

Membership Fees

Annual Fee \$ _____
(if joining before December 31
of current financial year)

Half-annual Fee \$ _____
(only if joining after January 1
of current financial year)

Plus joining fee (*one-time only*) \$ 5.00

TOTAL: \$ _____

Feltlines, the VFI Newsletter

Feltlines is published six times a year. It is available as a download from the VFI website, www.vicfelt.org.au, an environmentally-responsible option we urge you to support. It allows us to produce a full-colour newsletter, with lots of great photographs.

You can request a printed version, but this will only have black and white photographs. Please indicate your preference:

In the interest of being green, I am happy to download my copy of Feltlines. Please tick

I prefer to receive a printed version of Feltlines.

Membership List

Each year, the VFI produces a contact list for members who are happy to share this information. The list is not published, online or elsewhere, nor is not given to anyone outside the VFI.

Please circle the information you approve for inclusion:

Name Address Telephone Mobile E-mail

If you would like a business web address included, please note it here: _____

I do not want to appear on the Membership List



Membership of the Victorian Feltmakers Inc.

Reg.No. A0034651T

The Victorian Feltmakers Inc. was formed in 1995 and provides a network of mutual support and encouragement for feltmakers through the exchange of ideas and information, meetings and publications. The group promotes the ancient and modern art and craft of feltmaking to the general public and interest-specific groups through a program of workshops, demonstrations and exhibitions.

MEETINGS: third Saturday of even-numbered months,
from 11.15 am until 3.30 pm, except December

**FELTING*
FRENZIES:** third Saturday of odd-numbered months
from 10.00 am until around 4.00 pm

VENUE: Hartwell Church of Christ Hall, 246 Highfield Road,
Camberwell, 3124. (*Do not use as mailing address*)

FELTLINES: our newsletter, published 6 times per year. A great
source of information on workshops, techniques,
events. Available in environmentally-friendly on-line
and in printed formats.

WORKSHOPS are offered throughout the year, catering for
feltmakers of all abilities. Non-members are also
welcome. A number of members are available for
tutoring, professional advice and commissions.

LIBRARIES: The VFI holds an extensive range of books and
magazines about feltmaking and other textile arts.
Hat blocks & boot forms are also available for loan.

FIBRE SHOP: Purchase wool and silk tops, tissue silk, cotton
gauze, etc., whilst at a meeting or Frenzy Day.

(*A **Felting Frenzy** is a day devoted to feltmaking in the company of other enthusiasts. It is not a workshop nor is it a class. Much is learned and shared in this atmosphere. *It is strictly members only.*)

Objectives of the Victorian Feltmakers Inc.

1. Provide a forum for the promotion of feltmaking in Victoria.
2. Encourage the sharing of information and skills through regular meetings.
3. Acknowledge & respect the ideas and creations of other members.
4. Publish a newsletter for members of the association which provides technical and general information relating to feltmaking.
5. Promote feltmaking to the wider public through the conduct of demonstrations, workshops and exhibitions.
6. Provide a vehicle for government & non-government funding and support for research and development.
7. Liaise with similar organizations & individuals for the mutual benefit of members.

To join the VFI, simply fill in the Membership Form and forward it together with your payment to the address indicated. If you do not have a nominator one will be provided for you.

Note: Like many organizations, it is a requirement of our Constitution that potential members be nominated by a current VFI member. This will be done for you if you do not have a nominator. Please do not let this put you off joining! (A PDF of our Constitution can be downloaded from our website: www.vicfelt.org.au.)

Fees for the 2010-2011 Financial Year are:

Adults	\$35.00 per year
Concession	\$25.00 per year
Youth (10-17 years)	\$10.00 per year
Overseas	\$35.00 per year (e-mail only)
	\$45.00 per year (printed Feltlines)
Joining Fee	\$ 5.00 (new members only)

Fees are payable on or before July 1 each year. However, if you are joining after January 1, only half the annual rate is applicable, plus \$5 joining fee. No other *pro rata* rates are available.



Joining the Victorian Feltmakers Inc.

Reg.No. A0034651T

Membership Application

I, _____ (print name)

of _____

_____ Postcode: _____

Telephone: _____ Mobile: _____

E-mail
address: _____

(please write this very clearly & ensure it is correct)

apply to become a member of the Victorian Feltmakers Inc. In doing so, I agree to be bound by the rules & objectives of the Association.

I enclose my membership fee plus joining fee as on reverse of sheet.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Nominated by _____
(signature), a current VFI member. See note on previous page.

How did you learn about our group? _____

Please send completed form, fees with a stamped self-addressed envelope to: **Jane Robson, Membership Secretary,**
P.O. Box 79, Whittlesea, Vic., 3757.

Email any membership enquiries to janerobson@live.com.au.