

Information about Membership changes

What are the Membership changes?

We are introducing new Equity and Pay It Forward membership levels, and removing the numbers from the membership level names.

What is Equity Pricing?

At its heart, SCVQA wants to be a welcoming place for every single quilter. We know everyone's budget looks a little different, and a rigid, onesizefitsall fee shouldn't stand in the way of learning or friendship. So, starting August 1st, we're trying something new and rolling out an Equity Pricing Model for memberships to help us reach and keep more members

Basically, by offering a few different price points, members experiencing a tight spot can stay fully involved, while those who have a little extra room in their budget can help keep SCVQA thriving. We trust you to pick the level that honestly fits your current budget—no forms, no proof needed, and absolutely no questions asked. To make it easy, think about it like a trip to your local quilt shop:

What are the new membership levels?

Regular Membership (\$55): This is our base price. If things are financially steady for you right now, this is your spot. (Think of it like this: You can head to the fabric store on a whim and buy a few yards without sweating your bank balance, even if you still have to save up for a big investment like a brandnew machine.)

Equity Membership (\$45): Choose this tier if the regular price feels like a heavy lift for your budget right now. (Think of it like this: You find yourself pausing and checking your bank app before picking up a single fat quarter.)

Pay It Forward Membership (\$65): Choose this tier if you're in a position to help make sure anyone who wants to be a part of SCVQA can be. (Think of it like this: You're able to buy new designer fabrics, kits, and highend tools as you wish without needing to look closely at your budget.)

How does this keep us balanced?

This whole idea relies on us looking out for one another. If you're in a season where you can "Pay It Forward," your extra \$10 directly helps cover a fellow quilter who needs the "Equity" tier right now. No matter which option you choose, everyone gets the exact same perks, access, and warm welcome.

You might be wondering how this affects our budget. We actually expect the impact on our revenue to be minimal. We think it'll help us keep the members we have and bring in new faces, and we know we will have the support of awesome "Pay It Forward" folks. The board will be keeping an eye on the numbers regularly just to see how things are going and make tweaks if we need to.

How do I see my current membership level?

From the SCVQA website, once you've logged in, you click on your name in the upper right. You'll then see your current membership level in "My profile".

Keti Kilcrease Change password Log out

Enter search string

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Membership details

Membership card

Keti Kilcrease

1 Regular

Renewal date: The, October 01, 2025

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Membership level **1 Regular - \$55.00 (USD)**

Subscription period: 1 year

No automatically recurring payments

What do I do if I want to keep Regular membership?

No action is required on your part to stay with regular membership. Just renew per usual.

What do I do if I want to change to Equity or Pay It Forward membership?

There are 2 ways to change your membership level:

Method 1: The webmaster can make the change for you

This method is best if you want to keep your renewal date the same, and you can send the membership level change request anytime before your renewal is shortly due.

Send an email requesting to change your membership to a new level two weeks or more before your renewal date. This gives the webmaster time to make the change before the system generates the invoice. Email is sent to webmaster@scvqa.org with the Subject **LEVEL CHANGE**.

Please include your **full name** and **email used to login** to the website (if you're not sending the email from your login email address). This lets the webmaster find you in the database. You can send the email anytime from now to two weeks before your renewal date (sooner is better). This gives the webmaster time to make the change before the renewal invoice is generated.

Below is an example of the email.

To: webmaster@scvqa.org
CC:
Subject: LEVEL CHANGE
From: Ketil Kilcrease

Please change my membership level to Pay It Forward.

Regards,
Ketil Kilcrease
ketik@att.net

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Method 2: You can make the change in your profile

This level is best right around your renewal date.

Before your membership renews, you can change your membership level in Wild Apricot. **Please note that this method changes your renewal date to the date you make the change. You are required to pay the renewal fee to complete the membership level change.**

If you are within 7 days, your renewal invoice will have been generated. You can still change it in your profile, but an additional step is required to cancel the invoice. Click on “Cancel pending renewal/invoice” in your profile, and then proceed with selecting your new tier.

Log into SCVQA.org website and navigate to your profile by clicking on your name in the upper right. Click on “Change” next to “Membership level”.

My profile

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Subscription period: 1 year

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The system bills at the full price of the new term at the time of the change, and prorating is not supported. (In other words, my renewal date is in October 2026. If I change my level on July 30 2026, my renewal date would now be July 30 2027, and I would not be credited for the partial membership paid from July 2026 to October 2026.

On the change membership level screen, select the level you want, and click Next.

[Home](#) > [My profile](#) > Membership level change

Change membership level

Select membership level

* Mandatory fields

- * Membership level
- ☐ **Equity**
Subscription period: 1 year
No automatically recurring payments
- ☐ **Pay It Forward**
Subscription period: 1 year
No automatically recurring payments



Please note: Your next renewal date will be based on your new level settings.

Cancel

Next

You will see the screen below. Click Update and next.

[Home](#) > [My profile](#) > Membership level change

Change membership level

New level Pay It Forward
Subscription period: 1 year
No automatically recurring payments

Cancel

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Update and next

Then confirm the change by clicking Confirm on the next screen, and proceed with the invoice and payment.

[Home](#) > [My profile](#) > Membership level change

Change membership level



Review and confirm

New level Pay It Forward
Subscription period: 1 year
No automatically recurring payments

New renewal date Tue, July 06, 2027

Old level 1 Regular

Cancel

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Confirm

Where do I go for questions?

If you have any questions at all about this, please email webmaster@scvqa.org.