



## Membership Application

Fill in the form and mail it, with your check, to the address shown below.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Fax \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Chapter Preference (if known) \_\_\_\_\_ None \_\_\_\_\_

If this is a gift membership, please enter your name here so we can let the recipient know it's from you. Also include the reason or purpose for the gift (Christmas present, birthday, friendship, new home, etc.).

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Circle the level of membership you want:	Wild	Wilder*	Wildest*
Household Membership . . . . .	\$37	\$60	\$100+
Professional/Educator Membership . . . . .	\$90	\$120	\$150
Not-for-Profit Affiliate Organization Membership . . . . .	\$90	\$120	\$150
Business Membership . . . . .	\$250	\$600	\$1200
Household Lifetime Membership . . . . .	\$1500	(Or payable in 3 annual payments of \$500)	
Limited Income or Full-Time Student Household . . . . .	\$20		
Gift Membership . . . . .	\$37	\$60	\$100+

\*Wilder & Wildest level memberships entitle member to current thank you premiums being offered.

Comments or Additional Information \_\_\_\_\_

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**Mail membership application and check to:**

Wild Ones • P.O. Box 1274 • Appleton, Wisconsin 54912-1274

Telephone Toll-Free 877-394-9453 • [www.for-wild.org](http://www.for-wild.org)

Make checks payable to **Wild Ones**.

## **Wild, Wilder, and Wildest Memberships**

Every Wild Ones member is Wild. Whether a long-time member, or first day in the organization, we're all Wild, and share a strong interest in native plants and natural landscaping.

But some Wild Ones members are more Wild than others. They're Wilder. Wilder members pay extra for their memberships, because they believe in providing extra support to Wild Ones.

And Wildest members are the most Wild of all. They're Wildest. And they are happy to provide Wild Ones with even higher levels of support.

Tangible benefits are the same for Wild, Wilder, and Wildest – but Wilder and Wildest members somehow manage to get the most out of their memberships.

### **Individual or Household Membership**

This membership gives you all the benefits of Wild Ones membership – and covers everyone in your household. You may affiliate your membership with one of our many chapters throughout the United States or simply be a partner-at-large (PAL). Either way you will enjoy reading the *Wild Ones Journal* and have the privileges of the "members only" features on our Wild Ones web site.

### **Professional/Educator Membership**

The Professional/Educator membership level is intended to recognize the professionals who work in businesses and educational fields related to the Wild Ones mission. Currently, membership benefits related to this membership include, in addition to the usual Household Membership benefits:

- Acknowledgment of new or renewing Professional/Educator Membership in the *Wild Ones Journal*.
- Annual listing of membership along with all Professional/Educator Memberships in *Wild Ones Journal* Yellow Pages upon request.
- Supply of Wild Ones brochures and other promotional materials upon request.
- Wild Ones decal upon request.
- Any premiums being offered to Household Members for higher levels of giving.

### **Not-for-Profit Affiliate Organization Membership**

The Affiliate Not-for-Profit Organization membership level is intended to recognize the organizations whose missions are related to the Wild Ones mission. Currently, membership benefits include, in addition to the usual Household Membership benefits:

- Acknowledgment of new or renewing Not-for-Profit Affiliate Organization Membership in the *Wild Ones Journal*.
- Annual listing of membership along with all Not-for-Profit Affiliate Organization Memberships in *Wild Ones Journal* Yellow Pages.
- Participation in local chapter events by all organization staff.
- Supply of Wild Ones brochures and other promotional materials.
- Up to 3 extra copies of the *Journal* to share with staff and partners.
- Listing on the Wild Ones web site, under the Not-for-Profit Affiliate Organization Member Resource Listing, if they so desire.
- Any premiums being offered to Household Members for higher levels of giving.

### **Business Membership**

The Business membership level is intended to recognize the businesses who work in fields related to the Wild Ones mission. Currently, membership benefits include, in addition to the usual Household Membership benefits:

- Acknowledgment of new or renewing Business Membership in the *Wild Ones Journal*.
- Annual listing of membership along with all Business Memberships in *Wild Ones Journal* Yellow Pages.
- Participation in local chapter events by all business employees.
- Supply of Wild Ones brochures and other promotional materials.
- Up to 5 extra copies of the *Journal* to share with employees or clients.
- Listing on the Wild Ones web site under the Business Member Resource Listing, if they so desire.
- Any and all premiums being offered to Household Members for higher levels of giving.
- One large and two small decals of the Wild Ones Business Member certificate. (Frames available for wall or counter display.)

### **Lifetime Membership**

Lifetime Membership means the Wild Ones Individual or Household Member will no longer get annual dues renewal reminders. It also means that they will receive our Certificate of Appreciation (complete with special framing), recognizing their contribution to Wild Ones.

What is the cost? The dues for a Household Lifetime Membership are \$1,500 per household, and can be paid in a lump sum or over a period of three years in \$500 increments.

The membership applies to the household, which includes children under 18 years of age. One address per membership.

What becomes of the funds? The funds are placed in a restricted trust account from which only the interest can be drawn upon to help defray operational expenses and pay the local chapter their annual dues reimbursement.

What are the benefits to Wild Ones as an organization? Trust funds that count toward assets and vested dedicated members.

What are the benefits to the Household Lifetime Member? Simplicity of maintaining your membership and the tax deduction plus the bi-monthly publication of the *Wild Ones Journal*, membership to the local chapter in their area, and all the other great benefits available to Wild Ones members, including membership premiums.

### **Limited Income or Full-Time Student Membership**

Reduced-price memberships are available to full-time students and those on a limited income. If you are on a limited income, this membership gives you all the benefits of Wild Ones membership – and covers everyone in your household – but does not give you any of the premiums associated with other levels of membership. If you are a full-time student, this membership gives you all the benefits of Wild Ones membership – for you as an individual only – and does not give you any of the premiums associated with other levels of membership. One address per membership.

### **Gift Membership**

Once you arrive at the PayPal "Checkout" area, fill in "Shipping Information" with the name and address of the person to receive the gift and fill in the "special instructions" text box with the name you want used on the gift acknowledgement and the purpose for the gift. In addition to the gift acknowledgement, the member will get free access to the "Top 12 *Journal* Articles" and Wild Ones educational brochures.

### **Thank You Premiums**

Get free access to the "Top 18 *Journal* Articles"

All new and renewing members get access to the "Top *Journal* Articles" from past issues of the *Wild Ones Journal*.

Get a free set of "Wild Ones Note Cards"

Join or renew at the "Wilder" level of membership, and get a set of four note cards with cover art drawn exclusively for Wild Ones.

Get a free set of "Wild Ones Note Cards" and a free "2013 Wild Ones Calendar"

Join or renew at the "Wildest" level of membership, and get a set of four note cards with cover art drawn exclusively for Wild Ones – and get the 2013 Wild Ones calendar when it becomes available

### **Choose a Chapter**

Chapter preference: If you want to be a member of a chapter, let us know which chapter. Please refer to the listing of Wild Ones chapters on the Wild Ones website.