

# AUSDANCE NATIONAL

## **MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION**

Under the amended Constitution for Ausdance National, any State or Territory Member of Ausdance is now also a member of Ausdance National (at no additional cost) and as such, has the following rights as detailed below.

As a Member of Ausdance National, you may attend the Annual General Meeting (or Special General Meeting) and vote at an Annual General Meeting. Your vote may be on any and all motions as listed on the Agenda for the AGM either from the floor, or by proxy if you cannot attend. Proxy voting forms must be received by electronic means to <u>national@ausdance.org.au</u> 48 hours prior to the meeting, or tabled in person by another Member at the meeting.

Further information regarding the 2017 Annual General Meeting including the agenda, minutes, proxy form and biographies of those nominating for the national council are available at:

http://ausdance.org.au/news/article/ausdance-national-agm-2017

### MEMBERS

A member of Ausdance National is:

- 1. Any national organisation who chooses to become a member and pays a membership fee;
- 2. Any individual who is not serviced by a State or Territory Ausdance and pays a membership fee;
- 3. Honourary Life Members of Ausdance National;
- 4. Any State or Territory Ausdance;
- 5. Any member of a State or Territory Ausdance, be they an individual or organisation who has paid their membership fee to their State or Territory Ausdance;
- 6. Any Honourary Life Member of a State or Territory Ausdance.

Each Member has the following rights:

- 1. A member may stand for election to the National Council;
- 2. A member may nominate or second another member for election/appointment to the National Council;
- 3. A member may attend (in whatever media is available) an Annual General Meeting or Special General Meeting of Ausdance National;
- 4. A member can vote at an Annual General Meeting or Special General Meeting of Ausdance National, be that in person at the time of the meeting, or by proxy;

5. Each member, be they an organisation or an individual, has one vote at an Annual General Meeting or Special General Meeting. A representative of an organisation who is also an individual member may vote once on behalf of the organisation they represent and once as an individual member.

#### Membership Services

A member of Ausdance National who is not a member of a State or Territory Ausdance may directly avail themselves of the services offered by Ausdance National.

A member of Ausdance National who is a member of a State or Territory Ausdance must seek services offered by Ausdance National via their State or Territory Ausdance.

#### **Membership Fees**

Membership fees for calendar year 2017 will be discussed and approved at the 2017 Annual General Meeting.

If you have any questions regarding this process, or your membership of Ausdance National, please contact the office at <u>national@ausdance.org.au</u>