

# **Membership Application**

There are several types of memberships available (Individual, Family, Senior Citizen, Non-profit Organization, Student, or Corporation/Sponsor). Each membership supports the general operation of the Lower Swatara Township Historic Preservation Society. Our major expense is the website we maintain with local history and photographs. Memberships can be annual or lifetime and fees are assessed based on type and length of membership.

By becoming a member, you will be privileged to the following benefits:

- Have free admission to any future paid events or presentations and receive free gifts/memorabilia, when available,
- be entitled to vote for the Board Trustees,
- be part of a worthwhile local organization that helps protect and recognize historic buildings and areas in Lower Swatara Township,
- receive electronic notifications of meetings and special events when you provide an email address,
- membership fees are tax-deductible, and
- corporate sponsors receive a free ad on our website.

## Please check $\checkmark$ the type of membership for which you are requesting.

Туре	Definition	Annual Fee	Lifetime Fee	$\checkmark$
Individual	Any individual person.	\$10	\$150	
Family	Any couple or group of people living under the same roof.	\$20	\$200	
Senior Citizen	Any individual over 65 years old.	\$5	\$50	
Non-profit	Any sports league, church or	\$10	\$150	
Organization	charity, group, school, or class.			
Student	Any individual person presently attending studies in classes from 1 <sup>st</sup> grade to 12 <sup>th</sup> grade.	\$5	\$50	
Corporate Sponsor*	Any for-profit business, currently in operation.	\$100		
Special Recognition Member (for property owners only)	If you apply, are approved, and purchase an historic plaque, you will automatically be given a lifetime membership.	NA	Free Lifetime Membership	

\* Corporate sponsor, please contact a board member directly so we can coordinate the placing of an ad on our website. We may also accept "in kind" contributions of volunteer labor in lieu of an annual membership fee. **NOTE:** If you are adding an additional donation to your payment, please let us know the amount and where you are designating the funds to go. Examples would be "General Fund", "Cemetery Restoration Projects", "Historic Plaque costs". \$\_\_\_\_\_

Name of Individual,	Individual Family	v Member(s	) or Organization:
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### Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, and Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Email Address:

May we add you to our email notification list? **Yes** or **No** (please circle one). Emails are sent to our membership approximately six times per year to inform those interested of meetings and special events. You may opt-out or opt-in at any time.

Contact Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Volunteering:

Would you be interested in volunteering your time and some of your knowledge or skills to help preserve history in Lower Swatara Township? We need folks who are willing to volunteer in the following areas (not necessarily just for labor as we need advice as well): masonry, carpentry, landscaping, organizational, architectural, presentations to a group, photography, writing, etc.

We also need individuals who are willing to help with memberships and mailings, installing plaques, photographing historic sites, presentation and event organizing, and other related tasks.

\_\_\_\_\_ yes. I am willing to \_\_\_\_\_\_ (be specific as

possible.)

Please mail this completed form, along with required payment in the form of a check or money order to: **Lower Swatara Township Historic Preservation Society**, 1451 North Union Street, Middletown, PA 17057. You may also bring the completed form and payment to any future presentation or event and give it to a board member. Thank you for your support!