**Application for Initial Membership / Membership Annual Renewal.**

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| Title (Mr/Mrs/Miss etc) |  |
| Surname |  |
| Forename(s) |  |
| Date of Birth |  |

**Address:**

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| House Name / Number |  |
| Street |  |
| Village / District and Post Town |  |
| County |  |
| Post Code |  |
| Email |  |
| Home Telephone |  |
| Mobile |  |

**Firearms Certificate Details:**

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| FAC Number |  | Issuing Authority |  |
| Renewal Date |  |

**NRA / NSRA Individual Member Yes / No** (Please Delete as appropriate)

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| If Yes, please complete | **NRA Member No:** | **NSRA Member No:** |

**Membership Class:**

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| **Full Membership** | **Fee** | Tick as Applied for: |
| Full Adult | £145 p.a. |  |
| Junior (Under 21) | £40-00 p.a. |  |
| Family | £200-00 p.a. |  |
| **Probationary** | £80-00 For 6 Month |  |
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| ***I hereby apply for Membership of the Wantage Target Shooting Club and agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the Club & Committee. I enclose my subscription of:*** | |  |

**I certify that under section 21 of the Firearms Act 1968, I am not prohibited from possessing a firearm or ammunition nor that I have ever been refused or had revoked a Firearms or Shotgun Certificate. Section 21 severely restricts the use of firearms by anybody sentenced to imprisonment or detention.**

**I certify that any ammunition reloaded by myself for use on the range has been assembled in accordance with best practice, with reference to a reloading manual and does not exceed the maximum stated loads therein.**

**I hereby give permission to disclose my personal details to any organisation or government agency, including the police, as necessary for the continued operation of the Wantage Target Shooting Club.**

**Please forward your completed, signed form to either the Chairman or Secretary & make your payment to the Treasurer by cash or cheque.**

**Payments for the renewal of Annual Membership must received by 30th November in order to preserve continuous Club Membership.**

Signed: Date:

**Renewal of Annual Membership for 2023-24**

Dear Member,

As part of the process to renew the Club’s Home Office approval in early 2024, the Club is required to implement some administrative changes to ensure compliance with the latest Home Office guidelines.

* Annual Renewal documentation will be sent out at the start of September
* Formal document for Annual Renewal, see overleaf, for members to complete and return with their payment so that Club records are kept up to date
* Payment of Annual Membership is due on 1st October and the Club would appreciate prompt payment to facilitate the renewal process
* Annual membership must be paid by 30th November at the very latest in order to preserve continuous Club membership
* Members who do not renew by 30th November will be classed as having left the Club
* The Club is mandated under Home Office rules to notify the relevant Police Authority of anybody who has ceased to be a member of the Club
* Other Home Office Requirements
  + The Club is required to notify the relevant Police Authority if a Club member has not shot within the last 12 months
  + The 12 month period is a rolling 12 months
  + The Club will send formal notification at the end of November, February, May and August
  + There are exceptions such as a member is required to work away from home for specified period or has a significant health issue
  + All members must keep their shooting records up to date, especially for FAC holders to validate their ‘good reason’ for owning their firearm
  + FAC holders are required to use their firearms three times per year again to validate their ‘good reason’