

MEMBERSHIP

Polish Heritage Club of Wisconsin, Inc. - Madison

Witamy! Founded in 1979 as a non-profit, non-political organization to promote Polish Heritage through educational, charitable, cultural, and social activities, the Club welcomes persons of all backgrounds. Please join us to learn about and enjoy Polish culture.



DATE	Please Check If:	New Membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	Renewal	<input type="checkbox"/>
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(Membership year starts January 1 – payments after October extend through 12/31 of the following year.)

Membership Type:	Family (two adults-same address)	\$30	<input type="checkbox"/>	Individual	\$20	<input type="checkbox"/>
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(A Family membership provides two votes at the Club's Annual Meeting)

OPTIONAL:	Additional Contribution/Gift	\$	Scholarship Donation	\$
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TOTAL ENCLOSED Make checks payable to: \$
 Polish Heritage Club-Madison PO Box 45438 Madison, WI 53744-5438

	Person 1			Person 2		
Name (first/last)						
Mailing Address						
City/State/ZIP						
Preferred Phone						
Please Indicate If	Work	Home	Cell	Work	Home	Cell
Email						
Include name in member directory?	Yes	No		Yes	No	
Occupation/Profession						
Retired?	Yes	No		Yes	No	
Any Family Connection to Poland or recent travel there? Please describe.						
Do you speak Polish?	Yes	No		Yes	No	

The Club occasionally hosts or sponsors classes, lectures, social activities, or other events of interest to members and guests. If you would like to participate, **please check interest below**, and if you have a talent or experience to share, please indicate on the next page.

	Person 1	Person 2
Polish Cooking/baking	Yes	Yes
Polish Crafts	Yes	Yes
Book Club	Yes	Yes
Genealogy	Yes	Yes

All members receive email news with opportunities for social activities, classes, events – or contact us:

<https://www.phcwi-madison.org>

email: phcwisconsin@gmail.com; (608) 571-5727; [Facebook](#)

Polish Doll Display (Photo credit Irena Fraczek)



The Polish Heritage Club depends on members to volunteer their time, talents, and service to lead the organization, work to plan and carry out events, and communicate about the organization to members, the local community, and the state.

The club typically hosts or participates in a number of events every year:

- Spring Festival – usually Palm Sunday
 - International Festival at the Overture Center – dates vary
 - Portage County Cultural Festival – spring
 - Member Picnic - August
 - Christmas Market – November
 - Wigilia – December
- Help is always needed to serve on planning committees, buy items for sale at the events, cook Polish lunches, work at check out, set up and clean up.
 - The Club maintains a web site and Facebook page, produces a newsletter for members several times a year, and manages publicity for club activities as well as Polish-related events. Assistance is welcome to help develop content, manage and post to the applications, and coordinate publicity.
 - The Club offers scholarships to students and welcomes individuals to oversee the process, review applications and make recommendations for funding.
 - A Board of Directors leads the Club and invites interested individuals to apply. Directors generally have two-year terms. Financial management is critical to the ability of the club to sponsor events, so an annual audit is conducted to ensure funding availability and accountability to the members.
 - The Club occasionally sponsors events and activities such as classes, lectures, workshops, travelogues, and musical performances and welcomes members willing to share their experiences and talents for such activities.

Volunteering – you may call me to:	Person 1	Person 2
Help with event planning	Yes	Yes
Work at an event	Yes	Yes
Help with event cooking	Yes	Yes
Help with buying/inventory	Yes	Yes
Help with newsletter/publicity/social media	Yes	Yes
Review scholarship applications	Yes	Yes
Help audit financial records	Yes	Yes
Serve on the Board of Directors	Yes	Yes
Teach crafting/baking/other classes	Yes	Yes
Other interests, experiences, or talents you are willing to share:		



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