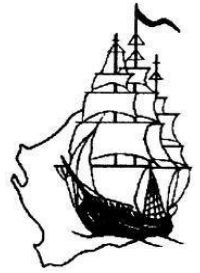


# Swan River Pioneers 1829 - 1838 Inc.

PO Box 2672, Ellenbrook WA 6069

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The Royal WA Historical Society Inc.



## APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF DESCENDANCY

I, \_\_\_\_\_  
(full name of applicant – block letters)

of \_\_\_\_\_  
(address)

State/Country \_\_\_\_\_ Postcode \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to apply for a Certificate of Descendancy

I wish to have my Certificate presented at the Annual WA Day/Foundation Day Function (tick applicable boxes)

### DETAILS OF PIONEER FROM WHOM DESCENT IS CLAIMED:

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_

Given Names: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Arrival or earliest date known in the Swan River Colony:**

- date \_\_\_\_\_

- ship \_\_\_\_\_

### DESCENDANCY STATEMENT:

I am a direct descendant of: \_\_\_\_\_

who resided in the Swan River Colony of Western Australia prior to 31<sup>st</sup> December 1838.

Relation to applicant as shown in statement or lineal descent on page 2 of the application. I declare that the statements made by me are true and correct.

In the event of my application being approved, I agree to be bound by the rules of the Swan River Pioneers Group for the time being in force.

I give permission for information in my file to be photocopied or used for research by authorised Swan River Pioneer Research Officers.

Yes / I do give permission.

No/ I do not give permission (cross out applicable)

Signature of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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### **For Examiners & Convenors use only:**

Application No: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Receipt No: \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate Numbers: \_\_\_\_\_

Direct Line of Descent: No 1 being the first pioneer to arrive in the Swan River Colony

Generation	Full Name	Birth Date	Birth Place	Marriage Date	To Whom & Place	Date of Death:	Place of Death:
1.							
2.							
3.							
4.							
5.							
6.							
7.							
8.							

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## **1. AIMS & OBJECTIVES OF THE GROUP**

- (a) To perpetuate and honour the memory of the early settlers for their enduring hardships and difficulties of the early years of the colony.
- (b) To complete biographical and genealogical data of the pioneers and their families.
- (c) To collect and preserve material of any nature which illustrates any aspect of pioneer settlement in the Swan River Colony of Western Australia.

## **2. GROUP MEMBERSHIP**

- (1) Membership of the Group is restricted to those whose ancestors settled in the Colony between 1<sup>st</sup> June 1829 and 31<sup>st</sup> December 1838.
- (2) Associate Membership of the Group will be granted to those who have a genuine interest in the Early Pioneers of Western Australia
- (3) The Certificate Registrar of the Swan River Pioneers Group shall determine Certified Membership.

## **3. INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR CERTIFICATES OF DESCENDANCY**

- (a) You must fill in the line of descent form starting from the first pioneer who arrived in the Colony between 1829-1838.
- (b) Please provide some proof of your identity to ensure name and address e.g. driver's licence, utilities bill, seniors card etc.

### **APPLICANTS ARE REQUESTED TO NOTE THESE FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Please be sure to sign the form before forwarding.
2. Documents must be legible.
3. Photocopies should be clear, full size and complete.
4. There is a **once off** joining fee of \$10 to join the Group and it is \$25 for the Certificate and badge.
5. **Would applicants kindly forward \$35.00** (\$15.00 if current subscription fee of \$25.00 has been paid) which will cover the cost of your joining fee, certificate, badge and an annual (4 issues) subscription to the Newsletter.
6. Children of applicant can apply, and cost of their Certificate is \$20 if they do not require Newsletter.  
**(Cheques made payable to the 'Swan River Pioneers) together with your forms to:**
  - **Certificate Registrar, Swan River Pioneers 1829-1838 Inc,  
PO Box 2672, Ellenbrook WA 6069**Mastercard & Visa Card payment accepted, and you can also direct deposit payment to:  
**Swan River Pioneers BSB: 016 352 Account No: 306888364**  
**(Please advise of payment by email)**
7. Where a Certificate of Descendancy recipient has more than one ancestor arriving in the Swan River Colony during the specified period and applicant can prove their direct descendancy – then extra certificates are awarded to this recipient at a cost of \$6.00 per additional ancestor.