

MEMBERSHIP BY-LAW

This by-law presented in the form of a membership matrix underpins the Wolston Park Centenary Cricket Club Inc. Constitution Section 3 providing details for each membership category.

Membership Matrix

Membership Category	Eligibility/Qualifications	Voting Rights	Fees & Responsibilities
Ordinary	- Must be at least 18 years of age, support the objects of the club and abide by the club's constitution, by-laws and policies. - May include players, parents and legal guardians of junior members and other people. - Applications are to be in writing or for player members via the current registration system. For non-player members the application is to include personal details including date of birth, address, e-mail and phone number, reason for application and any evidence for qualification for membership i.e. what they are or are going to contribute to the club. - An applicant whose application for membership has been rejected has no right of appeal against their rejection. - An existing member whose application for membership renewal has been rejected has the right of appeal against their rejection. Appeal applications are to be submitted to the club committee	- Entitled to vote at general meetings of the club provided the following are met: - The ordinary member is not a senior employee. - The ordinary member is financial. - The ordinary member participates in the meeting and takes part in discussions as they happen either in person or via technology. - For each junior member one parent or legal guardian is entitled to vote at general meetings subject to the following: - A maximum of two parents (or legal guardians) where there are two or more junior members from that family, i.e. Each family shall be limited to a maximum of two votes. - Parents or legal guardians are only eligible to vote if the child (children) they represent is (are) financial.	- Ordinary members who are players are required to pay fees which are to include the club membership fee at the current rate. - Ordinary members who are parents of junior players are not required to pay fees and their membership is afforded via the fees of their children. - Membership fees for ordinary members may be waived by the Management Committee in recognition of service provided by that member. This shall be assessed and agreed by the committee on a renewal of membership basis.

	within 14 days of the issuing of the rejection advice. • Eligible for election to the management committee. • Number of ordinary members is unlimited. • An ordinary member who is also a senior employee is not eligible to hold office as a management committee member. • Membership for players and for junior players, their parent(s) or legal guardian(s) will continue until the day before the start of the registration period for the corresponding next season i.e. for summer season until the next summer season registration is open and similarly for winter until the next winter season registration is open. • Membership for volunteers who no longer have membership rights via their child(ren) as junior players will cease at the end of their tenure as a volunteer. • Non playing ordinary members not holding a volunteer role will be invited to renew their membership annually.	○ Parents or legal guardians must participate in the meeting and take part in discussions as they happen either in person or via technology. • An ordinary member who also has voting eligibility as a parent or legal guardian of a junior member only gets the one vote.	
Limited	• Must be at least 18 years of age, support the objects of the club and abide by the club's constitution, by-laws and policies. • Applications are to be in writing or for player members via the current registration system. For non-player members the application is to include	• Not entitled to vote at general meetings of the club.	• Limited members are required to pay the club membership fee at the current rate. • Membership fees for limited members may be waived by the Management Committee in recognition of service provided by that member. This shall be

	personal details including date of birth, address, e-mail and phone number, reason for application and any evidence for qualification for membership i.e. what they are or are going to contribute to the club. • An applicant whose application for membership has been rejected has no right of appeal against their rejection. • An existing member whose application for membership renewal has been rejected has the right of appeal against their rejection. Appeal applications are to be submitted to the club committee within 14 days of the issuing of the rejection advice. • Not eligible for election to the management committee. • Number of limited members is unlimited. • A limited member who is also a senior employee is not eligible to hold office as a management committee member. • Limited members will be invited to renew their membership annually.		assessed and agreed by the committee on a renewal of membership basis.
Junior	• Must be below the age of 18 years, support the objects of the club and abide by the club's constitution, by-laws and policies. • Applications are to be in writing or for player members via the current registration system.	• Not entitled to vote at general meetings of the club. • The parents or legal guardians represent the child or children in respect of voting at general meetings. • For each junior member one parent or legal guardian is entitled to vote at	• Junior members are required to pay the club membership fee at the current rate. • Membership fees for junior members may be waived by the Management Committee in recognition of service provided by that member. This shall be

	- For non-player members the application is to include personal details including date of birth, address, e-mail and phone number, reason for application and any evidence for qualification for membership. - A new applicant for membership of the club whose application for membership has been rejected has no right of appeal against their rejection. - An existing member whose application for membership renewal has been rejected has the right of appeal against their rejection. Appeal applications are to be submitted to the club committee within 14 days of the issuing of the rejection advice. - Are not eligible for election to the management committee. - Number of junior members is unlimited. - Membership for junior players will continue until the day before the start of the registration period for the corresponding next season i.e. for summer season until the next summer season registration is open and similarly for winter until the next winter season registration is open.	general meetings subject to the following: - A maximum of two parents (or legal guardians) where there are two or more junior members from that family, i.e. Each family shall be limited to a maximum of two votes. - Parents or legal guardians are only eligible to vote if the child (children) they represent is (are) financial. - Parents or legal guardians must participate in the meeting and take part in discussions as they happen either in person or via technology. - Parents or legal guardians of a junior member are entitled to vote at general meetings of the club provided the following are met: - The parents or legal guardians are not a senior employee. - The junior member(s) being represented is (are) financial. - The parents or legal guardians of the junior member participates in the meeting and takes part in discussions as they happen either in person or via technology.	assessed and agreed by the committee on a renewal of membership basis.
Life	Must be at least 18 years of age, support the objects of the club and	Entitled to vote at general meetings of the club provided the following are met:	Not required to pay membership fees.

	abide by the club's constitution, by-laws and policies. • Life membership is open to any person who has rendered extraordinary and meritorious service to the club for an extended period. • Any two members, who are ordinary or life members, may nominate an eligible member for life membership. • Nominations for life membership must be in writing, signed by the members making the recommendation and received by the Secretary no less than 14 days prior to the annual general meeting; • On the Management Committee's approval of the recommendation, the nominee will be proposed for election as a life member at the annual general meeting. • Must be elected by the passing of a resolution at a general meeting by the votes of at least 75% of the members who are present, eligible to vote and voting. • Eligible for election to the management committee. • A life member who is also a senior employee is not eligible to hold office as a management committee member. • No more than two life members will be elected at any annual general meeting. • Number of life members is unlimited.	○ The life member is not a senior employee. ○ The life member participates in the meeting and takes part in discussions as they happen either in person or via technology. • A life member who also has voting eligibility as a parent or legal guardian of a junior member only gets the one vote.	• Player fees for life members may be waived in full or partly by the Management Committee in recognition of service provided by that member. This shall be assessed and agreed by the committee on a renewal of membership basis.
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