



# INFORMATION for LAPIDARY members

(Separate sheet for Silver)

## Club RULES and CONDITIONS 2016:

NAMBOUR LAPIDARY CLUB INC.

**Club Location:** Gem Lane, Nambour Showgrounds, Nambour 4560

**Postal Address:** PO Box 52 Nambour 4560

**Email:** nambourlapidary@hotmail.com

### Workshop opening times:

Monday	Silver work	6pm – 9 pm
Tuesday	General Lapidary Work	8.30am – 12 noon
Tuesday	General Lapidary Work	6pm – 9 pm
Thursday	General Lapidary Work	8.30am – 12 noon (Over 50's)
Thursday	General Lapidary Work	6pm – 9 pm

The Club can be open at any other time as long as there are two qualified members present.

**NOTE:** Children under the age 16 are welcome to join, but **MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A PARENT or AN AUTHORISED GUARDIAN** in the Workshops.

It is not necessary that the adult join the club, but it would be preferred, to give proper supervision of the child. Seating and drinks are available inside the Clubhouse.

### TO BECOME A MEMBER, THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS APPLY

For '**LAPIDARY WORK ONLY**' You can apply for '**full Membership**' immediately or, you have the option to apply for '**1 month**' whilst completing the 'experience' list

For both Options, a '**NEW MEMBERSHIP**' form must be completed for your Contact details and for Insurance purposes, and a copy left at the club house

- All visitors and members must sign in, and pay any workshop fees to the session supervisor.
- For new applicants: Supervision and guidance will be provided for **3 sessions**. (the regular daily workshop fee of \$6.00 still applies.)
- An '**Experience Check list form**' is provided to indicate that the basic skills have been learned.
- After 3 sessions, no further guidance should be necessary, however, help is always available from the session supervisor and other members who are willing to help.
- Strict safety rules must be adhered to whilst working around the machinery.
- At no time can a member operate machinery if under the influence of alcohol, drugs or medication which may cause drowsiness.
- Closed in shoes must be worn at all workshop sessions, long hair must be tied back, loose jewellery and rings must be removed. Safety glasses are provided. Ear muffs if required.

### Member Participation:

**Fund raising events are an essential part of the club's growth and ALL members are encouraged to help in some way, particularly at the Gemfest:**

- The Sunshine Coast Agriculture Show - June
- The Garden Expo - July
- Kybong Rock and Mineral Show - August
- **Nambour Gemfest** - October (This event is run 'Solely' by the Members of the Club)



# INFORMATION for SILVER members

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### **TO BECOME A MEMBER, THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS APPLY FOR PEOPLE WISHING TO JOIN THE SILVER WORKSHOP:**

#### **NOTES:**

When first attending, a new 'MEMBERSHIP form' must be 'filled in' to establish your 'contact details' and for 'Insurance purposes' and a copy left at the club house. It is not necessary to pay the full membership at this stage.

- All visitors and members must sign in, and pay any workshop fees to the session supervisor.
- **The 'Monday night' silver workshop is not intended for training sessions.**
- In order to participate in the Main workshop sessions, it is important that new applicants have sufficient basic skills to attend. These skills can be either:
  - **Achieved from previous experiences, ie. from another club or**
  - **By attending a '4 session' course provided by the club. (ask for details)**
- Either way, the attached 'EXPERIENCE CHECKLIST' must be completed before applying for full membership.
- At the main workshop, no basic training will be given, however help is always available from the session supervisor and other members who are willing.
- Strict safety rules must be adhered to whilst working around the machinery.
- At no time can a member operate machinery if under the influence of alcohol, drugs or medication which may cause drowsiness.
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