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Membership/Fees Information

Newport and District Running Club is affiliated to **England Athletics** (EA). EA is the governing body for athletics in England. Details can be found on the EA website at:

www.englandathletics.org/

Most club members are also personally affiliated to EA, through the club. Amongst other benefits, this allows members to enter events, taking advantage of the EA Affiliated rate, typically £2.00 less than the standard rate.

Classes of Club Membership

First Claim	Second Claim
The standard membership for the club: A member is affiliated to EA through the club. For 2019/20, the First Claim membership fee is £27.00. A discount of £2.00 is offered for renewals paid on or before the AGM.	This where a member is not affiliated to EA through the club, as they are also a member of another (First Claim) club. For 2019/20, the Second Claim membership fee is £11.00.

EA Fees and Affiliation

The EA registration year starts on 1st April 2019, and ends on 31st March 2020.

The athlete registration fee for 2019/20 is £16.00 per athlete. This is an increase from £15.00 for the year 2018/19.

Therefore, £16.00 of a First Claim member's fee is paid to EA, registering them for the period 1st April 2019 to 31st March 2020.

Partial Year of Club Membership

Where a member joins the club for part of a year, the EA registration fee for a full year is still payable – there is no pro-rata calculation. Therefore, it is not possible to reduce the club fee in these cases.

When considering joining the club for the first time, it may be worth considering waiting for the next year if there is only a short period left.

Club Membership Year

The club membership year is considered to start at the same time as the EA year (1st April). In order to process memberships in time, fees are collected in February and March.

EA Registration and the Unique Registration Number (URN)

Every EA affiliated member is allocated a URN. This number is important as it is used to register for events, and also identifies members on the EA website. Members should periodically log on to the EA website to check their details.