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Q: Is there a charge for the service?

A: SWE HQ will cover the cost of the Weebly service for the Regions and Sections, including hosting. Any extra costs, such as stock photo purchases, etc. are the responsibility of the Region or Section.

Q: What are the features available in this template-based site?

A: The Weebly platform offers a number of popular web features, including drag-and-drop text, photo, map and video elements. Other features include blogging tools, form builders, image galleries and more. Watch the available demo webinar for more details.

Q: Is there user management?

A: Weebly offers two levels of user management: a single web administrator account and staff, or content contributor, accounts. The administrator has the ability to access and edit all site content, including menus. Content contributors’ access can be limited to specific pages. Administrators are able to create staff level users and manage custom access levels without having to interact with HQ.

Q: Can sites include widgets?

A: Yes, widgets are available to integrate through third-party services using a custom HTML content type.

Q: Can sites be linked to PayPal?

A: Weebly offers integration with several popular payment collecting platforms, including PayPal. Please refer to this page for further information. (http://help.weebly.com/e-commerce--ads.html)
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Q: Is there difference in using the classic vs. open templates?

A: The main difference is that the Classic template has an image container in the top left that we suggest may be used for inserting a Region or Section logo. Both templates were designed to maximize your ability to tailor your site to your Region or Section’s needs.

Q: Some hosted sites start with www.societyofwomenengineers.org. Can we change our domain name? SWE hosted URL’s should start with www.swe.org OR www.societyofwomenengineers.org

A: SWE HQ is in the process of detailing a comprehensive plan for domains. Currently we ask that you redirect your existing domain name to your Weebly site. See how here.

Q: Can we use nested menus? Or just one level?

A: Menus can be nested at multiple levels. You are not limited to just one level nor are you limited to linking to just internal pages. Links may be created to external sites, internal pages, or a mix of both.

Q: Can photos be copied (Rt. Click > ), which allows the unauthorized use of Region or Section photos?

A: Unfortunately, photos can be copied from current sites using right click by anyone. Since the content for the templates is dynamically generated it would be nearly impossible to create any kind of overlay or script that would inhibit this practice.

Q: Email Hosting?

A: Weebly does not offer email hosting. However, you can use any third-party email platform or an existing email address for your login and contact credentials.