

TCIA Recertification Summary

1. Only electronic payments will be accepted. The TCIA account is at Westpac Rosny BSB 037014 A/c 238297. Quote your payment reference number to Alex Wilson (TCIA Membership Secretary and TCIA Treasurer).
2. Two yearly TCIA Membership is \$65. Updated log books and scans of First Aid Certificates to be sent to alex.wilson@polytechnic.tas.edu.au on 1 April of the year of expiry.
3. If the member has not completed renewal by 30 September of the year of expiry he/she will no longer be a member and have to resit a full TCIA Assessment. From 1 July of the year of expiry the member's qualification will be lapsed and so the member may well be working outside of Education Guidelines (or similar).

As of January 2010 Nick has updated the TCIA Manual. The manual is on the website.

The main changes are:

- Tail length for knots increased from 2 inches, to 10 X diameter of rope, or 10cm for tape.
- Improvised chest harness photos amended to show correct knot.
- Diagrams of SRENE anchor systems amended as they did not all show Redundancy.
- Self protection to the edge using a Munter Knot removed as it is unsafe.
- Photos amended to show carabiner clipped to belay loop only, not to waist and leg loops.
- New page on Assessing Anchors.