

## 2026 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION \ DUES

The purpose of the Club is to promote the sport of driving of horses and ponies to carriages, both competitively and for pleasure. To educate current and prospective drivers in the techniques of safe and fun carriage driving. To organize driving events and to facilitate the organization of driving events by others, including the rendering of technical assistance to event organizers and the publishing of event calendars. To be a medium through which carriage drivers may meet other drivers in this area to swap ideas and be supportive of each other.

### Article II - Membership. Section 1. Membership Classes. (from WNYCCA Bylaws)

Membership shall be open to anyone interested in fostering the objectives of this organization.

There shall be four classes of members:

- (1) Family Membership includes up to 2 senior members and any junior members in household (under 18), with 2 voting privileges.
- (2) Individual Membership includes 1 senior member, with 1 voting privilege.
- (3) Junior Membership is for any junior member (under 18), with no voting privilege
- (4) Associate Membership includes 1 Senior member, with no voting privileges. This reduced rate membership is for non-local event participants.

Please check the line below for your level of membership:

- ☐ -Individual Membership Annual dues \$25  
☐ -Family Membership Annual dues \$35  
☐ -Junior Membership Annual dues \$15  
☐ -Associate Membership Annual dues \$10

### Membership Information

Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Member Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street/PO BOX: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: (10 digit #) (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

### I (we) drive (check all appropriate)

Horse ☐

Pony ☐

Mini ☐

Type: ☐ Single ☐ Pair ☐ Four-in-Hand

Would you like to receive our electronic newsletter via email? Yes ☐ No ☐

Experience Level: ☐ Beginner ☐ Intermediate ☐ Advanced

May we include your contact information on our member list? Yes ☐ No ☐

### SAFETY RULES OF THE WNYCCA:

- Vehicle and harness must be serviceable and in good repair.
- Horses must have bridles on with reins attached prior to hitching to a vehicle.
- Vehicles must be unhitched prior to removing reins and bridles.
- Never tie a horse or leave it unattended when hitched to a vehicle.
- Driver must always carry a whip.
- Never pass another carriage at a fast trot or drive too close to another carriage.
- All drivers should wear appropriate footwear, carry a whip, and drivers and passengers at a WNYCCA function to wear AST-M-approved helmets while on a carriage.

I have read and understand the safety rules listed above. I further understand that under New York law, an equine activity sponsor or equine professional is not liable for injury to, or death of, a participant in equine activities resulting from the inherent risk of equine activities.

This document is meant to be a full and complete release from any and all liability that may arise from participating in WNYCCA equine activities.

This release is given freely and voluntarily by the participating member/s and is meant to remain in existence throughout the duration of membership

Signature of Member \_\_\_\_\_ Date Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent (or Guardian of Junior Member) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Checks payable to:  
WNYCCA

Mail Application and Check, to Address: WNYCCA - 9096 County Rd 14 - Honeoye Falls, NY 14472

### INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING FOR WNYCCA EVENTS? Yes ☐ No ☐

(if yes please check list below) We need Volunteer Members ! WNYCCA will be hosting several events and we will need volunteers. If you feel you can help with any of the following:

☐ activity committees ☐ horse show staff ☐ horse show setup ☐ parking attendant ☐ ring crew  
☐ food service ☐ groom ☐ navigator ☐ transportation ☐ other