

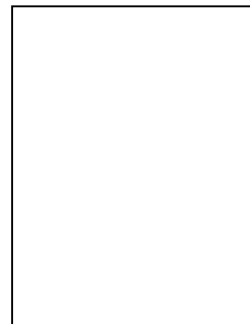


American Women's Association  
Reg 19/C/RXW

# American Women's Association Bahrain

## Membership Application

(Attach a photo + copy of valid Bahraini CPR)



Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
*First Middle Last*

Have you previously been a member of AWA? **Y/N** \_\_\_\_\_ in which year? \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Month) \_\_\_\_\_ (Year) \_\_\_\_\_

Bahraini CPR No. or US Military ID (mandatory): \_\_\_\_\_ Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Home (Landline) Mobile (WhatsApp)*

I would like to be added to AWA Official WhatsApp group to receive latest AWA News **(Y/N)** \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to be added to AWA Photo Gallery WhatsApp group **(Y/N)** \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Please write clearly and indicate upper or lower case, if necessary)*

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Husband's info: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Name Nationality Employer*

Children: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Name(s) age*

By signing, I agree to become a member of American Women's Association, Bahrain

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Membership dues 2023 (Cash / Cheque / BenefitPay) [refer next page for Membership and Dues Information]:

For all nationalities: BD 60.000 (1<sup>st</sup> January – 31<sup>st</sup> December)

For US Military spouse/employee: BD 55.000 (1<sup>st</sup> January – 31<sup>st</sup> December)

For US Military spouse/employee: BD 40.000 (1<sup>st</sup> January – 31<sup>st</sup> May)

For all nationalities: BD 40.000 (1<sup>st</sup> June – 31<sup>st</sup> December)

For US Military spouse/employee: BD 35.000 (1<sup>st</sup> June– 31<sup>st</sup> December)

\*renewal of membership dues payable before 31<sup>st</sup> January of any given year\*

\*\*fee is non-refundable\*\*

For AWA Administration use only:

Date of joining and Receipt No.	
Member ID (year joined followed by Receipt No.):	
Members Master List updated (date):	
User database updated (date):	
Welcome Pack sent (date):	



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## **MEMBERSHIP AND DUES INFORMATION:**

There are 4 categories of paid membership:

**FULL A:** Women with American citizenship. Full 'A' members are eligible to vote in the general AWA elections and can hold any elected office after 6 months of joining.

**FULL B:** Women who are Bahraini citizens. Full 'B' members are eligible to vote in the general AWA elections and can hold an elected office as allowed by our Constitution and By-Laws.

**FULL C:** Women of other nationalities. Full 'C' members are eligible to vote in the general AWA elections and can hold an elected office as allowed by our Constitution and By-Laws.

**(N) Non-Voting & Wait-list:** 'N' category members are new members and are waiting to become Full 'B' or Full 'C' voting members. Wait-List members have all the same benefits as Full A/B/C members except for voting or holding office.

**AWA By-Laws states that full 'A' membership must be at least 60% of the total full A + full B + full C membership. The full 'A' percentage (%) determines how many wait-list category members may be upgraded from the wait-list to full 'B' or 'C' voting-member status.**

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A membership year is one year and is from 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> December. Membership renewal must be completed by 31<sup>st</sup> January of the current year. **Members who do not renew by 31<sup>st</sup> January are removed from the full membership status and put back at the bottom of the wait-list.**

Elections are typically held in March or April, and only those full voting members who have paid their dues by 31<sup>st</sup> January are permitted to vote.

The membership fee is BD 60/- for one year from 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> December. US Military spouse pay BD 55/- for one year from 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> December.

The membership fee starting 1<sup>st</sup> June to 31<sup>st</sup> December is BD 40/-; US Military spouse pay BD 35/-; US Military Spouse pay BD 40/- 1<sup>st</sup> January to 31<sup>st</sup> May

Dues may be paid (Bahraini Dinar only) in cash or cheque made payable to "American Women's Association" or through BenefitPay (AWA IBAN – BH95AUBB00016211709001).

The completed application form, dues payment and one passport size photograph along with copy of valid Bahraini CPR (or US Military ID) can be submitted to the Membership Chairperson at our monthly general meeting or at coffee mornings.

If you have any questions about the membership process, please send an email to the Membership Chairperson

**Email: [membership@awabahrain.org](mailto:membership@awabahrain.org)**

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