

The Bermuda National Trust Membership Application

Membership begins/ends October 1st

New Membership Membership Renewal

1 year 2 years 3 years 4 years

Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Tel (H) _____ (C) _____

Email: _____

Additional members for Family Memberships

Spouse/Partner _____

Children under 18 years:

Name _____ DOB (M/D/Y) _____

I would like to know more about volunteer opportunities at the Trust

Membership Categories (fees on annual basis)

Student \$5 Individual \$30 Family or Overseas \$50 Friend \$100
 Supporter \$250 Contributor \$500 Conservator \$1,000 Life \$10,000

Payment Methods:

Cheque in SBDA or SUS payable to the Bermuda National Trust

OR Credit Card Type _____ Expiry _____ (M/D/Y)

Card Number _____

Name on Card _____

Authorised Amount \$ _____

Signature _____

Every member makes the Trust's voice stronger!



Spittal Pond Bird Sanctuary



Waterville



Royal Naval Cemetery



Summer Campers

New and easy! Join the Trust or renew your membership online! Visit www.bnt.bm.

Benefits	Student	Individual	Family/Overseas	Friend	Supporter	Contributor	Conservator	Life
Reciprocity with National Trust organisations in Africa, Asia, Europe and the Caribbean	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Monthly e-bulletin and special reports	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Free museum entrance for members and family (unlimited access)	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
10% discount on camps, lectures and special presentations	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
10% discount at Trustworthy	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Invitation to Members Only events	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Additional guest passes				2	4	6	8	8
5% discount at Rock Island Coffee				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Special tour of Paget Marsh (scheduled by the Trust twice a year)				✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
5% discount at Pulp and Circumstance					✓	✓	✓	✓
Special tour of Verdmont (scheduled by the Trust twice a year)					✓	✓	✓	✓
Free copy of Held in Trust						✓	✓	✓
Free copy of each new Architectural Heritage Parish Book							✓	✓
25% discount on rental of one of our venues (once a year)							✓	✓

Please mail the membership form (with cheque if applicable) to Bermuda National Trust - Memberships
 PO Box HM 61, Hamilton HM AX Bermuda or fax to (441) 236 0617

New! Join Online at www.bnt.bm

Join the Bermuda National Trust!

To protect and promote Bermuda's unique natural and cultural heritage forever

Verdmont Historic House Museum

Join the Bermuda National Trust and help protect Bermuda's heritage... for everyone, forever.

In the National Trust's care are more than 70 properties, covering nearly 300 acres and representing much of the best of Bermuda's heritage – a rich variety of traditional historic houses, islands, gardens, cemeteries, nature reserves and coastline.

The Trust's protected **historic buildings** are some of the earliest stone structures on the island and are a record of Bermuda's unique architectural heritage. The Trust's **museums** display an outstanding collection of artefacts made or owned by Bermudians, including cedar furniture, silver, maps and paintings, all contributing to the intriguing story of our island's development.

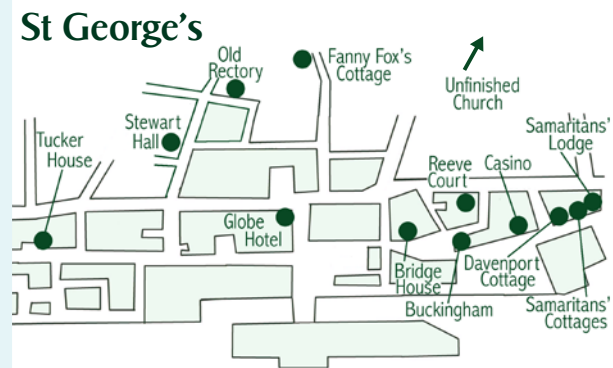
Open spaces protected under the ownership of the Trust include farmland, remote islands, marshes and nature reserves, all of which help to preserve Bermuda's native and endemic species. **Historic cemeteries** preserve aspects of Bermuda's history and are tranquil oases in a busy world.

Education plays a key role in all the Trust's programmes, and this role is rapidly expanding. The Axis Education Programme uses key Trust properties in closely curriculum-linked lessons to teach Bermuda's natural and cultural history to all the children in Bermuda's schools.

In its **advocacy** role, the Trust is a leader in protecting the environment and addressing issues of conservation. Through our research we have established policies used to review trends and major development proposals which may affect the environment, historic buildings or our dwindling open space.

The Trust's **research programmes** add to our knowledge of Bermuda in areas as diverse as climate change, archaeology and architecture.

The Trust's annual cycle of **events** – the plant and bake sale, the children's nature walk, the jumble sale and auction, the Calcutta tennis tournament, the Christmas Walkabout and Carols at Verdmont, lectures and museum chats – are all opportunities for our members to participate in the celebration of Bermuda's heritage and to support the Trust.



The Trust played a major role in the declaration of the town of St George's as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The Trust's thirteen properties comprise a vital part of the fabric of the Old Town.

Museums

Verdmont – A grand manor house built early in the 18th century with an incomparable collection of Bermudian artefacts.

Tucker House – An elegant merchant's house in St George's furnished largely with heirlooms of the Tucker family, and containing an archaeology exhibit.

The Globe Hotel – Dating to 1699, a St George's commercial building with a colourful history housing an exhibit about the Confederate blockade runners in the American Civil War.

Waterville – The Trust's headquarters, built in 1720, with two display rooms, the Rose Society's Repository Rose Garden and the extensive grounds of Waterville Park.

Nature Reserves

Key Trust nature reserves have parking, walking trails and interpretive signs to enhance the visitor's experience. We think of these as our 'natural museums'.

Somerset Long Bay East – The first property bought by Buy Back Bermuda, the Trust's partnership with the Bermuda Audubon Society. This freshwater pond is a prime spot for many migratory birds.

Warwick Pond in the Sherwin Reserve – This 13-acre reserve includes the largest surviving freshwater pond in Bermuda.

Paget Marsh – The last surviving remnant of prehistoric Bermuda, this 25-acre reserve contains an ancient peat marsh like those which once covered much of Bermuda's protected basins and inland valleys.

Spittal Pond – Bermuda's largest bird sanctuary provides a diversity of habitats and unique features such as Portuguese Rock, Jeffrey's Hole and the checkerboard.