



# The British Amateur Television Club

Founded in 1949 to promote our hobby of amateur television, the BATC is the largest such specialist organization in the world and is affiliated to the Radio Society of Great Britain. The club is run by its members on a voluntary basis, as a non-profit organisation and covers all aspects of amateur television from making and editing programmes to transmitting TV on the amateur radio bands. The club provides the following for its members:

A quarterly colour magazine, CQ-TV, of typically 38 pages, published in .pdf (cyber membership) format or in print.

Web site: <http://www.batc.org.uk> - Includes an on line shop and much more.

A forum: <http://www.batc.org.uk/forum/> for help, information and the interchange of ideas.

A video streaming facility: <http://www.batc.tv> - enables repeaters and individuals to be seen worldwide.

An annual Convention is held at various places in the UK. - you can meet other members, listen to lectures, buy appropriate items.

About 15% of our members live outside the UK; we hope that wherever you are in the world you will join and become a member.

Members can elect to receive a paper copy of CQ-TV delivered by post in the UK or by Airmail if you are outside the UK. Additionally, all members will receive CQ-TV as a .pdf file to download. When the magazine is published we email a personal link to an internet address where the magazine can be downloaded at your leisure.

Members who wish to opt out of the paper copy of CQ-TV and become 'Cyber' members will pay a reduced membership fee.

Whilst you can join by completing and mailing this form, it would help greatly if you go to the BATC website and joined online – details are at:

[http://www.batc.org.uk/club\\_stuff/members.html](http://www.batc.org.uk/club_stuff/members.html).

Our web site uses a secure payment method, handled by PayPal. You do not need a PayPal account to use this service. If you do not have a PayPal account you will be asked to provide your payment card details as part of the process instead. If you prefer not to use the Internet for payment, you can complete this application form and return to us with a cheque, drawn on a UK bank only, made payable to "BATC".

Please contact us if you are having any difficulty joining us.

## BATC Membership Application Form

To join or rejoin by mail, please complete this form and send your with cheque to the address below. Please print clearly.

Name ..... Call Sign ..... (2)

Address.....

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Post Town .....

Post Code .....

Country: .....

Email address ..... (3)

Please make your payment in UK pounds by a cheque drawn on a UK bank made payable to 'BATC'. If you wish to pay by credit/debit card please use our online shop.

Please tick, below, the one option that you want.

**BATC membership with a paper copy of CQ-TV magazine;** includes postage costs:

Membership – UK :1 year £20.00  2 years £39.00

Membership – EU: 1 year £30.00  2 years £59.00

Membership - outside EU: 1 year £35.00  2 years £69.00

**BATC membership with a Cyber (pdf) copy of CQ-TV magazine:** (4)

1 year £8.00  2 years £15.00

Notes: Application constitutes acceptance of the BATC's rules.

(1) Cyber copies of CQ-TV are made available to all members.

(2) You do not need a call sign to join and enjoy the benefits of membership.

(3) Please provide your email address; this is preferred for future communications.

(4) A download link is sent to your email address when each magazine is published.

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