



LIFE MEMBER POLICY

Life Member Nomination Criteria

1.1 Application for Life Membership

Life Membership is the highest honour that Gosnells City Football Club can bestow on an Individual member. As such, it is awarded in recognition of those who have made an outstanding or exceptional contribution and in doing so have made an extremely positive impact on our organisation.

In considering the award of Life Membership an individual should have demonstrated significant and outstanding contribution, enhancing the reputation and future of the Club.

An outstanding contribution to Gosnells City Football Club is one which:

- The member has at least five (5) years of continuous membership immediately prior to being nominated as a Life member
- Results in the organisation being substantially, demonstrably, and positively changed by that contribution
- Required substantial and commendable personal input
- Contributes positively to the reputation and standing of the organisation as an ambassador or role model

Nominations for Life Membership shall be submitted to the clubs committee at least one (1) month prior to the Annual General Meeting. The meeting shall, on its own motion, determine whether or not to propose such nomination for Life Membership.

Such nominations to the Annual General Meeting for Life Membership shall set out the full details of the Nominee's service to Gosnells City Football Club by completing the clubs Life Member application form.

Any such proposal for Life Membership shall be placed on the agenda of the next following Annual General Meeting.

Not more than two (2) nominations shall be placed on the Annual General Meeting Agenda in any one year.

A person whose nomination for Life Membership has been rejected has no right of appeal, and this person cannot be renominated for Life Membership for two (2) years.



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1.2 Voting

Voting by the Committee Members of Gosnells City Football Club on a proposal for Life Membership shall be by ballot or other agreed process by the meeting. A majority vote of not less than 80% of the Clubs Committee at the next Committee meeting is required before Life Membership will be awarded.

1.3 No Limitation

There shall be no limit on the number of Life Members of Gosnells City Football Club.

1.4 Membership Retraction

Retraction of a Life Membership may occur where the recipient has conducted himself/herself in a manner that reflects directly and adversely on the image or activities of the Club. This provision will only be exercised in exceptional circumstances and will require the full support of the Club Committee (absolute majority). As part of the deliberations, the Life Member in question shall be given the opportunity to present their case for retention of their Life Membership status before any decision by the Committee.

1.5 Benefits of Life Membership

In addition to the status of membership of a select group within the Club, Life Membership will be recognised by:

- Award of the Life Membership at the Annual General Meeting
- Exemption from club fees associated with the Gosnells City Football Club
- Listing on the Club Honour Board