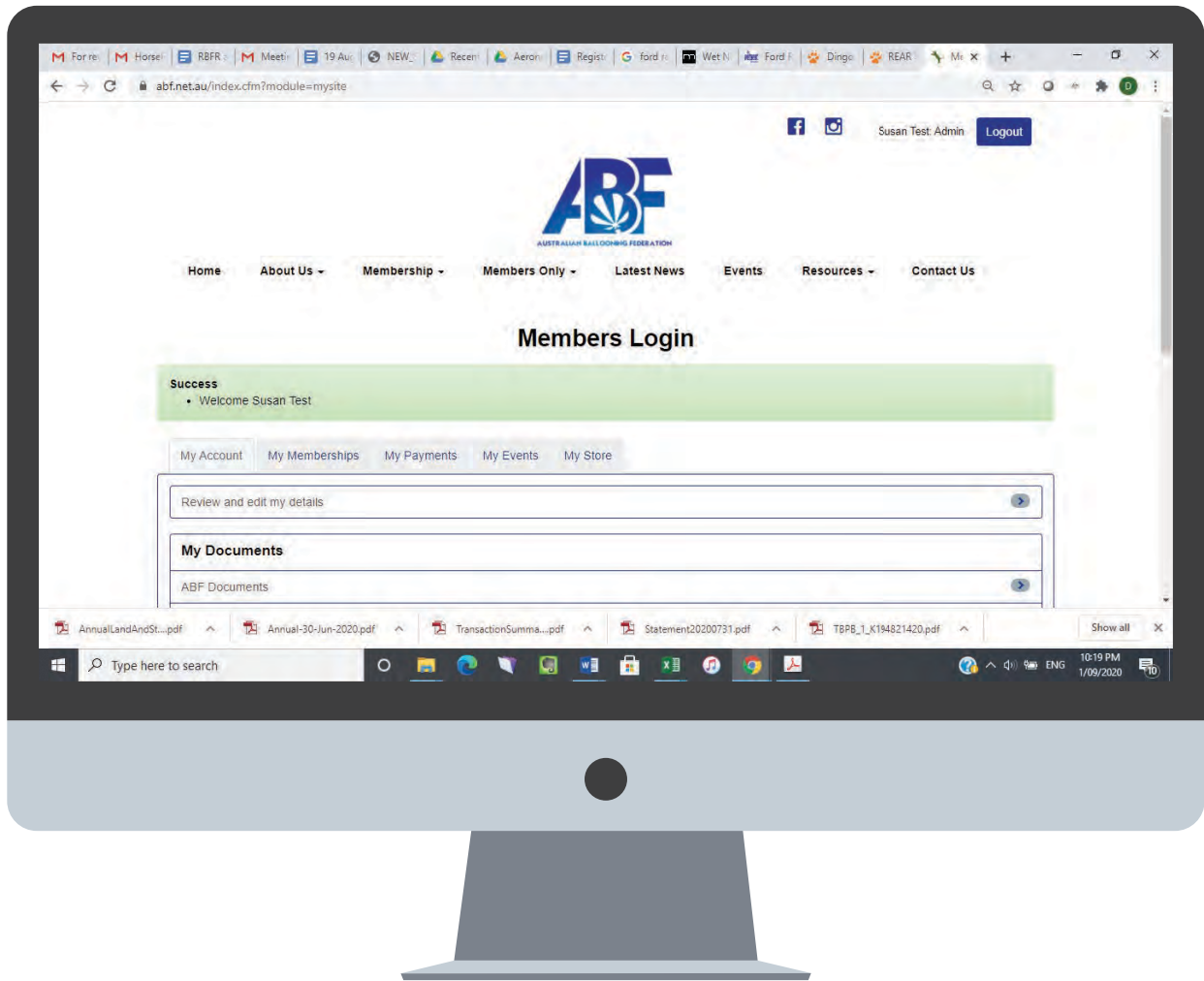


Registering Your RBFR and IFR Through the Website

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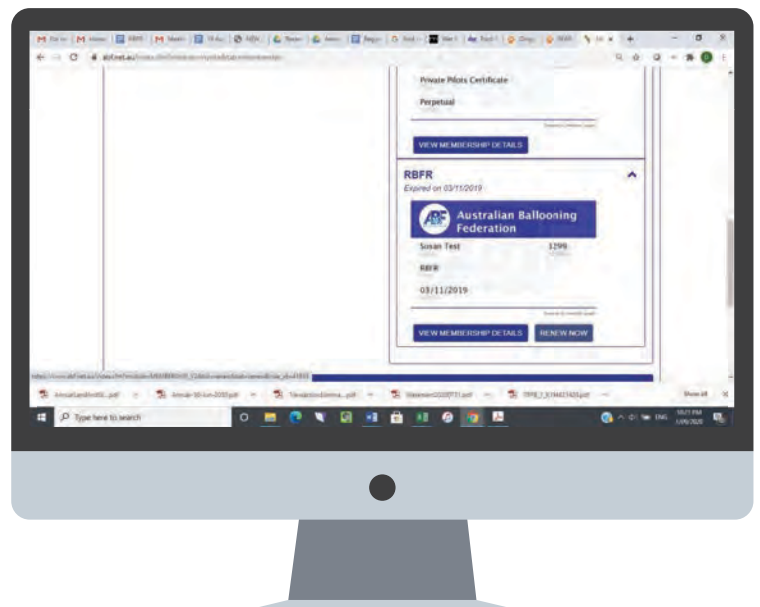
With the new website and member management portal now operational, members will be receiving automatic emails advising if their Balloon Flight Review (RBFR) or Instructor Flight Review (IFR) is expiring.

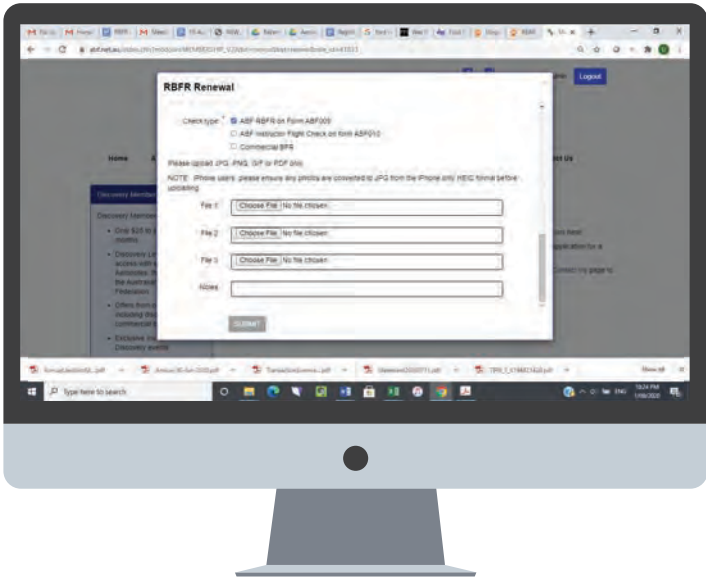
As per the ABF Operations Manual all pilots are required to complete a RBFR every two years to maintain their flying currency. Where an Instructor completes an IFR this also satisfies their RBFR requirements, you do not need to do a separate test.

This is an excellent time to remind all members, always ensure that you check the currency of your Instructor when doing your RBFR or IFR, your Instructor must have a current IFR for your RBFR or IFR to be valid.

Applications for RBFR and IFR can now be made through the member portal on the website. Simply login using your username and password.

Select the "My Memberships" tab and scroll down to your RBFR or IFR, select the "RENEW NOW" button.





A form will open in the window, complete all the required details. You will need to upload one of the following documents:

- **Form ABF009 - RBFR, or**
- **Form ABF010 - Instructor Flight Check, or**
- **Logbook entry for a Commercial BFR**

Click "SUBMIT"

Once submitted you will receive automatic emails along the way updating of your status, including submission and approval.

How easy is that? No more needing to email documents and wait for manual confirmation emails. You can also login and check your currency, RBFR or IFR through the website at any time.



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