



## Hang Gliding and Paragliding Association of Canada

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### APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

HPAC and Provincial <sup>1</sup> Association Membership Fees			
Includes \$5 Million third-party liability insurance, valid Canada wide, and a magazine (see below depending on your province).			
FULL MEMBER: Choose ONE of A, B, C or D	OPTIONS:		
A. Ontario, NWT, out-of-Canada residents (includes Air Magazine) <b>\$0 provincial fee</b>	\$125	Subscription to <b>AIR Magazine</b> for non-HPAC members (*)	\$30
B. Manitoba, Nunavut (includes Air Magazine) <b>\$0 provincial fee</b>	\$125	Additional subscriptions to <b>AIR Magazine</b> for HPAC members	\$18
C. Atlantic Provinces, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia, Yukon (includes Air Magazine) <b>Includes \$15 provincial fee</b>	\$140	Additional subscriptions to <b>SURVOL Magazine</b> for HPAC members	\$18
D. Quebec (includes SurVol Magazine) <b>\$43 prov. fee</b>	\$150	(Subscription to <b>SURVOL Magazine</b> for non-HPAC members is available for \$25 directly from <a href="http://AQVL.qc.ca">AQVL.qc.ca</a> )	*
Magazine preference (pick one):			
<input type="checkbox"/> AIR (English) <input type="checkbox"/> SurVol (French)			
<input type="checkbox"/> neither (downloaded PDF only)			
<b>Total of Membership Fees</b> (A, B, C or D):	_____	<b>Total of Optional Fees:</b>	_____
<b>TOTAL SUBMITTED TO HPAC</b> (Membership + Optional fees): _____			

New Member? Yes  No  Check appropriate: HG Pilot  PG Pilot

HPAC/ACVL Membership # (required if you are currently or have previously been a member): \_\_\_\_\_

Non-Rated New Member Instructor Sign Off: Instructor Name: \_\_\_\_\_ HPAC/ACVL # \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Male  Female

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Province: \_\_\_\_\_

Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Club or School Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Home: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Work: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Cell: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: (day) \_\_\_\_ (month) \_\_\_\_ (year) \_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Medic Alert: \_\_\_\_\_ 2 Meter Radio Call Sign: \_\_\_\_\_

In Case of **EMERGENCY** contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

Province: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone H: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Work: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_

#### ----- Foreign Equivalency Rating -----

Foreign Country: \_\_\_\_\_ Membership #: \_\_\_\_\_ Date received: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*\*\* Please attach a copy of your current foreign membership card \*\*\*\*\* Copy attached:  Yes (check if yes)

It is MANDATORY to carry third-party liability insurance to fly most sites in Canada. HPAC/ACVL Liability Insurance is only available to members of the HPAC/ACVL. If you are applying for membership please complete the following:

**Did you have an accident or incident in the past year that was not reported?** (Yes  No ) If yes, email [safety@hpac.ca](mailto:safety@hpac.ca) to report.

**I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT THIS FORM IS AN APPLICATION FOR LIABILITY INSURANCE AND THAT ALL THE INFORMATION GIVEN ABOVE IS CORRECT.**

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>1</sup> The HPAC/ACVL collects Provincial Membership fees on behalf of Provincial Associations. This mandatory fee is set by Provincial Associations.

HPAC/ACVL WAIVER

RELEASE, WAIVER AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby acknowledge and agree that in consideration of being permitted to participate in Hang Gliding/Paragliding programs or activities, I hereby agree to release and discharge Owners and / or Lessors of land who have granted permission for the use of property for Hang Gliding/Paragliding programs or activities, the **Hang Gliding and Paragliding Association of Canada a/o Association Canadienne De Vol Libre**, their officers, directors, representatives, employees, members and all other persons or entities acting in any capacity on their behalf (hereinafter collectively referred to as Releasee) from all liability and I do hereby waive as against the Releasee all recourses, claims, causes of action of any kind whatsoever, in respect of all personal injuries or property losses which I may suffer arising out of or connected with, my preparation for, or participation in, the aforesaid Hang Gliding/Paragliding programs or activities, not withstanding that such injuries or losses may have been caused solely or partly by the negligence of the Releasee

And I do hereby acknowledge and agree;

- a. that the sport of Hang Gliding/Paragliding and Hang Gliding/Paragliding is very dangerous, exposing participants to many risks and hazards, some of which are inherent in the very nature of the sport itself, others which result from human error and negligence on the part of persons involved in preparing, organizing and staging Hang Gliding/Paragliding programs or activities;
- b. that, as a result of the aforesaid risks and hazards, I as a participant may suffer serious personal injury, even death, as well as property loss;
- c. that some of the aforesaid risks and hazards are foreseeable but others are not;
- d. that I nevertheless freely and voluntarily assume all of the aforesaid risks and hazards, and that, accordingly, my preparation for, and participation in the aforesaid Hang Gliding/Paragliding programs and activities shall be entirely at my own risk;
- e. that I understand that the Releasee does not assume any responsibility whatsoever for my safety during the course of my preparation for or participation in the aforesaid Hang Gliding/Paragliding programs or activities;
- f. that I have carefully read this **RELEASE, WAIVER AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK** agreement, that I fully understand same, and that I am freely and voluntarily executing same;
- g. that I understand that by signing this release I hereby voluntarily release, forever discharge and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasee for any loss or damage connected with any property loss or personal injury that I may sustain while participating in or preparing for any Hang Gliding/Paragliding programs or activities whether or not such loss or injury is caused solely or partly by the negligence of the Releasee;
- h. **that I have been given the opportunity and have been encouraged to seek independent legal advice prior to signing this agreement;**
- i. that the term Hang Gliding/Paragliding programs or activities as used in this **RELEASE, WAIVER AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK** agreement includes without limiting the generality of that term, the Hang Gliding programs and activities as well as all other competitions, fly-ins, training sessions, clinics, towing programs and events;
- j. this **RELEASE, WAIVER AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK** agreement is binding on myself, my heirs, my executors, administrators, personal representatives and assigns and;
- k. **that I have had sufficient opportunity to read this entire document. I have read and understood it, and I agree to be bound by its terms.**

Signature of Participant: (You must sign here) \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Participant Name (Type here): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Witness (Must sign here): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Witness Name (Type here): \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** You are only required to sign the HPAC Waiver once but we would prefer that you complete one every year. To verify that we have a waiver on file for you, visit the HPAC/ACVL site at <http://www.hpac.ca>.