



# CHG Membership Application Form

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I apply for membership of the Cambridge Humanist Group and by signing this form I agree to abide by the rules and principles of the Group

Name [PRINT] .....

Address:.....

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Home tel:.....

Mobile: .....

Email: .....

*Communication with the membership is normally via email.*

If you do not have email and require postal communication, tick here:

I give my consent for my name and contact details to be made known to other members of the Cambridge Humanist Group: tick here:  *Note: the committee will not give this information to third parties outside the Group.*

OR My name and contact details may to be divulged only to the CHG committee for its legitimate purposes: tick here :

I enclose the membership fee of £.....by cash/cheque (payable to Cambridge Humanist Group)

OR

I have sent a Standing Order Mandate to my bank for sum of £.....

Specific Interests:

As a CHG member, you will automatically be kept informed of all Humanist activities (Talks, Discussions, Culture Club) and social events (Summer BBQ, Winter Party held by the group. If you would also like to be involved in outreach activities such as speaking in schools or help raise awareness of Humanism through campaigning, please specify your interests below: (tick all mailing lists that apply):

Schools:  Campaigns:  Local interfaith events:  Other (please state):

I have an interest/skill/knowledge that I am willing to share with other members. Please summarise briefly here and continue on the reverse if necessary:

I am willing to help CHG with the following (tick all that apply):

Distributing leaflets, posters etc.:  Meeting and greeting new members:  Organising events:

Other (please state):

Signature: ..... Date: .....

### Annual Membership fees

	If paying by cash or cheque	If paying by Standing order
Standard Individual	£15	£12.50
Concession for students, pensioners and unwaged	£12.50	£10
Standard Couples fee	£30	£25
Concession for pensioner and unwaged couples	£25	£20

**Please return this form to the Treasurer:**

**Paul Ewans, 16 St Barnabas Court, Cambridge, CB1 2BZ** (Version 18/01/2015)

## Who we are

The CHG membership comprises atheists, agnostics, sceptics, secularists, rationalists...

What unifies us is the conviction that the One Life We Have is best lived rationally and joyfully without recourse to a supernatural authority, and is all the more fulfilling and authentic for it.

We welcome inquisitive thinkers of all backgrounds and hope you will find the CHG a welcoming and stimulating group.

## What we do

- We provide a social forum for like-minded people to meet, debate and enjoy each other's company.
- We engage in a number of outreach activities to raise awareness of Humanism and influence public debate on issues of social cohesion.
- We provide trained speakers to primary and secondary schools within Cambridgeshire and beyond. We help RE and philosophy tutors teach Humanism as part of the syllabus requirements regarding non-religious belief systems.
- We are represented on our local Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education (SACRE), which is the body responsible for advising the Local Education Authority on Religious Education.
- We regularly contribute events to the annual Festival of Ideas and Science Festivals hosted by Cambridge University.
- We make the voice of Humanism heard on local radio.

## Benefits of Membership

### Access to Members only Events

- Culture Club
- Discussion Group
- Annual Summer BBQ
- Christmas Party

### **The chance to shape local debate on the future of belief system plurality and the teaching of ethics in UK society.**

On behalf of your local Humanist Group, you can get involved with

- School outreach
- Local interfaith events
- Lobbying and campaigning against imposition of religious special interest
- .... What topic do you want to take up?