

TONAWANDAS SPORTSMEN'S CLUB – Membership Procedures

Membership Dues and Initiation Fee

Current yearly membership dues are \$325. Our dues calendar year runs July 1 through June 30. Payment of dues is required by July 1 every year after joining.

An initiation fee of \$235 is collected when a new member joins TSC. See Club Application Procedure for further information.

Club Application – Procedures

Step 1: Fill out the attached fillable PDF and print. Initial boxes and sign application

Step 2: Take completed application to the club, ask to tour the club and facilities. After this is complete, the member giving the tour will sign your application.

Step 3: Meet with a Director or Shoot Room Manger to have your application reviewed. The Director or Manager will ensure it is complete, collect the application fee (see below) and sign off on the application. It will then be forwarded to the Membership Secretary. Note; once accepted the application fee will be applied to the initiation fee.

Step 4: The Board of Directors will review all applications submitted at the monthly Board meeting (Usually 3rd Thursday) and vote on the new perspective members.

Step 5: The Membership Secretary will reach out via email to invite you to the new member orientation which is usually held the 4th Tuesday of the month. During this meeting, an overview of the club and its policies will be presented. After the Perspective Member pays the balance of the initiation fee and Club dues, they will receive a Temporary Membership card and be considered a member. Note; dues paid at the orientation will be pro-rated based on when a person joins.

Application Policies

- A valid pistol permit or a background check is required for all new perspective members.
- A \$50 Application fee will be collected at the time of application submission and will be credited towards the initiation fee. If the perspective members application is rejected, the Application fee will be refunded. If the Perspective member withdraws their application within 30 days of applying and with a written withdrawal, the application fee will be refunded. If the Perspective member does not complete the membership process stated above within 3 months of the Board vote without making arrangements with the Membership Secretary, the \$50 Application fee will be considered a donation and not returned.

Pistol and Rifle Range Orientations

To utilize the ranges at TSC, you are required to take separate classes to become familiar with the operations of these ranges and expectations.

Indoor Pistol Range – 50ft range with several retrievers utilized for centerfire handguns up to 45ACP (no magnums) and 22LR (no other Rimfire). Classes given 2nd Thursday and 1st Saturday on an alternating schedule.

Outdoor Range – up to 25yd range for centerfire handguns (Any Caliber), Pistol caliber Carbines and Rimfire (Pistol or Rifle). 2 Positions available for Shotgun (Any shot type). Classes are given the 2nd Monday and 1st Saturday on an alternating schedule.

Rifle Range – 50yd / 100yd / 200yd fixed distance rifle range for rifle calibers smaller than 50BMG. 2 fixed distance Pistol stations available at 7yd / 15yd for any pistol caliber or Pistol Caliber Carbine. Classes given 1st Monday and 1st Saturday on an alternating schedule.



The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club Member Application

First		Middle		Last	
Address		City		St.	Zip
Home Phone		Cell Phone			
Email					
Date of Birth				Citizenship	
Employer				Occupation	
Military Service?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Branch?
Ever convicted of a crime?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Description
Are you an NRA member?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Do you have a pistol permit?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Why do you want to join us?					
I hereby subscribe to the Constitution and By-Laws of The Tonawandas Sportsmen's Club, Inc.					
Applicant Signature				Date	
To be completed at TSC by club representatives					
Application Submitted Date				Application Fee Received \$	
Director Signature				Date	
Current Member Signature				Date	

New Member Process (see also Tonawandas Sportsmens Club – Membership Procedures):

- 1) Complete this form and print a hardcopy.
- 2) Bring the completed form and the \$50.00 application fee to TSC. This amount will be credited to your initiation fee of \$235 after successful application.
- 3) A member will provide a tour of the club facilities and answer any questions.
- 4) A director of the club will review the application and forward to the membership secretary.
- 5) The Board of Directors will meet monthly to review and vote on perspective new members.
- 6) If approved you will be invited to a new member orientation.
- 7) You will then pay for the balance of the initiation amount and first year of dues at the prorated current rate of \$325 annually.