



**READING & DISTRICT
BANTAM SOCIETY**
Membership Application Form

The Reading and District Bantam Society was founded in 1947 and exists to encourage those keeping bantams in the area.

Originally centred on Reading it now covers quite a large area with members from Berkshire, Buckinghamshire, Oxfordshire, Surrey and some from even further afield.

The Society produces a “*Bantam Bulletin*” which as well as containing show results has articles on bantams, news of forthcoming events and national shows together with plenty of current news of concern to the bantam fancier.

The Reading and District Bantam Society organises four shows each year:

- The main Open Show held in late February at Newbury. This is the biggest bantam show in the country with over 1500 birds. Staged in the spacious Newbury leisure centre, the show acts as host for several Breed Club and Area Club Shows - Belgians, Japanese, Pekins, Sebrights, Welsummers and Dutch bantams.
- A Summer show, usually held in July.
- A Youngstock show, usually held in October.
- A Winter show, usually held in November.

Our shows are friendly, sociable events. They often involve a talk about a certain breed or aspect of poultry keeping/showing, a raffle, an optional meal (or BBQ in the summer!) – and there is always tea and homemade cake available to purchase!

Subscription: £7 per year

Juniors £3 per year

Families: £10 per year

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

DATE:

NAME.....

ADDRESS.....

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TELEPHONE.....

MOBILE.....

EMAIL.....

BREEDS KEPT.....

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Please tick if you are happy to receive correspondence by email:

*Please make cheques payable to the **Reading and District Bantam Society**.*

Please return this form to:

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