

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

I hereby wish to apply for the following membership: (Please tick)

FULL BREEDING ASSOCIATE YOUTH MINIATURE OVERSEAS

Mr/Ms/Mrs/Miss

: _____

Address: _____ NAIT No: _____

_____ Telephone: () _____

_____ Facsimile: () _____

Postcode: _____ Mobile: _____

Email Address: _____ DOB: (Youth only) / / (dd/mm/yy)

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: / / (dd/mm/yy)

If full breeding membership is applied for, the following should also be completed.

I wish to apply to the New Zealand Hereford Association (Inc) Council for the registration of a Herd Prefix (stud name), should my above application be accepted. Listed below are three selected prefixes in order of preference.

Prefix 1 _____ Prefix 2 _____

Prefix 3 _____ Signed: _____

NEW MEMBER SUPPORT SYSTEM – Please indicate if you would like to have support from an existing NZHA member. You can select your own support person or the Hereford Association can appoint one for you.

Yes Interested | NZHA Appointed Support Person _____ (REGION)
 No – Not Required | Nominated Support Person _____ (NAME)

FULL BREEDING MEMBERSHIP

Any person taking an interest in Hereford cattle, or any company, or corporation INTENDING TO BREED HEREFORD CATTLE (or wishing to upgrade their NZHA membership), shall signify to the Council his or its desire to become a member, and who shall apply to become a member of the Association shall on approval by the Council, be admitted as a full breeding member and be entered on the Register of Members. An annual member shall pay on admission an **Entrance Fee of \$575.00 GST inclusive and a subscription of \$230.00 GST inclusive and thereafter an annual subscription of \$230.00 GST inclusive** or any other sum as the Council may from time to time prescribe. (Prospective Miniature Hereford Cattle breeders must apply for a full breeding membership of the NZ Hereford Association. Ensure the Miniature membership box is also selected.)

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Any person, company or corporation taking an interest in Hereford cattle who shall signify to the Council his or its desire to become a member, and who shall apply to become a member of the Association and shall on approval by the Council, be admitted as an Associate Member and entered on the Register of Members. An Associate Member shall pay an **annual subscription of \$57.50 GST inclusive** or any such other sum as the Council may from time to time prescribe. (An Associate Member is unable to register cattle and shall not be entitled to vote at any meeting of the Association, nor to hold office in the Association, but shall receive regular newsletters, magazines and relevant information on the Association's activities.)

YOUTH MEMBERSHIP

Any person between the age of 10 and up to the age of 25 taking an interest in Hereford cattle or intending to breed Hereford cattle to a maximum ownership of ten female cattle. A Youth member shall pay an **Entrance Fee of \$115.00 GST inclusive and an annual subscription of \$57.50 GST inclusive** or any other sum as the Council may from time to time prescribe. **A date of birth must be provided.**

OVERSEAS MEMBERSHIP

Any person, company or corporation residing outside New Zealand intending to breed Hereford cattle or taking an interest in Hereford cattle. An overseas member shall pay an **annual subscription of \$50.00NZD** or any such other sum as the Council may from time to time prescribe.

PLEASE RETURN THIS COMPLETED FORM TO:

The General Manager, NZ Hereford Association (Inc) PO Box 503, Feilding, 4740, New Zealand.
Phone: 06 323 4484 **Fax:** 06 323 3878 / **Email:** office@herefords.co.nz / **Website:** www.herefords.co.nz
 On receipt of the completed membership form you will be invoiced a pro-rata subscription fee.



NEW ZEALAND HEREFORD ASSOCIATION (INC) TERMS OF TRADE

Procedures instituted for payment of NZHA accounts

0-30 days	Current Account
31-90 days	Interest will be charged at a rate of 1.5% per month from date of purchase. The interest rate is reviewable by the Council. All office/registry processes are withheld until payment is received.
90 days & over	Interest will be charged at a rate of 10% per month once accounts become 90+ days overdue. A letter will be sent to each debtor giving seven days to pay and naming the date by which payment is required. If payment is still not forthcoming, the Association reserves the right to recover the debt through an agency.

These are our standard terms of trade, and if our account is not met within these conditions, we reserve the right to adjust or include the costs of collection of any unpaid portion of the account pursuant to the Fair Trading Act of 1986

In signing this application form I agree to the New Zealand Hereford Association Terms of Trade and agree to abide by the New Zealand Hereford Association Conditions of Entry, Regulations and Bylaws.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

HELPFUL HINTS

(For joining members)

- ◆ Please provide at least two prefix options. Your prefix acts in a similar way to a surname. Animals are identified by their prefix, name and identification number.
For example –

Mt Bruce	Almond	0100*
(Prefix)	(Female family name)	(Animal number)

- ◆ Please note use of the words 'Farm, Stud, Herefords' is not necessary as part of your Prefix. For example, a suggested Prefix of Mt Bruce Farm would be accepted by Council as 'Mt Bruce'.

- ◆ A date of birth is necessary for all youth members.

- ◆ The transfer of sold animals is the responsibility of the vendor. The purchaser is responsible for the transfer fee.

- ◆ Breeding members are required and expected to complete and return herd records (eg. ADL's, calf returns) **on time** to allow accurate invoicing and registry inventory.

- ◆ Notification of the wish to resign from the NZ Hereford Association or an adjustment to your membership should be made in writing and any outstanding invoices must be settled before the resignation can be actioned.

- ◆ Fee structure - Upon joining the New Zealand Hereford Association, a one off entrance fee is payable in conjunction with the subscription. The subscription is payable annually thereafter. Female fees are charged annually (on a sliding scale for all registered three-year-olds and over) please refer to the herd book or the new member information pack for the full scale. A registration fee is also payable on all two-year-old females regardless of if they have calved or not.
Full details can be found on Page 11 of the new member booklet, which will be posted out upon receipt of membership application.

- ◆ An AHB number is a farmers Animal Health Board number, also known as a TB Free number. This number is a 7-digit number relating to your herd.

*NZHA operates on 4 digit animal numbers.

For example –

Animal 'Mt Bruce Leonora 1' will show on NZHA paperwork as 'Mt Bruce Leonora 0001' likewise if it were to be numbered 10 or 0010, numbered 100 or 0100.