



JMF Makers Mark

Rules and Regulations

- An elected panel of JMF Members will decide who will have the right to use the JMF Makers mark.
- Makers mark stamp is owned by JMF and governed by the elected panel. Decisions made by the panel will be final with notification of that outcome corresponded in a timely manner.
- Final rules and regulations to be drawn up by a qualified adviser in the form of a contract outlining the terms of use.
- In signing the contract those persons acknowledge that rules and regulations are to be upheld in all aspects of the contract.
- The issuance of the JMF Makers mark will be validated for use by an individual person and cannot be register to a company name. The JMF Makers mark is non transferrable and cannot be on sold to another party.
- All work that is stamped with the JMF Makers mark would need to meet or exceed the expected quality standards. Failure to observe the contract will result in the immediate dissolution of the contract and the JMF Makers mark returned to the JMF without recourse.
- The JMF Makers mark shall attract an annual fee. This fee will be reviewed and adjusted accordingly to ensure viability of the Makers mark and will be due over and above the JMF membership fee.
- Nominated members wishing to use the JMF Makers mark must hold a Gold and Silversmith qualification i.e.: Journeyman, or be a Manufacturing Jeweller with a minimum age of 21 years of age and be able to demonstrate to the panel their time in the trade and/or reputation.

Expected Standard

- The JMF Makers mark stamp can be used on quality New Zealand manufactured and hand-made jewellery.
- The applicant must supply evidence of the type and quality of jewellery that will bear the JMF Makers mark.
- Jewellery may bear the JMF Makers mark only if it is manufactured from the following metals; Gold, Silver, Platinum, Palladium and their alloys.
- The jewellery must be stamped with the makers own marks in conjunction with the JMF Makers mark.