GUILDFORD RUGBY LEAGUE FOOTBALL & RECREATION CLUB LIMITED NOTICE – 65th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Notice is given of the 65th Annual General Meeting to be held on the Club's premises on Sunday, 18th May 2025 at 10.00am.

This notice includes the Agenda Items for the meeting and Ordinary Resolutions for the consideration of Life Members and Financial Voting Members.

Only Life Members and Financial Full Members who have been Financial Members of the Club for a period of not less than three (3) consecutive years immediately prior to the date of the meeting are eligible to attend and to vote at all General Meetings and Annual General Meetings.

Each member who is entitled to vote has one vote.

BUSINESS OF MEETING:

- 1. To confirm the minutes of the 64th Annual General Meeting held on Sunday 19th May 2024.
- 2. To receive the Annual Reports from the Club President & Club Chief Executive Officer.
- 3. To receive, consider and adopt the Annual Financial Report for the 12 months ended 31st December 2024;
- 4. To consider and adopt Ordinary Resolutions numbered 1-4.
- 5. To consider and adopt Special Resolution.
- 6. To receive, consider and adopt the Nomination for Life Membership for Kevin Bartlett #3.
- 7. To declare the result of the election for the President and the six (6) Directors for the period from May 2025 until the AGM 2027.
- 8. To consider any General Business that may be raised.

PROCEDURAL MATTERS IN RELATION TO THE ORDINARY RESOLUTIONS at the AGM:

- To be passed, each Ordinary Resolution must receive votes from not less than half (1/2) of those members who being eligible to do so vote in person on the Ordinary Resolution at the meeting.
- Only Life Members and Financial Full Members are entitled (subject to any further restrictions in this Constitution):
 - To vote at the election of the Board.
 - To be nominated for, elected to and to hold office on the Board and;
 - to all the facilities and amenities of the Club.
- Only Life Members and Financial Full Members who have been Financial Members of the Club for a period of not less than three (3) consecutive years immediately prior to the date of the meeting are entitled (subject to any further restrictions in this Constitution) to attend and to vote at all General Meetings and Annual General Meetings.
- Under the Registered Clubs Act, members who are employees of the Club are not entitled to vote.
- Proxy voting is prohibited by the Registered Clubs Act.
- Amendments (other than grammatical or other clerical errors or minor typographical corrections) which do not change the substance or effect of the Ordinary Resolutions, will not be permitted from the floor of the meeting.
- An Ordinary Resolution must be passed as a whole and cannot be amended from motions from the floor of the meeting or divided into two or more separate resolutions.



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FIRST ORDINARY RESOLUTION:

That pursuant to the Registered Clubs Act, the members hereby approve and agree to the members of the Board during the period preceding the 2026 Annual General Meeting receiving the following benefits outlined in sub-paragraphs (1) to (3):

- 1. A reasonable meal and refreshments to be associated with each Board Meeting of the Club.
- 2. The provision of suits and associated apparel for the use of Club Directors when representing the Club.
- 3. The reasonable cost for the President to entertain guests and/or business associates on official Club business as approved by the Board of Directors.

SECOND ORDINARY RESOLUTION:

That pursuant to the Registered Clubs Act, the members hereby approve and agree to the members of the Board during the period preceding the 2026 Annual General Meeting receiving the following benefits outlined in sub-paragraphs (1) to (7):

- 1. The reasonable cost of Directors and their partners attending other registered clubs for viewing and assessing their facilities and the method of operation provided such attendances are approved by the Board as being necessary for the betterment of the Club.
- 2. The reasonable cost of the Directors and their partners attending an annual dinner.
- 3. The reasonable cost of Directors and members of the Club's Sub-Committees and their partners attending an Annual Dinner.
- 4. The reasonable expenses associated with the Club's membership of Junior Football with New South Wales Rugby League and Parramatta District Junior Rugby League Competitions.
- 5. The reasonable cost of Directors attending functions whilst representing the Club, and the reasonable cost of their partners attending with them where appropriate.
- 6. The reasonable cost of the Directors and their partners attending an Annual Christmas Dinner and the provision of a Christmas Hamper.
- 7. The provision of the Board having four (4) reserved car parking space for the exclusive use of Directors.

THIRD ORDINARY RESOLUTION:

That pursuant to the Registered Clubs Act, the members hereby approve and agree to the members of the Board during the period preceding the 2026 Annual General Meeting receiving the following benefit (Honorarium):

That the payment of the following honorariums to the President and Directors for their services to the Club until the Annual General Meeting in 2026:

President \$6,000.00 Director \$4,800.00

- The honorariums will be paid monthly or such other installments as the Club and the Directors may agree from time to time.
- If the President or a Director ceases to hold office before the Annual General Meeting in 2026, or only holds office for part of the term, the honorarium shall be paid on a pro-rata basis.



FOURTH ORDINARY RESOLUTION:

That pursuant to the Registered Clubs Act the members hereby approve the reasonable cost of reimbursement to the Welfare Officer during the period preceding the 2026 Annual General Meeting for the use of their vehicle in attending club members in need, and provision of a blazer and associated apparel and other related costs as approved by the Board from time to time.

Members acknowledge the benefit of the reasonable cost of reimbursement for the use of their vehicle in attending club members in need, and provision of a blazer and associated apparel and other related costs as approved by the Board from time to time is not available to members generally, but is available to the Welfare Officer.

PROCEDUAL MATTERS IN RELATION TO THE SPECIAL RESOLUTION:

- Amendments to the Special Resolution will not be permitted from the floor of the meeting other than for minor typographical or clerical corrections which do not change the substance or effect of the Special Resolution.
- To be passed, the Special Resolution requires votes from not less than three quarters of those members who being eligible to do so, vote in person on the Special Resolution at the Annual General Meeting.
- Under the Club's Constitution only Life Members and Financial Club members are eligible to vote on the Special Resolution.
- Under the Registered Clubs Act proxy voting is prohibited and members who are employees
 of the Club are ineligible to vote.
- The Board of the Club recommends that members vote in favour of the Special Resolution as it will keep the Club's Constitution current with relevant legislation affecting clubs.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION:

[The Special Resolution is to be read in conjunction with the notes to members set out below.]

That the Constitution of Guildford Rugby League Football and Recreation Club Limited be amended by:

- (a) **deleting** Rule 31(a) and renumbering Rule 31 accordingly.
- (b) **inserting** the following new Rule 31(d):

"Any other person or classes of persons that the Board resolves may be admitted to Temporary membership."

Notes to Members on Special Resolution

- The Special Resolution will amend the Rules in relation to Temporary membership. In 2024, the Registered Clubs Act was amended to remove reference to what was called the "5 kilometre rule", which provided that Temporary membership was only available to persons who lived outside of a 5 kilometre radius from the Club's premises.
- 2. The effect of that amendment is that persons who live within that radius can now be admitted to Temporary membership.



2025 BIENNIAL ELECTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Nominations were invited for the positions of President and six (6) Ordinary Directors.

Call for nominations opened on Thursday 27th March 2025 at 9.00am and closed on Thursday 17th April 2025 at 12noon.

With more than the required number of nominations being received, a ballot draw was conducted on Wednesday 23rd April 2025 at 9.30am by independent returning Officer, Andrew Bzadough JP of Club Elections NSW to determine the order of the candidates' names to appear on the ballot paper.

Name	Position
* Wayne Trindall	President – unopposed

Therefore, the names to appear on the ballot paper in order of candidates are:

Name	Position
* Stephen Thompson	Director
* John Brodie	Director
Sean Barkley	Director
Ian Warwick	Director
* Kevin Bartlett	Director
Jim Eastwood	Director
* Charlie Brown	Director
Jamie Boyle	Director
* Andrew Bonwick	Director

^{*} Denotes current Director

Voting will take place at Guildford Rugby League Football and Recreation Club Limited, Tamplin Road, Guildford as follows:

Thursday 15th May 2025 until Saturday 17th May 2025 inclusive between 12noon and 8.00pm

Candidate Profile Forms will be displayed for viewing at the Club leading up to the voting days.

Life Members and Financial Full Members who have been a member of the Club for not less than five (5) continuous years as at Thursday 18 May, 2025 are entitled to vote. Eligible members must produce their current membership card in order to receive a ballot paper.

The counting of votes will take place at the Club commencing at 9.00am, on Sunday 18th May 2025. The result of the election will be announced at the Annual General Meeting commencing at 10.00am, Sunday 18th May 2025.

PLEASE NOTE: To provide the Club with the opportunity to respond to any questions members may wish to raise relating to the Financial Report at the Club's AGM, members are requested to provide written notice to the Chief Executive Officer by **12noon on Wednesday 14**th **May 2025**.



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ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT				
Our Annual Financial Report is available to download from the Guildford Leagues Club Website www.guildfordleagues.com.au				
As a Full Financial Member, if you still wish to receive a printed copy of the Financial Report, please contact the Chief Executive Officer in writing or email winners@guildfordleagues.com				
Alternatively, please fill in the section below and return to the Club in person and drop the form into club reception.				
Please provide me with a hard copy of the Clubs' Annual Report Fina	ancial Statements	□Email	□Mail	
Members Name:	Badge No:			
Email Address:				
Members Signature:				

