# ROOSTHE

A COMMUNITY
OF INDEPENDENT
CREATIVES

# **GENERAL INFORMATION**



# **CO-WORKING ETIQUETTE**

When you join The Roost, you are not just joining a shared space, you are joining a community. We pride ourselves on working together to keep our space running independently, and in order to achieve that we must work as a team. Always remember that the space around you and the facilities available are shared, and should be treated as such - be considerate of your coworkers and treat everything (and everyone) with care.

A Roost membership comes with a sense of responsibility and ownership - if you see a problem, you have every right to help in solving it. The Roost is a great place to establish both professional and personal relationships with other creatives, and being friendly will go very far!

As a member of The Roost, you have every right to feel **safe**, **comfortable** and **welcome** at all times. **Harassment of any kind is taken very seriously** - if an issue arises where other members have left you feeling uncomfortable in your place of work, **please take it up with our manager** and it will be dealt with appropriately.





## **MEMBERSHIP TYPES**

\$80 PER MONTH

#### HOT DESK MEMBERSHIP

This is a two-month trial for non-student members wanting to come and work at a free workspace (located in the middle of the studio) on a laptop or smart device, and take all belongings home with them at the end of the day. Hot desk members must upgrade to a workspace membership after two months. One week's advanced notice is required if you chose to terminate membership.

\$80 PER MONTH

#### STUDENT MEMBERSHIP

New Roost members who are recent graduates or are currently enrolled in University or TAFE are entitled to a year-long Hot Desk membership valid for a period of one year after their graduation.

\$140 PER MONTH

## WORKSPACE MEMBERSHIP

This is a permanent position at The Roost, including your own  $2m \times 1.5m$  working area, access within working hours and the opportunity to acquire a key for after-hours access. One month's advanced notice is required if you chose to terminate membership. Upon signup, a 2-month bond deposit is required, and will be returned once your equipment is cleared out in the event of your departure.



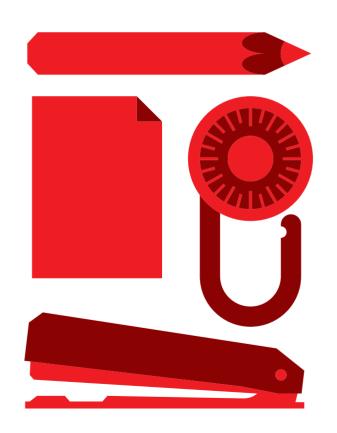
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## THE ROOST BOARD

The Roost operates as an incorporated association, which means its decisions are made by an official board. The board consists of a President, Vice President, Treasurer, Public Officer and Secretary, and these positions are nominated and re-elected at each Annual General Meeting (AGM).

The Board meets monthly to discuss the operations of The Roost, and addresses problems and solutions as they arise. If there is something you'd like changed, the first step is alerting a board member regarding your issue before a monthly meeting.

The Board discusses issues to do with membership in a completely fair, appropriate and transparent way, and if you are interested in knowing what is on the month's meeting agenda, you are welcome to enquire with a board member.



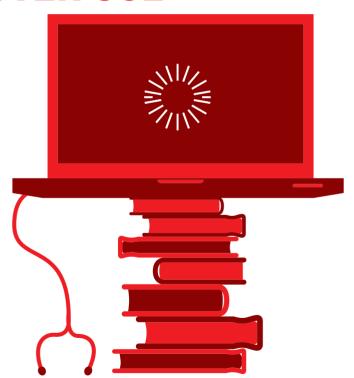


## INTERNET & COMPUTER USE

Many Roosters are sharing internet access at any one time, so please do not use your internet to partake in any bandwidthheavy activities that aren't directly related to your work practice.

This includes **streaming video** and attempting **large downloads** for personal use. **Torrenting is especially prohibited.** File uploads for work (like Dropbox) are unavoidable and totally ine, as is low-impact streaming like **Spotify**, but please be considerate of your neighbours. When listening to music, **please remember to use headphones!** 

We also share the same electricity bill, so **computers** are not to be left on over night.

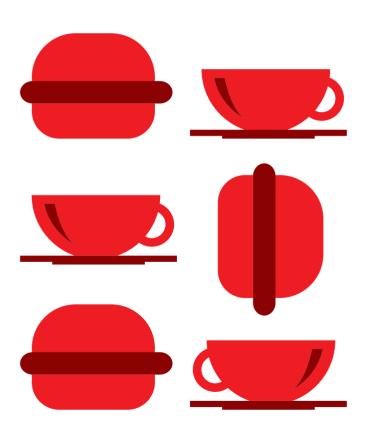




## **EATING AT WORK**

Did you know that studies have proven that eating lunch away from your desk with workmates reduces stress, promotes relaxation and boosts creativity? Due to issues regarding vacuuming, hygiene and workplace aroma distractions, meals are not to be eaten at your Roost desk.

We encourage you to use the **glass table in the living area** and share a meal with a coworker!





## THE JOBS BOARD

The Roost does not employ a full-time cleaner, as all of our upkeep is performed by our members, using the Jobs Board. A number of tasks including recycling, vacuuming, cleaning of kitchens and bathrooms, and watering plants are delegated regularly to each member and roles are rotated on a month-to-month basis.

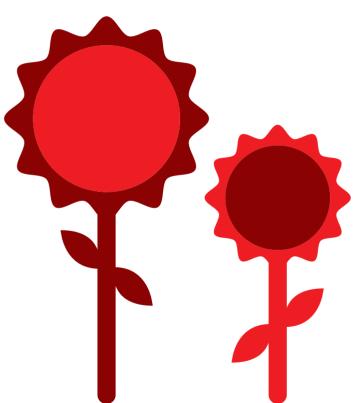




**VICTORY GARDENS** 

The Roost has volunteered to tend to Victory Gardens, located outside our building - you can't miss it!

We find watering the garden is a great way to unwind from a stressful day at work!





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