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Vicenza Community Club Membership Application 2019-2020

Main Member Name: _____ Birthday: _____

CMR: _____ Box: _____ Zip: _____ Preferred Phone: _____

Email (no MIL or DODEA please): _____ Sponsor Unit/Affiliation: _____

Status: (check below)

SOFA Status: YES

AD Military _____

NO

AD Family Member _____

Retired Military _____

Do you have Facebook? YES

Retired Family Member _____

NO

DOD Civilian _____

Civilian Family Member _____

Do you have Instagram? YES

Contractor _____

NO

Contractor Family Member _____

DODDS _____

Are you interested in volunteering for VCC? YES

DODDS Family Member _____

NO

Host National _____

Other Non US ID _____

Are you interested in volunteering at the Thrift Store? YES

NO

Additional Family Member Name: _____ Birthday: _____

Email (no MIL or DODEA please): _____ Status (select from above): _____

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I/we are interested in the following Sub Club Activity Groups:

International Exchange: _____

Buon Appetito: _____

Shopping/Thrifting: _____

Cooking: _____

Wine & Spirits: _____

Day Trippers: _____

Art & Culture: _____

Bunko: _____

Book Club: _____

Mommy & Me: _____

Travel & Leisure: _____

Crafting: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Your signature or electronic submission of this form indicates your agreement that VCC members are bound by the current Vicenza Community Club Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws, of which a copy is published @vccitaly.org. This includes the VCC Code of Conduct and Volunteer Agreement (if applicable) and the following disclosures.

Initial _____ I understand that The VCC membership year is from 1 June 2019 to May 31, 2020. Rates may increase for FY 2020, but FY 2019 rates will be honored through May 31, 2019. Membership fees are nonrefundable.

Initial _____ I understand that no adjustments will be given for membership fees paid in Euro vs Dollars.

Initial _____ I understand the VCC Membership Levels listed below and acknowledge that I/my family qualify as the following type of member(s) (circle only one): Active Active Gold Star Honorary Associate Associate Gold Star

Initial _____ I understand the VCC uses the information gathered on this form for internal purposes only and will never share my information with others. I consent to receiving electronic communications from the VCC.

Initial _____ I understand the VCC will publicize information about events and activities in a variety of ways including their website, member emails, digital newsletters, printed signage on post, and social media. It is my responsibility to notify info@vccitaly.org if I am not receiving VCC member emails.

Initial _____ I understand the VCC may take photos of members and general community guests at large at their events. These photos may be used for any authorized VCC purpose including marketing and publicity such as publishing on the website or social media. It is my responsibility to inform the VCC in advance or to tell the photographer at the event that I do not consent to having my image used in VCC materials.

Initial _____ I understand membership in the VCC must be paid before December 31, 2019 in order to qualify for 2020 VCC Scholarships.

Initial _____ I understand the VCC is not affiliated with the US Army or USAG Italy and is not a government instrumentality.

Membership dues are currently priced at \$20/individual membership or \$30/family membership. Payments can be submitted via check (payable to VCC) or cash and can be dropped in an envelope marked "Membership" in the VCC box outside the Thrift Store or mailed to: VCC Membership, Unit 31401, Box 61, APO, AE 09630.

Active Membership is available to all USAG Italy personnel and spouses who have been granted status under the North Atlantic Treaty Organization Status of Forces Agreement (SOFA), as prescribed in Army Europe Regulation 210-22. USAG Italy personnel in this category may include the following: military or civilian personnel (active or retired) and their spouses and adult children. Active members are entitled to vote, hold office, and participate in Vicenza Community Club activities. Active members will pay dues annually from 1 June to May 31.

Active Gold Star Membership is the same as above but Gold Star families in the community eligible for active membership status will be extended the offer of free membership to honor the sacrifice of their loved one.

Honorary Membership may be extended by the President and Honorary President. Honorary Members shall have all the privileges of active members with the exception of voting and holding office. Honorary Members are not required to pay dues.

Associate Membership may be extended by the President and Honorary President to Host Nation personnel after consulting with the Membership Chair to ensure that associate membership at no time exceeds 25% of total membership. Associate members shall have all the privileges of active members with the exception of voting and holding office. Some Vicenza Community Club activities may not be available to Associate Members, due to private organization restrictions on the activities of non-SOFA status members of the club. Associate members will pay dues annually.

Associate Gold Star Membership is the same as above but Gold Star families in the community eligible for associate membership status will be extended the offer of free membership to honor the sacrifice of their loved one.

Note: The VCC is governed by Army in Europe Regulation 210-22 and other Private Organization Fundraising and USAG Italy guidelines which determine our membership categories and other rules including who may shop at the Thrift Store, participate in certain events and volunteer for the VCC or Thrift Store.

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Payment Type: Dollars Euro Check Amount: Date: VCC Initials:
Received Gift: Y or N Sent Welcome Email: Y or N Received Membership Card: Y or N