

## **King's Baptist Association (KBA)** **Membership Application**

The Board of Governors at King's invites membership to King's Baptist Grammar School Incorporated to be known as King's Baptist Association (KBA) to any member of the School community that wishes to support the further development of the school and who is eligible to apply. Membership provision and eligibility criteria are set out in the School Constitution in accordance with the SA Incorporations Act 1985. The Board and King's staff strives to make King's a living and learning community that allows students to thrive and grow. The School wishes to encourage excellence in education within the context of a Christian community where students can see the love of God in action and have an opportunity to develop their own personal faith response.

Membership of King's Baptist Association is an important role. The Board seeks to identify with members needs, valuing their input and feedback. As a member you will be engaging with the School community more intentionally and will be counted on as a supporter, encourager and participant. Membership is free.

Membership is available to anyone who meets the criteria as outlined in the School Constitution. For the majority of the School community this will mean –

- being a parent or primary caregiver of a student at King's;
- being a permanent staff member at King's;
- being a King's old scholar within 5 years of graduation;
- an interested person as defined by the School Constitution;

As well as

- agreeing to the 'Statement of Faith' described in the School Constitution, (see attached copy) and;
- be in active fellowship with a Christian Church.

Other membership criteria are outlined in the School Constitution. Membership will cease according to the conditions listed in the Constitution.

As a member of KBA you will be expected to-

1. Be a positive active influence in the school community;
2. Be willing to give feedback and input when needed;
3. Be willing to assist the school from time to time on a committee, discussion forum etc;
4. Receive member correspondence and feedback from the Board;
5. Attend, where possible, the Annual General Meeting and vote on items as required;
6. Support the school through prayer.

Membership does not give any authority over the operation or function of the school, the Board or the Staff. Membership is partnership and assists the Board and Staff to serve the whole King's community to reach its key goals as stated above.

A register of members will be kept in accordance with legal requirements and information will be treated as confidential. This register will be updated as necessary. Membership will cease upon no longer fulfilling the membership criteria or upon your request for it to be terminated. For further clarification, please refer to the School Constitution. Membership is not transferable between individuals.

## **STATEMENT OF FAITH**

- (a) We believe in the divine inspiration and authority of scripture - Old and New Testaments.
- (b) We believe in God - One, yet Three Persons, Creator of all things.
- (c) We believe in the Sovereignty of the Father, the Deity and perfect humanity of the Son complete in one person and the Personality of the Holy Spirit.
- (d) We believe in original sin, and eternal reward and punishment.
- (e) We believe that Salvation is found alone through Jesus Christ.
- (f) We believe in the regenerative work of God the Holy Spirit.
- (g) We believe in the Virgin Birth, perfect life on earth, death, resurrection, ascension and second coming of our Lord Jesus Christ.
- (h) We believe in the existence of a personal Devil.
- (i) We believe the Church is the Body of Christ, with Christ as its Head.
- (j) We believe in the Great Commission.
- (k) We accept two sacraments- Believers' Baptism and The Lord's Supper

## KBA General Application Form

I hereby apply for membership to King's Baptist Association and agree to the terms and conditions as outlined in the King's Baptist Grammar School Constitution.

(A copy of the Constitution is available upon request or can be downloaded from the school web site <http://www.kingsbaptist.sa.edu.au/constitution.html> )

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I have the following skills that may be useful to the School - (optional)-  
\_\_\_\_\_

Select the most appropriate category:

- I am a Parent, Primary Caregiver or Guardian of a student at King's;
- I am currently permanently employed at King's;
- I am a current KOSA (King's Old Scholars Association) member graduating within the last 5 years;
- I am an interested person applying for approval by the Board as defined in the School Constitution.

I am in fellowship with \_\_\_\_\_  
(Church congregation)

Pastor / Minister / Priest \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Declaration:

The above-mentioned information is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and I agree to the 'Statement of Faith' as described in the School Constitution.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

## KBA Specific Application Form

I hereby apply for membership to King's Baptist Association and agree to the terms and conditions as outlined in the King's Baptist Grammar School Constitution.

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I have the following skills that may be useful to the School - (optional)-  
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Select the most appropriate category:

- I am a member of Golden Grove Baptist Church nominated by the Eldership;
- I am nominated by the Assembly Board of the Baptist Churches of South Australia;
- I am an Honorary Life Member of King's Baptist Grammar School and wish to update my details.

I am in fellowship with \_\_\_\_\_  
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Pastor / Minister / Priest \_\_\_\_\_

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