



Restaurant  
& Catering

## **MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**

### **BENEFITS & SERVICES PROVIDED FOR BUSINESSES**



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## **BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP**

Restaurant & catering WA is the peak body for the food service industry. This Association is made up of food service businesses and industry suppliers and exists solely for the purpose of protecting and serving the interests of the industry and the viability and profitability of those enterprises operating within the industry.

This Association provides many services and benefits to its members. The following are some of the reasons why you should belong to the Association.

**ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE** – With professional qualified staff to provide advice and service to members.

**CREDIT CARD COMMISSIONS** – The Association has negotiated reduced merchant rates for members.

**AWARDS & WAGES** – Negotiation of awards and wage rates with Unions and the provision of an up to date award service for members. Initial telephone advice on IR and Industrial Disputes.

**LIQUOR LICENSING** – Online RSA course and an online Approved Managers course.

**SOCIAL PROGRAM** – Opportunity to participate in the Association's program of social activities and events.

**PUBLICATIONS** – Regular supply of industry trade and personal news in Association newsletter, members only intranet, Restaurant & Catering Australia monthly magazine and email updates.

**DISCOUNTED LIQUOR** – Benefit from members-only discounts on large range of liquor with Liquor Traders Australia

**DISCOUNTED ELECTRICITY** – Alinta offers Association members special reduced electricity rates.

**INTERNET LISTINGS** – Free listings on our Restaurant Guide or our Caterers Guide. restaurant.org.au gets an average of 400,000 hits a month, making it the highest hitting restaurant guide site in the world.

**INSURANCE** – A range of comprehensive insurance packages are available from AON, which incorporate the best cover available at competitive rates and are tailored to industry needs.

**TRAVEL SERVICE** – Motive Travel Perth provides for competitive domestic and international travel requirements for all members.

**AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE** – Members are eligible to participate in the Awards for Excellence, with winners going on to a national competition. All nominees are judged under RACES (Restaurant and Catering Evaluation System) and receive a judges feedback report following the winners announcement at the Gala Ball.

**INDUSTRY REPRESENTATION** – Restaurant & Catering acts as the voice of the food service industry on all matters important to business operators in its dealings with governments, media, unions, other business sectors, non-government entities and consumers. Being a member of the Association means having your voice heard in this process. By working together, a strong voice can turn the tide and the more members we have, the stronger our voice is.

**457 VISA SPONSORSHIP** – Training Fund Management Available

**GREEN TABLE CERTIFICATION** – Environmental certification available to all members who actively reduce their environmental impact as a business.

### **THE COST OF MEMBERSHIP**

<b>Licensed Restaurants</b>	<b>\$420.00 + GST</b> annually or <b>\$35.00 +GST</b> monthly
<b>BYO Restaurants</b>	<b>\$420.00 + GST</b> annually or <b>\$35.00 +GST</b> monthly
<b>Caterers</b>	<b>\$420.00 + GST</b> annually or <b>\$35.00 +GST</b> monthly
<b>Associate Members</b>	<b>\$420.00 + GST</b> annually or <b>\$35.00 +GST</b> monthly
<b>Additional Establishments</b>	<b>\$240.00 + GST</b> annually or <b>\$20.00 +GST</b> monthly

Members have the option to pay their membership subscription either annually or monthly. Renewals will be invoiced 12 months after the initial payment.

The cost of membership is far outweighed by the benefits, and members enjoy a real financial advantage by utilizing the group purchasing power of the combined membership. Member businesses also benefit from having strong representation at a legislative level, and are kept informed of issues affecting their industry.