

Guidelines for nomination of Life Members

Goal:

- To recognise a club member who has made an outstanding contribution to the Club ("distinguished service" as per the Constitution) which is of general benefit to members in relation to the functioning and or development of the Club.

Selection Criteria:

- The nominee must have been a current Ordinary member for at least 5 years and have rendered distinguished service to the Club
- Must have provided a significant contribution to the club over a number of years that has enhanced the membership of a significant number of club members

Selection Process

- Must be nominated by a proposer and a seconder both of which must be a current Ordinary member of at least 5 years standing or an Honorary Life Member.
- Proposers are to provide a written nomination to the Committee outlining in detail the basis on which the nomination is made with specific reference to the benefit derived by the membership.
- The Committee of Management may refer the nomination, if required, to a sub-Committee for input to the nomination that has been made, prior to the Committee nomination vote.
- The nominations must be approved by Committee of Management by not less than a three-fourths majority.
- The nomination must be by resolution of the club in a general meeting. The nominations must be passed by not less than a three-fourths majority of members present and voting in person or by proxy, with not less than 30 members in attendance.

Reference : Balmoral Beach Club Constitution Paragraph 11.

" The nomination for the admission of an Honorary Life Member shall be made in writing to the Committee. Such nomination shall be signed by the proposer and the seconder, both of whom shall be either an Ordinary Member of at least five (5) years standing or an Honorary Life Member. A nominee for admission as an Honorary Life Member must have been an Ordinary Member of the Club for at least five (5) years preceding such nomination, and must have rendered distinguished service to the Club. The nomination must be approved by the Committee by not less than a three-fourths majority. The admission of an Honorary Life Member shall be by a resolution of the Club in General Meeting passed by not less than a three-fourths majority of Members present and voting in person or by proxy, with not less than thirty Members voting."