage such orchestras to achieve the highest musical standards possible,
3. promote the training of players and conductors, and to
4. encourage musicians to compose and arrange music for mandolin orchestras.

F.A.M.E. welcomes applications for membership from anyone with a commitment to the above aims.

Membership

Individuals can become members:

1. by joining an orchestra, ensemble or group that is registered with F.A.M.E., or
2. by submitting a personal application for membership to the Federal Executive.

Orchestras and groups are encouraged to register with F.A.M.E. and to submit an aggregate list of members, representing the total number of players in their ensemble.

Membership benefits

1. Members have full voting rights in the Association.
2. Have the right to perform musical compositions commissioned and owned by F.A.M.E.
3. Have the opportunity to participate in F.A.M.E.-sponsored events, such as touring orchestras and workshops.
4. Experience the personal rewards of a participating in a larger musical community.

Membership fees

The current annual fees for membership are based on a rate of **\$10 (Australian) per individual member**. Registered orchestras may choose to collect the annual fee on behalf of existing members to simplify payment and forward a list of existing players seeking to renew their membership along with up to date contact details and a signature from each player indicating their willingness to renew their membership. New applications to join FAME will require completion of this form.

Send your completed form to FAME's Treasurer at 40 Schonell Circuit, Oxley, ACT 2903 Australia

*Payment can be made by EFT to: **Federation of Australasian Mandolin Ensembles Inc**
BSB 063 119 **Account number 10030098***

APPLICATION FOR INDIVIDUALS

APPLICATION TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE FEDERATION OF AUSTRALASIAN MANDOLIN ENSEMBLES INC.

I,
(insert name)

apply to become a **Member of Federation of Australasian Mandolin Ensembles Inc.**

I express my commitment to the purpose and aims of the Association, and agree to be bound by the Rules ¹ of F.A.M.E. Inc. for the time being in force.

Signature of Applicant:

Date:

Applicant's Details

Please complete the following form.

Dr/Ms/Mr/Mrs (please circle appropriate title)

First name: Family name:

Instrument played:

Postal address for all correspondence:

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City State Postcode Country

Phone (BH): Mobile:

Phone (AH):

email:

I have enclosed my annual membership fee of Aus \$10, payable to *F.A.M.E. Inc.*

¹ Copies are available on request

APPLICATION FOR ORCHESTRAS & GROUPS

APPLICATION TO REGISTER WITH FEDERATION OF AUSTRALASIAN MANDOLIN ENSEMBLES INC.

We,

(insert name of Orchestra or Group)

apply to register with the **Federation of Australasian Mandolin Ensembles Inc.** and to enrol the members of our orchestra/group as Members of F.A.M.E.

We express our commitment to the purpose and aims of the Association, and in the event of our admission as a Registered Orchestra, agree to be bound by the rules ² of F.A.M.E. Inc. for the time being in force.

We have attached to this application a list of the individual members of our orchestra or group, and request that these be accepted as individual members of F.A.M.E.

Authorised Signatures for Applicant e.g. President, Secretary etc:

..... *(Signature and Title)*

..... *(Signature and Title)*

Date:

Applicant's Details

Please complete the following form.

Name of Orchestra or Group:

Name of Secretary *(for correspondence)*:

Postal address for all correspondence:.....

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CityStatePostcodeCountry

Phone (BH):.....Mobile:

Phone (AH):

email:

We enclose the sum of \$AUD..... *(\$10 multiplied by number of individual members)*, payable to **F.A.M.E. Inc.**, which represents the total fee for our orchestra's/group's registration.

List of Individual Orchestra/Group Members

Please provide a list of the full name and address for each of your members, based on the following format:

Federation of Australasian Mandolin Ensembles Inc.
ABN 44 045 355 864

Title: First name: Family name:

Postal address:

City State Postcode Country

email: