THE GREAT SYNAGOGUE

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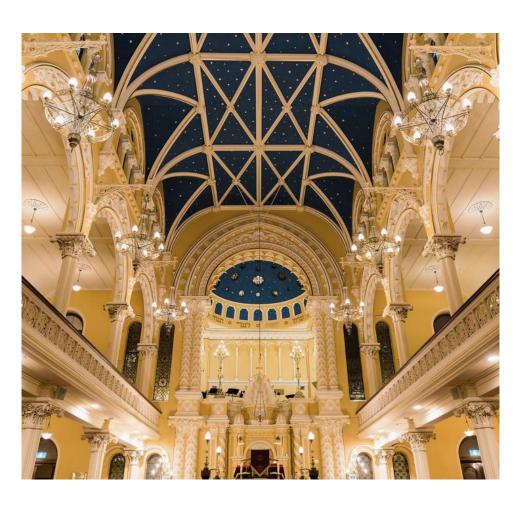


The Great Synagogue exists to create a beautiful community for all its members and their families.

The first congregation in Australia, The Great Synagogue Sydney is home to a vibrant and engaged community over eight hundred strong.

It is essential to our mission that we exist for and are open to all Jewish people, and inclusivity is at the heart of what we do.

Our vision is to continue to create and build a strong, inclusive and engaged community that is deeply connected to the traditions and values of Judaism, and that will meet the test of time.





INCLUSIVITY

Everyone should feel welcomed, know that they matter and know they are cared for without judgement.

CULTURE

We embrace our rich culture and embody our values through our actions.

DIVERSITY

We appreciate our diversity and value our differences which bring joy and strength.

TRADITION

We are committed to tradition and our history, we embrace a Judaism that can be lived and enjoyed. We recognise that everyone is at a different stage in their Jewish journey.

COMMUNITY

We are connected as one community, through our services, our values and relationships with each other.























OUR MEMBERSHIP

The Great Synagogue is open to all, and we warmly welcome those who wish to attend our services.

Our historic Synagogue offers a range of membership categories designed to encourage further connection within our community, guarantee seating at our services over peak periods (including High Holidays) and provide additional benefits to members including discounts to attend our high quality events, and pastoral care support.

Membership is available for all halachically Jewish people of all ages and circumstances.

We look forward to having you formally join our Great Synagogue community.

MEMBERSHIP RATES & BENEFITS	SEAT HOLDING MALE \$1168-\$2040	SEAT HOLDING FEMALE \$695-\$1430	REGULAR \$625
NAME PLAQUE ON SEAT			X
HIGH HOLIDAY TICKET	✓	\	✓
SEAT LOCATION	YOUR SEAT NOTE: Price per seat varies depending on location within the sanctuary.	YOUR SEAT NOTE: Price per seat varies depending on location within the sanctuary.	ANY UNPLAQUED SEAT
YAHRZEIT & LIFECYCLE REMINDERS			✓
ELIGIBLE FOR SEAT ON BOARD	✓	\	✓
VOTING RIGHTS AT AGM	✓	\	~
GREAT VINE			✓
PASTORAL CARE			~
MEMBER RATES on major lifecycle functions & dinners/events			
PERSONALISED MEMBERSHIP CARD	X	X	X
MEMBERSHIP CRITERIA	Proof of Jewish Status	Proof of Jewish Status	Proof of Jewish Status

- o Fees are annually billed on 1 December each year
- Fees are reviewed by the Board annually at the commencement of the Jewish new year.



OUT OF TOWN \$215	CONVERSION CANDIDATE \$215	STUDENT \$215	JUNIOR \$30	PASTORAL \$215
X	X	X	X	X
✓	✓	✓	×	
ANY UNPLAQUED SEAT	ANY UNPLAQUED SEAT	ANY UNPLAQUED SEAT	X	ANY UNPLAQUED SEAT
			X	
×	×	X	×	X
×	×	×	×	X
✓		~	×	✓
✓	✓	~	×	
×	X	×	×	X
X	X	X		X
Proof of Jewish Status Must live outside of NSW full time.	Chief Minister approval to join as CC Member.	Proof of Jewish Status Must be a full time Student. From Bar/Bat Mitzvah age upwards. Upon completion of studies, membership will change to regular at full annual fee.	Proof of Jewish Status Aged 0 - 12yrs. One Parent or Grandparent must be a paying member.	Offered to PAYING MEMBERS moving into an Aged Care facility on a case by case basis only. Must live in a care facility full time.

- There are no joining or similar establishment fees. All membership categories are for individuals.





BECOMING A MEMBER

Becoming a member has never been easier, you can start the process with one of these options.

DIGITAL ACCESS

Use this QR code to access and fill out our online Membership form.

Email the completed form to our office.



THE PERSONAL TOUCH

Fill out a paper Membership Form received at an event or from one of our members and email, post or hand deliver the completed form to our office.

CONTACT US

Call or email our office on (02) 9267 2477 or admin@greatsynagogue.org.au to speak to one of our staff members who can guide you through the process.

We look forward to hearing from you!







Our Great Synagogue Community warmly welcomes you!











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