

DUES (from Scrapbook Database in computer) SEE DUES IN BACKMATTER FOR DATA

"It was decided that each member should be charged an admission fee of \$5."
 Continuation of: Minutes of second meeting 16 January 1903. [Book1 p9]

"For the present, no annual dues will be charged."
 Notice to provisional members. [Book1 p12]

"Members residing in the Boston metropolitan district pay an initiation fee of five dollars. There are at present no annual dues."
 Nomination form for membership. [Book1 p24]

"The Council voted to waive the dues of members who have been in the Club fifty years or more as of September 1980."
 Minutes of Council meeting, 22 January 1980. [Min4 p36]

Year	Start	End	Start	End	Source
1903	5.00				1903 Year Book
1904	5.00				1904 Year Book
1905	5.00				1905 Year Book
1906-07	5.00				1906 Year Book
1908-09	5.00				1908 Year Book
1910-11	5.00				1910 Year Book
1912-13	5.00				1912 Year Book
1914-15	5.00				1914 Year Book
1916-17	5.00				1916 Year Book
1918-19	5.00				1918 Year Book
1920-21	5.00				1920 Year Book
1922-23	5.00				1922 Year Book
1924-25	5.00				1924 Year Book
1926-27	5.00				1926 Year Book
1928-29	5.00				1928 Year Book
1930-31	5.00				1930 Year Book
1932-33	5.00				1932 Year Book
1934-35	5.00				1934 Year Book
1936-37	5.00				1936 Year Book
1938-39	5.00				1938 Year Book
1940-41	5.00				1940 Year Book
1942-43	5.00				1942 Year Book
1944-45	5.00				1944 Year Book
1946-47	5.00				1946 Year Book
1948-49	5.00				1948 Year Book
1950-51	5.00				1950 Year Book
1952-53	5.00				1952 Year Book
1954	7.00				1954 Year Book
1955-56	7.00				1955 Year Book
1957-58	7.00				1957 Year Book
1959-60	7.00				1959 Year Book
1960-61	7.00				1960 Year Book
1962-63	7.00				1962 Year Book
1964-65	7.00				1964 Year Book
1966-67	7.00				1966 Year Book
1968-69	7.00				1968 Year Book
1970-71	10.00				1970 Year Book
1972	15.00				1972 Year Book
1973-74	15.00				1973 Year Book
1975	30.00				1975 Year Book
1976-77	29.00				1976 Year Book
1978	30.00				1978 Year Book
1979	25.00				1979 Year Book
1980-81	25.00				1980 Year Book
1982-83	25.00				1982 Year Book
1984-85	25.00				1984 Year Book
1986	50.00				1986 Year Book
1987-88	50.00				1987 Year Book
1989-90	50.00				1989 Year Book
1991	50.00				1991 Year Book
1992-93	100.00				1992 Year Book

Single year only when the date was changed. Dues for members who had not yet changed their dues were charged 100% of the new rate.

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Year	Resident	Non-Resident	Life	Initiation	Source
1902	0.00	0.00	0.00	5.00	Book1, p101, item 135
Pre 1906	2.00		25.00		Book3, p43, item 81
1906	3.00		50.00		Book2, p8, item 17
1906	3.00	0.00	50.00	5.00	1906 Year Book
1909	5.00 [sic]				Book3, p131, item 242
1913-14	5.00	0.00	50.00	5.00	1914 Year Book
1915-16	5.00	0.00	50.00	5.00	1916 Year Book
1918-19	5.00	0.00	50.00	5.00	1919 Year Book
1925-26	5.00	0.00	50.00	5.00	1926 Year Book
1929-30	5.00	0.00	50.00	5.00	1929 Year Book
1930-31	5.00	2.50	100.00	5.00	1930-31 Year Book
1934-35	5.00	2.50	100.00	5.00	1935 Year Book
1940-41	5.00	2.50			Recap, 7/28/81 RBS
1940-41	5.00	2.50	100.00	5.00	1941 Year Book
1946-47	5.00	2.50	100.00	5.00	1947 Year Book
1948-49	5.00	2.50	100.00	5.00	1949 Year Book
1950-51	5.00	2.50			Recap, 7/28/81 RBS
1952-53	5.00	2.50	100.00	5.00	1953 Year Book
1953	7.00	3.50			Min1, p187, item 226
1955-56	7.00	3.50	100.00	5.00	1956 Year Book
1959-60	7.00	3.50	100.00	5.00	1960 Year Book
1960-61	7.00	3.50			Recap, 7/28/81 RBS
1963-64	7.00	3.50	100.00	5.00	1964 Year Book
1967-68	7.00	3.50	100.00	5.00	1968 Year Book
1969	10.00	5.00	150.00		Min2, p203, item 205
1971	15.00	7.50	200.00	10.00	Min3, p42, item 40
1971-72	15.00	7.50	200.00	10.00	1972 Year Book
1976	20.00	10.00	300.00	10.00	Min3, p174, item 164
1975-76	20.00	10.00	300.00	10.00	1976 Year Book
1977	20.00	10.00			Min3, p226, item 214
1980	25.00	10.00			Min4, p45, item 50
1980-81	25.00	10.00	300.00	10.00	1981 Year Book
1984-85	25.00	10.00	300.00	10.00	1985 Year Book
1988	50.00	25.00	500.00	50.00	Min4, p293, item 295
1987-88	50.00	25.00	500.00	50.00	1988 Year Book
1994-95	50.00	25.00	500.00	50.00	1995 Year Book
2001			1000.00		Min5, p269, item 279
2001-02	100.00	50.00	1000.00	100.00	2002 Year Book

Single years are when the dues were changed. Double dates indicate dues during that year whether they were changed then or not.

In the minutes of the second meeting (16 January 1903) "It was decided that each member should be charged an admission fee of \$5." (Book1, p9, item 9). Unclear whether this is for admission to the Club (probably) or to a talk,

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2 DIVINITY AVENUE
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② 1932 January 20

Dear Mr. Lyon,

I have your note announcing
my election to the Travellers' Club.

I am sending you my check for ten
dollars to cover the initiation fee and
a years dues.

Regarding the one hundred dollar
payment, I can't quite figure it out. If
I buy a hundred dollar bond paying
6%, I can pay my five dollar dues each
year and still have a dollar over. So
what advantage is there in putting down

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(2)

the one hundred dollars now? Is it pro-
posed to raise the annual dues in the
near future?

Sincerely yours,

Weld Arnold

Dues

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(3313)

Jan. 24, 1932.

Mr. Weld Arnold
2 Divinity Avenue,
Cambridge, Mass.

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Dear Mr. Arnold:

I have your letter of Jan. 20th but have not heard from you about the March meeting. I think your letter went to Concord. It will reach me more rapidly if you send it to Post Office Box 2287, Boston.

A life membership in the Club is as you point out an anomaly. Life memberships are not strictly worth while to clubs from the statistical point of view. You are quite right in saying that you could pay your dues and have something left over by investing \$100 at 6% provided always you did not lose your money. As far as I can see at present the dues will not be increased. The life membership was advanced from \$50 to \$100 not long ago on the theory that the increased sum would be of real value to the Club if anyone wished to pay it, whereas we might lose money on the \$50 basis.

Very sincerely yours,

G.A.Lyon-KAC

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