



The Henry Lawson Memorial & Literary Society Inc., was founded by Steve Ford JP (1868-1946) in 1923, when a gathering took place in Footscray Hill Park, Melbourne.

The Society abides by its aims and objectives : to foster poetry and prose with regular meetings and events. The HLM&LS is proud to announce that 2023 is the Society's centenary year and exciting events are planned – stay tuned!

Note : The HLM&LS Inc keeps all member contact information confidential and member details are neither shared nor forwarded on to a third party.

### How do I join?

Simply download the Membership Application Form from [www.henrylawsonociety.org](http://www.henrylawsonociety.org) [Membership Application Form](#)

Either scan and email to [info@henrylawsonociety.org](mailto:info@henrylawsonociety.org) or post the completed application to :  
The Secretary-Treasurer, Henry Lawson Memorial & Literary Society Inc.  
P O Box 429, Brighton, Victoria, 3186

**Payment of the annual fee of \$35 is not required until your application has been processed and approved by the committee. Your membership starts from the date of approval. You will be notified when this has occurred and advised how to pay the membership fee.**

### The Benefits of Membership

- Four free copies of the Society's full colour magazine 'The Lawsonian'.
- Participation at our monthly general meetings, including performing poetry after general meetings if you wish.
- A say in the running of the Society.
- The knowledge that your membership is helping to advance the aims of the Society.

At present, our monthly meetings are held at Ross House, 247-251 Flinders Lane, Melbourne, **every third Saturday of the month (except January)**. Ross House ticks many boxes as a suitable venue being:

- Central to the city and Flinders Street railway station,
- Has pleasant meeting rooms,
- Has internet and visual facilities allowing us to continue to bring in our regional and members by Zoom,
- Has lift access from street level to the floor where the meeting is held.

**We invite you to become a member!**