



GUIDELINES FOR LIFE MEMBERSHIP OF THE WOODSIDE CRICKET CLUB

- 1) Life Membership may be awarded for significant contributions to the Woodside Cricket Club (WCC).
- 2) This distinction shall be conferred only at the discretion of the WCC Committee and a representative group of current Life Members.
- 3) Nominations for Life Membership must be forwarded in writing to the WCC Secretary by the completion of the current cricket season.
 - a) Any current financial Member of the WCC may nominate a candidate for Life Membership.
 - b) Nominations should include the Member's reasons for putting forward that candidate for Life Membership.
 - c) A maximum of one new Life Member per year will be appointed, unless exceptional or special circumstances exist.
- 4) No person shall be elected a Life Member of the WCC unless they have at least 80 percent of the votes from the current WCC Committee and representative group of current Life Members.
- 5) The candidate must have been a financial Member of the Club for at least ten years.
 - a) In addition to the above, the candidate must satisfy at least one of the following criteria:
 - i) A minimum of 200 senior games PLUS a minimum of five years' service on the WCC committee;
 - ii) A minimum of ten years' service as a WCC captain;
 - iii) A combination of the above, at the discretion of the WCC Committee and current Life Members;
 - iv) A significant ongoing contribution to the benefit of the WCC.
 - b) Satisfaction of the criteria described above does not infer automatic granting of Life Membership. These criteria are for the guidance of the WCC Committee and current Life Members when assessing nominated candidates.
 - c) The criteria for candidature, as described herein, may be adjusted in extreme circumstances, including but not limited to posthumous Life Membership, at the discretion of the WCC Committee and current Life Members.
- 6) A Life Member of the WCC is a full financial Member of the Club for life.
- 7) A Life Member of the WCC will be presented with a Life Member Badge at the Club Presentation Night to recognise and commemorate his or her significant contribution to the Club.
- 8) Life Membership is absolutely forfeited upon any failure to observe any Club by-laws or constitutional requirements and will be forfeited upon the passing of a special resolution for the removal from Life Membership for extreme reasons not limited to, but as bringing the name of the WCC into disrepute.