

## **Alumni Membership Guidelines**

- Alumni membership is open to former members of Survivors Abreast who wish to maintain a social and support network but do not wish to be involved in the day to day business or paddling activities.
- If a team member does not renew their membership, they will be given the option to join the Alumni email list. There is no need to formally register. It is up to the individual alumni member to advise if they wish to be removed from the list.
- Alumni members will be governed by the Survivors Abreast By-Laws (as amended on April 6, 2016) and the "Member Behaviour Guidelines" as stated in Survivors Abreast Rules and Regulations.
- Alumni members support the Survivors Abreast Team Values and Mission Statement.
- The Alumni membership is a Non-Voting membership and Alumni members will not attend team meetings.
- Alumni members will be included in Survivors Abreast social activities and be welcome to participate in group activities such as the Festival Launch, Awareness Day, Parades, as well as volunteer and have a presence at our Festival or others.
- Out of town festival information will be made available and Alumni members can attend on their own as supporters or be included in transportation arrangements (unsubsidized) if space is available. Alumni members will not receive medals should the team win an event.
- A separate email list will be compiled and maintained by the membership committee, to be used to send out notices of events.
- Alumni members will be invited to "Like" the Survivors Abreast Public Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/survivorsabreast/
- These guidelines will be sent to new Alumni members once they are added to the list.

History:	Date:	Comments:
Original Policy:	April 6, 2016	Approved by the team at the April 6, 2016 meeting
Amendment:	Feb 20, 2018 – team meeting	Remove the \$25.00 fee and no longer provide a shirt.
Amendment:	April 29 2025 Team meeting	Remove the requirement to have new alumni members register and annually confirm they wish to be kept on the list.