



# Membership Application Form

We have two types of membership: Annual or Life.

I/We\* wish to apply for membership of the Hitchin Historical Society.  
Please complete in block capitals: *\* delete as appropriate*

Title & Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

### Annual membership as at January 2018:

- £6 Single
- £9 Joint (two at the same address)
- £1 Junior (under 18)

### Life membership:

- Single Life Member (Under 60): ..... £130
- Single Life Member (Over 60): ..... £80
- Two Life members same household (both under 60): ..... £230
- Two Life members same household (at least 1 over 60): ..... £140

Please send your application form with cash, or cheque made payable to Hitchin Historical Society, to:

**HHS Membership Secretary, 12 Matthew Gate, Hitchin, SG4 9EQ**

GiftAid allows us to reclaim tax on donations and subscriptions from the Inland Revenue. If you (one of you for Joint memberships) are a UK taxpayer, then please make your subscription go further by completing the GiftAid form opposite.

- Please tick **one** of the following:
- I have completed the GiftAid form.
  - I have not completed the GiftAid form.



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**Using Gift Aid means that, for every pound you give, Hitchin Historical Society will receive an extra 25 pence from the Inland Revenue, helping your subscription or donation go further.**

This means that £6 can be turned into £7.50, and £9 into £11.25, just so long as donations are made through Gift Aid. It doesn't cost you a thing and, if you are a Higher Rate taxpayer, you can also claim back for yourself the difference between the standard and higher rates.

Please complete the details below **including your first name** and return this declaration together with your application form, opposite.

First name \_\_\_\_\_ Surname \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Postcode \_\_\_\_\_

*I want all donations I have made to Hitchin Historical Society in the last six years and all donations in the future to be Gift Aid until I notify you otherwise. I understand this information will be recorded on the Society's computerised membership records only for the purposes of reclaiming tax through the Gift Aid scheme.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**To qualify for Gift Aid, what you pay in income tax or capital gains tax must at least equal the amount the Society will claim in the tax year. You can cancel this instruction at any time.**

Please notify the Membership Secretary if you (a) want to cancel this declaration; (b) change your name or home address; (c) no longer pay sufficient tax on your income and/or capital gains.