

Proposed Claymont Society Membership Requirements -

1) The Claymont Board of Directors must approve all membership applications during scheduled meetings.

2) Membership is open to anyone who has done one or more of the following:

A) Completed a fourth way course at Claymont, Sherbourne, or Miller River Educational Coop.

B) Participated actively in group work at Claymont for at least two years.

C) Participated at Claymont for one year and in a group elsewhere devoted to personal transformation for an additional year. Such a group would be one compatible with Fourth Way ideology, working toward increased being or a permanent change in level of consciousness through ongoing spiritual disciplines such as meditation, contemplation, and working to be more present while engaged in the tasks of daily life.

D) Presented in writing the equivalent of the above experiences, subject to review and approval of the board.

3) In addition, the person shall:

A) Have shown himself or herself to be working actively to embody the tenets of the society.

B) Be supporting the aims of the society in a tangible way, by fully participating in one work weekend in the previous year at Claymont, or the equivalent of 20 hours of onsite participation in a Claymont event within the previous year.

C) Have paid the \$50 annual membership fee.

D) Be in good standing with the society.

Fulfilling all these requirements would give a person full society membership for one year.

Society membership gives the right to vote for board members, and qualifies the person to run for board membership. (Current policy has been to have someone a member for 2 years before they can run.)