



MEMBERSHIP POLICY

Approved by the Board of Directors in May 2022.

Clubs

Voting members of Squash Ontario are squash facilities which have paid membership fees on behalf of their internal squash membership.

Description of Membership Categories

- **Full Club Member** - Any organized squash club, any club having a squash section, any organization or person which charges individual members for squash playing privileges, any school, university or community college where squash players are charged for squash playing privileges, other than a general athletic fee, if any, and any person or organization who owns a squash court, is eligible to apply for full club membership in the Corporation if that club, organization or person carries on squash activities in Ontario.
- **Associate Club Member** - Any school, university or community college where squash players are not charged for squash playing privileges, other than a general athletic fee, if any, is eligible to apply for associate club membership in the Corporation if that school, university, or community college is located in Ontario.
- **Associate Community Member** - Any community-oriented organization such as a community centre, recreation centre, or a 'Y' that has squash facilities, is eligible to apply for associate community membership in the Corporation if that community centre, recreation centre, or 'Y' is located in Ontario.

Individual Membership

- **Competitive** - Any person who resides in Ontario and who wishes to participate in a sanctioned squash tournament through Squash Ontario must be a registered member with Squash Ontario.
 - Membership is also available to any person who resides in Ontario and participants in a sanctioned league that operates through Squash Ontario's Club Locker platform.
 - Membership is also available to any person who resides in Ontario and wishes to support Squash Ontario by purchasing a membership.

Fees for Squash Facilities

A full club member as indicated above shall pay \$140.00 per court (excluding HST) which is representative of its internal squash membership and is paid on behalf of its squash members. For a new member of Squash Ontario, the club shall pay a flat \$140.00 (excluding HST) for one calendar year; it shall pay \$70.00 per court for the second calendar year and it shall pay \$140.00 per court for the third calendar year.

A full club member as indicated above may choose to opt into a \$250.00 fee per court which covers both the club membership as well as all Competitive Memberships of their players. This membership also includes additional member benefits as outlined on the Squash Ontario website.

An Associate Club Member shall pay a flat \$140.00 excluding HST and despite the number of courts. This fee is based on the fact that the university or school services students. If however, the facility acts as a private/commercial club, it shall then be charged as a full club member. This fee is representative of its internal squash membership and is paid on behalf of its squash members.

An Associate Community Member shall pay no more than \$280.00 (excluding HST) and despite the number of courts (unless is has just one court). This fee is based on the fact that the community centre or Y services the community at large. This fee is representative of its internal squash membership and is paid on behalf of its squash members.

Out of Province clubs which wish to participate in Ontario regional leagues, shall be deemed an Associate Club Member and pay fees of no more than \$280.00 (excluding HST).

Fees for Individual Competitive Members

The fee shall be set by the Board of Directors on an annual basis.