



**AFPA**  
Australian Federal  
Police Association

# MEMBER UPDATE

## AFPA Member Update - 12 July 2018

### **\*\*NEW APFA MEMBER BENEFITS\*\***

Your Association has recently worked to secure two new member benefits for you as a valued AFPA member. As well as the many workplace benefits that Association membership provides, these additional benefits will help make your life outside work easier. We trust you will enjoy the fantastic discounts and savings on offer through these exclusive AFPA member benefits.

### **AFPA Member Advantage Program**

Your Association has partnered with Member Advantage, to bring you exclusive access to new discounts and savings only available through your AFPA membership.

The program is complimentary, offering you and your family unlimited use and allows you to save money on your everyday expenses. Benefits will include savings on products such as dining, accommodation, gym membership, movie tickets, leisure activities, adventure tours, magazines, car rental, computers and more.

Benefits can be viewed and accessed through a dedicated portal from your smart device and will locate offers at nearby restaurants and locations.

On Tuesday 24 July 2018, you will receive an activation email direct from Member Advantage. For your first visit you will need to click on the login link within that email and set your password. Once your password has been created, you use this along with your email address to login at: [afpa.memberadvantage.com.au](http://afpa.memberadvantage.com.au).

Once you activate your account, you will have immediate access to the extensive range of financial and lifestyle member benefits on offer.

## **Costco**

Your Association is also pleased to be able to partner with Costco to provide a benefit to all AFPA members.

At Costco membership sign up (\$60 annually), just tell the membership team that you are an AFPA member and you will receive in store an exclusive AFPA members coupon booklet that will save you even more – with offers up to the value of \$200.

The AFPA members coupon booklet will be available each year at membership renewal and will be refreshed each year, keeping the overall offer value, the same.

If you are already a Costco member, just pop into your local store and let them know you are an AFPA member to receive your exclusive AFPA members coupon booklet.

Currently there are nine Costco locations across Australia in SA, QLD, NSW, ACT and Victoria. Location maps are available at [www.costco.com.au](http://www.costco.com.au).

### **\*\* AFPA Magazine – BlueStar July 2018 edition \*\***

The third edition of your Association magazine – BlueStar is now available on the AFPA website at the following link: <https://www.afpa.org.au/news-events-public-site/afpa-magazine/>.

If you have information or a story you consider to be of interest to the broader membership and worthy of publication in the Magazine, please phone or email AFPA Communications Manager at 02 6285 1677 or at [melanie.burgess@afpa.org.au](mailto:melanie.burgess@afpa.org.au).

### **\*\* Police Week – 15-29 September 2018 \*\***

The inaugural Police Week will take place on 15-29 September 2018. Events that will be held as part of Police Week aim to draw the policing community together to participate and honour those officers who have paid the ultimate sacrifice, and to celebrate the excellent work of Australia's police. More information on events can be found at [www.policeweek.org.au](http://www.policeweek.org.au).

### **The Wall to Wall: Ride for Remembrance**

The Wall to Wall: Ride for Remembrance will be held on *Saturday 15 September 2018*. Now in its eighth year with some 2,000 riders attending annually since 2015, approx. \$830,000 has been donated to police legacy organisations.

The ride is open to all serving and retired AFP employees, and family and friends. The ride is not only a wonderful commemoration of service and sacrifice, but also a fantastic social event for enthusiastic motor cyclists across Australia in celebration of the police family. Registrations are now open and the cost for the 2018 ride is \$85, which also includes an event cap.

More information about the ride and registration details can be found at:  
<http://walltowallride.com/>.

## **Century Bike Ride: Remembering Mates**

The Remembering Mates: Century Bike Ride will be held on *Sunday 16 September 2018*. Each jurisdiction will hold their own ride which will consist of a 100km route that will end at Police Memorials in their respective state or territory. A \$75.00 registration fee will apply to each rider. There are a number of ways AFP employees can participate in the event. Register as a rider in the ACT/NSW ride from Goulburn Police Academy to the National Police Memorial in Canberra or register to ride in your local state or territory ride.

More information about the ride, a list of state and territory co-ordinators along with registration details can be found at <http://policeweek.org.au/century-bicycle-challenge/>.



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