



Individual and Family Membership Application Form

National Radio Society of Ireland
NRSI – www.nrsi.ie

By submission of this form you hereby apply for membership of “National Radio Society of Ireland” (NRSI) and one of its Provincial Clubs.

NRSI aims to be an open, transparent and fair organisation. Our main goal is to promote and support radio as a hobby within Ireland with a positive modern-focused outlook. Our Provincial Clubs endeavour to make all of our radio enthusiasts feel supported, recognised, valued and respected on a regional level.

By applying to become a member you agree to the following conditions

- You agree to abide by the constitution and rules of the NRSI, as well as the constitution and rules of the provincial club you are assigned to
- Membership of NRSI comes with various benefits. For the provision of these services your details may in line with NRSI privacy policy be shared with various third party organisations including but not limited to ComReg, radio clubs/groups and EURAO

The current annual subscription fee for “Individual Membership” of licensed operators is €30. Shortwave listeners are €25. There is a concessionary membership rate of €15 available for pensioners, unemployed, registered disabled, full-time students or members of specific affiliated/partner organisations (for more information contact the secretary). Membership covers the period of 1st January to 31st December each year, unless otherwise approved by the society committee.

Some of the Many Benefits of being a Paid-Up Member of NRSI

- Can attend NRSI AGM and various other events
- Free membership of a Provincial Radio Club (with voting rights within that club) ¹
- Family NRSI membership (no extra charge) ¹
- Receive regular NRSI news
- QSL Bureau / Irish EuroBureau QSL - Cards distributed quarterly ²
- Membership/Technical Support Services
- Free membership of EURAO
- Special Combined Membership Package Deals (eg. AMSAT Ireland)
- Access to additional services
- Invitation to apply to join IECRO (emergency communications) ³

Section 1 – Personal Information

Which Provincial Club do you wish to join? (only tick one club) ¹

Connacht Radio Club [] Munster Radio Club []
Leinster Radio Club [] Ulster Radio Club []

Name _____ *Callsign _____
(* Amateur, CB, PMR or other. Please note that this is not a requirement for membership)

Street Address _____

City/Town _____

County _____ Country/State _____

Email _____

Landline Telephone _____ Mobile _____

Do you wish for your details to be added to the Ireland Callbook? Yes [] No []

Important, this form must be signed and dated

Signature _____⁵ Date _____

Family Membership (free)

Fully paid up members each have a single vote within a single Provincial Club ¹, however your membership fee also allows non-voting right membership for up to five other persons currently living within the same residential property ¹. This enables a total of six (yourself and five other family members) to attend NRSI events/meetings and avail of various services. Family membership does not carry any additional costs.

NRSI requires on the lines provided below the full names and signatures of each family member who wish to apply to join ⁴

Name 1 _____ Signature 1 _____ 4 & 5

Name 2 _____ Signature 2 _____ 4 & 5

Name 3 _____ Signature 3 _____ 4 & 5

Name 4 _____ Signature 4 _____ 4 & 5

Name 5 _____ Signature 5 _____ 4 & 5

Section 2 – Affiliated Organisations (Optional)

NRSI members can avail of free/discounted cost membership within a number of other organisations affiliated to the society. Please be aware that these other organisations will have their own membership rules and may require you to pay additional subscription charges if accepted.

If you or any of your family are interested in applying for membership to NRSI affiliated organisations, we can forward your name and contact details to the relevant administration teams. Please tick boxes below to provide your consent for the sharing of this data with these organisations.

AMSAT Ireland (Space and Satellite Interest Club), www.amsat.ie

EURAO (European Radio Amateurs' Organization), www.eurao.org

IECRO Ireland (Emergency Related), www.iecro.com/ireland

Section 3 – Technical Support Panel

I would be grateful for any assistance in getting registered and setup on the following free services:

AllStarLink Echolink

Hamshack Hotline ATV or SSTV

D-Star FreeDMR Ireland

APRS/Packet Radio POCSAG

Satellite

Section 4 – Event Participation Waiver

The following waiver must be read and agreed to by every membership applicant.

If an individual is under 18 years old, this must be agreed to by their parent or legal guardian.

No member will be allowed to participate in NRSI events without this form properly signed and the original retained on file in NRSI Headquarters.

1. I fully accept that the National Radio Society of Ireland (NRSI) and the four Provincial Clubs have taken all reasonable practicable action to protect my health and safety at their meetings and events.
2. Under no circumstances shall I hold the NRSI, its management committee, officers or members liable for any personal injuries experienced at any NRSI meeting or event
3. Under no circumstances shall I hold any of the four Provincial Clubs, their management committees, officers or members liable for any personal injuries experienced at any club meetings or events
4. I hereby release, remise and discharge from any claims and liabilities whatsoever without limitations that I might have against the NRSI/Provincial Clubs and their administrative teams due to any circumstance which might occur. I declare this waiver on behalf of myself, my family members, my heirs, executors, assigns and administrators.

In order to continue any further, you must confirm that all applicants listed on this form have read, understood and agreed to this Waiver.

YES – I hereby confirm that ALL persons applying for membership through this form have read, understood and agreed to this waiver. Sign here: _____ Date: _____

Instructions:

Please submit the completed form by post to the following address

Executive Committee
National Radio Society of Ireland
PO Box 13382
Roscommon
F42 NY56

Payment will be requested online once your application is processed and if your membership is accepted by the society management committee. Payment must be received within 14 days or your application may become void.

Legal/Important Endnotes:

1. See NRSI and provincial club constitutions for more information

2. Card collections at affiliated club, rally/event, or alternatively batch can be sent by mail if member pays postage fees

3. Some basic additional training is required in order to become a member of IECRO

4. By signing this form I am confirming that I wish to apply for NRSI membership under the family membership category. I hereby confirm that I agree to abide by the rules of the NRSI and my provincial club. I also agree that in line with NRSI privacy policy my details may be shared with third party organisations including but not limited to ComReg, radio clubs and EURAO. A parent/guardian should sign this form on behalf of any child under the age of 18 years

5. I confirm that I have read and accept in full the included NRSI “Event Participation Waiver” (page 3). I will not hold the society (NRSI), its management, officers or membership liable for any personal injuries experienced at any NRSI-related meeting or event. In addition I will not hold my provincial club, its management, officers or membership liable for any personal injuries experienced at any club-related meeting or event.