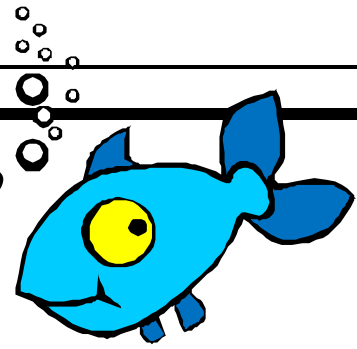


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Stadium Masters Swimming Club Inc

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VENUES WEST



A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL OUR MEMBERS

PRESIDENT

BY MARK A

Que tal Snappers?

Another year is about to bite the dust and there will soon be a short hiatus to our structured pool sessions. For our last Tuesday evening session of the year we will be playing a game of chance - so if you are feeling lucky, please come along for a swim to test your karma. The approaching year-end also means that membership renewal for 2025 is now open - we have maintained the Club component of the fees unchanged, although there have been the inevitable MSA / MSWA increases.

Our AGM is not too far off either. So how about putting yourself forward for a role on the Committee? In particular, Barry has been on the Committee for yonks and its time someone else stood up to lend a hand.

Our volunteer coaches need help too; you might not want to take on the responsibility of coaching, but you can certainly assist by helping to mob / demob at our sessions. So please arrive in good time and get the cage from wherever it is and move it to the session pool - the coach has enough to do without having to find the cage and wheel it from inside to out (or reverse). At the end of the session the equipment needs packing away, the board wiped and spray cleaned, the protector mat replaced and the cage wheeled back to the storage area. So please, let's not leave it to the coach to do everything.

It was great to see everyone at the Wembley Hotel for our Xmas function. With best wishes to everyone for the holiday season, cheers, Mark

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EVENT WRAP UP – BUNNINGS SAUSAGE SIZZLE – SAT 12th OCT 2024

The stats speak for themselves and show it is a worthy fundraising activity for the club. So much so, this was our second sizzle for 2024. We flogged 552 sausages and rolls plus 153 drinks (as many as we have ever managed) and made a profit of \$1,492 - definitely an A-Team result. The profit exceeds any previous sizzle and it will go a long way to helping us achieve breakeven operations this year.

A big shout out to all of you who helped out on the day and to our team of knife-wielding choppers - a great effort by the team.

We now have a 6-month recovery session until our next sizzle April 2025. 🍌 Mark





EVENT WRAP UP – CLUB SWIM – SAT 7TH OCT 2023

This club swim was held in preparation for our Stadium Masters hosted ABC CCC. Thank you to Peter Lyster, Denise, Phyll, Bill and Helen Loake who came specially to help with the timekeeping and the organisation and running of the event. Here are the results:

Club Swim – 8th October 2024 in preparation for WSU ABCCC. Indoor 8 lane in long course.

	Stroke/ dist.	Date	LC/ sc	Time	Comparison
Aresh Anwar	BR50	5/10	50	56.23	PB
Audrey Bullough	BA100	5/10	50	3:08.53	Best since '23
Audrey Bullough	BA200	5/10	50	6:34.31	Best since '23
Helen Austin	BR50	5/10	50	1:10.26	PB
Helen Austin	FR100	5/10	50	2:15.48	PB
Helen Loake	FR100	5/10	50	1:54.31	PB by 7 sec
Julianne Crowley	BA50	5/10	50	1:14.57	PAB
Julianne Crowley	FR100	5/10	50	2:04.41	PAB
	FR200			4:20.09	PAB
Julianne Crowley	FR50	5/10	50	50:97	PAB/CR
Kim Simpson	BR100	5/10	50	1:57.42	PB
Margaret Smithson	BA50	5/10	50	1:34.86	Best since '22
Mike Haederle	BA100	5/10	50	1:49.24	Inaugural/CR
Natasha Kedgley	BR50	5/10	50	55.40	PB
Natasha Kedgley	FR200	5/10	50	3:30.22	inaugural
Peter Scott	BA50	5/10	50	51.45	PB
Peter Scott	BR100	5/10	50	1:57.19	PB/CR

Phil Hoff	FR200	5/10	50	4:34.55	PAB
Philip Hoff	BA50	5/10	50	1:04.19	PAB
Philip Hoff	FR100	5/10	50	2:05.95	inaugural
Philip Lowe	FR50	5/10	50	51.04	PB
Robert Woodward	BA50	5/10	50	47.42	Best since '23

EVENT WRAP UP – STADIUM MASTERS ABC CCC – SUN 20th OCTOBER

By Peter Lyster

A huge thank you to everybody for all the hard work. We had much bigger entry numbers this year, back to pre-Covid numbers and it all ran very smoothly thanks to our very experienced team.

With the extra swimmers, the marshalling area was very busy but efficiently run by Robyn, Janette, Judith, Mark, Peter D, Pat and Tricia. Peter J managed all the timekeepers with help from Phil, Tania S, Mary (Natasha's mum) and many of our members found time to help between swims. Anne, Helen A, Deb, Richard Johnson and Chris McMillan (from My Swim Results) kept the timing room running perfectly and Barry and Tom kept everybody up to date on the PA system.

The lunch was a spectacular array of food, thanks to the sandwich making team of Tania G, Deb, Marg, Pat and Mark, and the very generous donations of cakes, slices and fruit from our members. Thanks to Helen L for organising this and allowing the team to invade your kitchen. It was all laid out and displayed by Phyll and Denise.

The raffle was a great success raising \$625 which must be a record. There was a wonderful display of prizes, so thanks to all who contributed goodies and to Phyll wrapping them up so well and to Tania G, Deb, Craig, Marg for selling so many tickets. And to Barry for preparing the tickets and Mark for setting up the "square".

And a very special thank you to Helen Loake for helping me with the overall organisation. Helen will be the Meet Director next year.

We had 141 entrants, including 27 from Stadium Masters. Pamela did a great jog making up the relays and the final result was very close with Claremont beating us by just 10 points. Bold Park won the Handicap trophy.

There were 3 State records, sadly 3 swimmers were DQed, including one of ours. No protests, no timing problems. Final team results are:

Stadium Masters Swimming Club					
2024 Act Belong Commit Club Challenge Series Event					
Long Course					
20 th October, 2024					
Place	Team				Points
1	Claremont Master		Claremont Master		260
2	Stadium Masters		Stadium Masters		250
3	Superfins WA Mas		Superfins WA Mas		155
4	Mandurah Masters		Mandurah Masters		95
5	Whitford Masters		Whitford Masters		73
6	Beatty Park Mast		Beatty Park Mast		71



Results for the meet as follows:

Stadium Masters ABCCC results

Name	Event	Date	LC	Time swum	Comment
Anne Edmondson	BA200	20/10	50	4:38.30	PAB/Best since '19
Anne Edmondson	BR100	20/10	50	2:34.53	PAB/Best since '19
Aresh Anwar	BA50	20/10	50	54.71	Best since '23
Aresh Anwar	BR50	20/10	50	54.55	PB
Aresh Anwar	FR50	20/10	50	44.86	Best since '23
Barry Green	BA50	20/10	50	57.84	Best since '23
Christina Colegate	BA50	20/10	50	47.29	Inaugural
Christina Colegate	BR50	20/10	50	52.13	Inaugural
Craig Barnard	FR100	20/10	50	1:38.61	best since '23
Craig Barnard	FR200	20/10	50	3:38.41	best since '23
Craig Barnard	FR50	20/10	50	41.48	best since '22
Debra Wagstaff	FR200	20/10	50	3:36.83	PB
Denise Scott	BA50	20/10	50	1:18.12	Best since '23
Dick Austin	FR50	20/10	50	1:13.87	PB
Graham Wimbridge	BA50	20/10	50	57.55	PAB/best since '18
Graham Wimbridge	BR50	20/10	50	57.26	PAB/best since '18
Graham Wimbridge	FR100	20/10	50	1:36.48	PAB/best since '18
Helen Austin	BA50	20/10	50	1:07.34	PB
Julianne Crowley	BA50	20/10	50	1:09.62	PAB/best since '12
Julianne Crowley	FR100	20/10	50	1:58.86	PAB/best since 10/CR

Kim Simpson	BA50	20/10	50	53.29	Best since '23
Kim Simpson	BR50	20/10	50	52.51	PB
Kim Simpson	FR100	20/10	50	1:37.90	PB
Laura Chambers	BA200	20/10	50	3:15.54	PB/CR
Laura Chambers	BA50	20/10	50	40.76	Best since '21
Margaret Smithson	BA50	20/10	50	1:33.20	PAB/best since '22
Margaret Smithson	FR100	20/10	50	2:44.73	PAB/best since '22
Mike Haederle	BA200	20/10	50	3:37.61	Inaugural/CR
Mike Haederle	BU50	20/10	50	49.87	inaugural
Mike Haederle	FR100	20/10	50	1:22.90	Inaugural/CR
Natasha Kedgley	BA200	20/10	50	3:53.33	inaugural
Natasha Kedgley	FR100	20/10	50	1:34.98	PB
Pamela Walter	BR100	20/10	50	2:07.45	Best since '23
Pamela Walter	BR200	20/10	50	4:39.20	PAB/best since '19
Peter Scott	FR200	20/10	50	3:30.58	Best since '23
Rob Woodward	BA50	20/10	50	45.25	Best since '23
Rob Woodward	FR100	20/10	50	1:23.52	PB
Rob Woodward	FR50	20/10	50	34.39	PB
Rochelle Ledger	FR100	20/10	50	1:42.47	inaugural
Rochelle Ledger	FR50	20/10	50	44.34	inaugural

Sue Woodward	BU200	20/10	50	5:30.06	inaugural
Sue Woodward	BA100	20/10	50	2:54.14	Best since '22
Sue Woodward	FR50	20/10	50	54.88	PB
Tania Gregg	BA50	20/10	50	57.28	PAB
Tania Gregg	BR50	20/10	50	59.87	PAB 2 nd best time ever
Tania Gregg	FR50	20/10	50	46.39	PAB

And some more words from Pamela about our hosted swim:

Twenty two clubs with 141 swimmers participated in our 2024 hosted ABCCC. 27 swimmers registered for Stadium Masters with 72 swims. Our main rivals, Claremont, had 24 swimmers but had 71 swims. That was because several of our swimmers didn't swim or only swam one event because they were working in the recording room or on pool deck. We were able to field 4 women's and 2 men's relays. The final result was that Claremont beat us by a mere 10 points. Better try again next year.

There were many excellent results. 13 PAB, 11 PBs, 4 individual Club records and 1 relay club records were created on the day.

The carnival ran like clockwork thanks to the organisation of Peter Lyster and Helen Loake. Anne said the recording room with Anne, Deb, Helen with help from Richard and Chris from Myswimrules was the best ever.

Thanks to all the volunteers many from the club and some not. A special thanks must go to Natasha mum who came and was a timekeeper for the whole carnival. Also to Judith Lithgo and Janette Ballantine who have worked on the marshalling desk crossing swimmers off and giving them their disks for the last 8 years.



Thanks also to all those who cut onions, made sandwiches, cut fruit, made dips and baked biscuits and cakes. The food was fantastic and the quantity exceptional. Thanks to Phyll and her band of helpers for the multiple beautifully wrapped raffle prizes. Congratulations to everyone on a very successful day.



EVENT WRAP UP – CLUB SWIM SCARBOROUGH – Pre Mandurah –

SAT 26 OCT 2024

The Club Swim was held in the short course lanes at Scarborough Pool in preparation for the short course event being held by Mandurah on Sunday 3 November 2024

Each swimmer was allowed to enter 5 events rather than the usual 3 to replicate the Mandurah ABCCC program. Each swimmer was allowed a 1 x 100, 2 x 50s and 2 x 25s. Thanks to Peter Lyster and Phyll who didn't swim but came along anyway to timekeep.

There were some positive results:



Short Course Club Swim results – Scarborough Pool – 26th October

Name	Stoke/ distance	sc	previous most recent time	time	time	comparison
Anne Edmondson	BR25	25	27.26 '15	29.69		PAB/Best since '15
Anne Edmondson	BR50	25	1:03.05 '21	57.51		PAB/Best since '12
Anne Edmondson	BU25	25	26.98 '15	28.55		PAB/Best since '15
Anne Edmondson	FR25	25	20.45 '21	21.49		PAB/Best since '21
Anne Edmondson	IM100	25	1:50.66 '15	2:05.11		PAB/Best since '15
Barry Green	IM100	25	2:14.10 '23	2:10.67		Best since '22
Cas Brown	BA25	25	36.43 '24	34.27		Best since '22
Dick Austin	BR25	25	inaugural	45.86		inaugural
Helen Austin	BR100	25	2:37.19 '23	2:29.07		PB
Helen Austin	BR25	25	31.68 '23	29.56		PB
Helen Austin	BR50	25	1:09.59 '23	1:07.75		PB
Helen Austin	FR25	25	inaugural	25.03		inaugural
Helen Austin	FR50	25	1:19.21 '23	58.39		PB
Julianne Crowley	BA50	25	1:04.54 '12	1:13.15		Best since '12
Julianne Crowley	BU25	25	inaugural	27.20		Inaugural/CR

Julianne Crowley	BU50	25	56.45 '12	1:06.74		Best since '12/CR
Julianne Crowley	FR100	25	1:47.74 '06	1:57.31		PAB/best since '06/CR
Julianne Crowley	FR25	25	inaugural	21.78		Inaugural/CR
Margaret Smithson	BA25	25	39.17 '21	46.69		PAB /Best since '21
Margaret Smithson	BA50	25	1:25.52 '20	1:41.99		Best since '20
Margaret Smithson	FR100	25	2:22.88 '21	2:35.93		PAB
Margaret Smithson	FR25	25	26.02 '21	29.67		PAB
Margaret Smithson	FR50	25	59.93 '21	1:05.32		PAB /Best since '21
Natasha Kedgley	FR100	25	inaugural	1:34.07		inaugural
Natasha Kedgley	FR25	25	inaugural	18.37		Inaugural
Natasha Kedgley	FR50	25	inaugural	41.40		inaugural
Pamela Walter	BA50	25	57.09 '22	55.87		Best since '21
Pamela Walter	BR25	25	26.50 '23	25.29		Best since '22
Pamela Walter	FR25	25	21.72 '22	21.80		Best since '21
Pamela Walter	IM100	25	1:56.70 '21	2:03.51		Best since '21
Philip Lowe	FR25	25	inaugural	21.37		inaugural
Philip Lowe	FR50	25	inaugural	51.21		inaugural
Tania Gregg	BR100	25	2:11.63 '22	2:07.79		PB
Tania Gregg	BR25	25	26.91 '21	25.63		PB
Tania Gregg	BU25	25		23.42		inaugural
Tania Gregg	FR25	25	19.66 '23	18.60		PB
Tania Gregg	FR50	25	45.53 '23	45.45		Best since '22



EVENT WRAP UP – MANDURAH ABC CC – SUN 3 NOV 2024

By Pamela

Sixteen clubs participated in this round. Stadium Masters, with only 4 swimmers, came an amazing 4th overall - only beaten by Rockingham who had 12 swimmers. Claremont had 20 swimmers and Mandurah had 28 + swimmers. With 4 swimmers and a maximum of 5 individual races per swimmer the maximum points we could gain was 80 so between the 4 swimmers we gained 77 points. A fantastic result by the Stadium Masters Swimmers!

We also performed well in winning raffle prizes – see below, with a dubious part of the hamper won by Phyll – funny slippers!! This meet is a most enjoyable one offering the shorter distances (i.e., 25 m), and the hospitality of the Mandurah club is great (raffle and especially after meet food and drink!). Hopefully, next year more of our club swimmers will take the opportunity to participate.

Thank you to Phyll who drove us all down in her van and who spent the whole day timekeeping in her stunning pink/purple outfit.



Results – Mandurah 3/11/2024 – short course

Name	Stoke/ distance	sc	time	comparison
Barry Green	BA50	25	57.54	Best since '23
Cas Brown	BA25	25	34.35	Best since '22
Julianne Crowley	FR50	25	50.38	Best since 12/PAB/CR
Julianne Crowley	BA100	25	2:29.22	inaugural
Julianne Crowley	BU50	25	1:05.91	PAB/CR
Pamela Walter	BA25	25	26.47	Best since '21
Pamela Walter	BR25	25	24.89	Best since '18/PAB
Pamela Walter	BR50	25	55.11	Best since '21
Pamela Walter	BR100	25	2:02.35	Best since '21
Pamela Walter	BU50	25	56.67	Best since '22

CLUB CAPTAIN'S CORNER

By Pamela

Hi all,

Our last hired lanes for the year are Sunday 22nd December and the first hired lanes are Sunday 5th Jan. However, of the regular swimmers will swim at the normal session time between those dates so come and swim off the festive season overload.



Membership renewals are now open on our website. Join up now!



Our AGM and awards presentation is being held at Bold Park Aquatic Centre on Saturday 1 February 2025. There will be a club swim (pre-Newman Churchlands ABCCC) from 1.30-2.30, then the AGM starting at 3.00 in the Function Room, and afterwards a BBQ (bring your own). AGM papers will be emailed to members but also appear at the end of this newsletter. Please attend and support your club and committee. You may even want to nominate for a position!

VALE DAVID WATSON

Margaret Watson's husband David passed recently.

Margaret is a founding member of Stadium Masters. She has for many years been the club's social member's liaison officer and for many years kept the club's archives. She is a life member of the club.

Though David never swam with us he always supported the club. He was our chief bar-e-que 'chef' at all our social functions for many years.

It was a peaceful and welcomed passing in the end.

Snappers will be represented by some of the 'social' members but if anyone else would like to attend the service will be held on Thursday 19th December @ 2 pm at the Purslowe & Chipper Chapel, 31 Townsend Rd, Subiaco.



Pamela taking the club colour to the extreme in the purchase of her new EV!

And Jil featuring in the campaign for the NC ABC CC next year! Jil got 3 PB's from her 3 swims there last year.



JO'S WEDDING By Pamela

Jo, who was a member and will probably be again, was married recently at Chidley Point Reserve. The bride arrived by boat. Phyll and I took flippers and made a flipper arch which she acted like she was thrilled to walk underneath on her arrival. Margaret Smithson, who is a Uniting Church minister, conducted the ceremony.



It was a very informal gathering in a beautiful setting. Many people were barefoot or wearing sandshoes, sandals or thongs. The tables were made from palettes. Even though Jo hasn't been a member this year she often comes to help marshal or record at club swims.





EVENT WRAP – PAN PACS - GOLD COAST, QLD

Results for the Pan Pac Masters which were recently held on the Gold Coast.

Kim and Tash entered. They both excelled. Results below.

Tash		
FR50	40.09	PB
FR100	1:31.91	PB
FR200	3:21.97	PB by 9 secs
BA50	47.19	PB
BA100	1:45.89	PB
Kim		
FR50	39.08	PB/1 st time below 40.00
FR100	1:32.65	PB by 7 secs
BA50	49.31	PB by 4 secs
BR50	53.23	-
BR100	1:55.93	- PB by 5 secs.



Here is Kim and Natasha at the Masters Pan Pacifics with their bronze medals for the 4 x 50m freestyle relay. They made friends with a Canadian and a Victorian, then asked them to join them to make a relay team – AND they won a bronze!



Here's the Friday gang sharing cake for Barry's Birthday early November

EVENT WRAP UP – PERTH RAINBOW SWANS - PRIDE CARNIVAL – SAT 30TH NOV 2024

By Pamela

There were 14 Masters clubs competing and with 9 swimming Stadium Masters came a very good 3rd place. There was great frivolity with the officials wearing tulle rainbow coloured tutus, bowties, hats and tiaras. There was a synchronised swimming demonstration and a DJ spinning tunes. Also a fun novelty event was the last event on the programme where some swimmers were swimming their leg of the relay with noodles. After the meet there were free hot dogs, then a raffle, with very generous prizes on offer. Thanks to Pat and Phyll who volunteered their afternoon and timed for us. Results as follows:





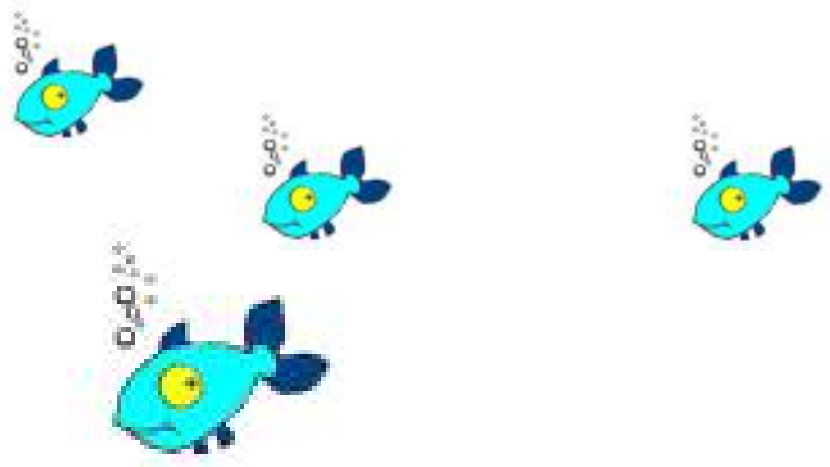
Name	Event	Date	Time	Comparison
Tania Gregg	BR50	30/11	56.75	PAB
Tania Gregg	BR100	30/11	2:13.25	PB
Denise Scott	BA50	30/11	1:17.81	Missed PB by .62
Pamela Walter	FR50	30/11	50.84	Best since '22
Debra Wagstaff	BR50	30/11	50.78	PB/missed CR by less than 1 sec
Debra Wagstaff	BR100	30/11	1:58.19	PB
Peter Scott	FR100	30/11	1:27.44	PB/CR
Peter Scott	BR100	30/11	1:58.43	Best since '23
Bill Woodhouse	BR100	30/11	2:28.84	PAB/best since '21
Barry Green	FR50	30/11	48.09	Best since '23

ENDURANCE SWIM CORNER

By Bill

Results for the newsletter as of Wed Dec 4th. There are more to come when I have received them all.

Mark 55
Helen A 3
Cas 849
Audrey 503
Sara 14
Christine 3
Anne 320
Tania 11
Mike 40
Brett 16
Tash 3
Helen L 80
Jil 100
Brigitte 22
Kim 5
Phyll 330
Deb 50
Pamela 690,
Bill 690
Sue 30



Total 3919 points .

Translated into kms 3919 kms gets within 333kms of Brisbane flying via Adelaide, Melbourne and Sydney. When all results are in we should easily reach Brisbane at 4252 kms. Twenty one swimmers have participated in the Aerobics program this year.

Stadium Masters Swimming Club Inc. Notice of Annual General Meeting 2025

The club annual general meeting will be held in the Function Room
of the Bold Park Aquatic Centre (215 The Boulevard, City Beach)
on Saturday on 1st February 2025 at 3.00pm.

Agenda

1. Welcome and Attendance
2. Apologies
3. Approval of the Agenda
4. Confirmation and Adoption of the Minutes of the 2024 AGM, and Matters arising
5. President's Annual Club Report for 2024 (paper to be sent prior to the meeting)
6. Treasurer's Report for 2024 (paper to be sent prior to the meeting)
7. Proposed Budget for 2025 (paper to be sent prior to the meeting)
8. Resolution "That the number of ordinary committee members (i.e., not office holders) for the coming year, be three." See below.
9. Election of the Management Committee for 2025.
President, Captain, Secretary, Treasurer, and General Members' Representatives.
10. Endorsement of the Coaches
11. Any Other Business
End of the formal meeting
Presentation of the 2024 Awards.
General discussion on the club, members comments.

Explanation of Item 8, (Ordinary) Resolution*

"That the number of ordinary committee members (i.e. not office holders) for the coming year, be three."

*From the Constitution rule 34: "At the Annual General Meeting, the Association must decide by resolution the number of ordinary committee members (if any) to hold office the next year. From the Constitution rule 27: "The committee members consist of – a) the office holders of the Association, b) at least one ordinary member.

Mark Anderson
2024 President.

Stadium Masters Swimming Club Inc.

Annual General Meeting, 1st February 2025

PROXY FORM

Resolution "That the number of ordinary committee members (i.e. not office holders) for the coming year, be three."

Name of the member appointing a Proxy:

Signature.....

Name of Proxy (printed):

Rule 53 of the Constitution deals with proxies as follows;

- "(1) Subject to subrule (2), an ordinary member may appoint an individual who is an ordinary member as his or her proxy to vote and speak on his or her behalf at a general meeting.
- (2) An ordinary member may be appointed the proxy for not more than 20 other members.
- (3) The appointment of a proxy must be in writing and signed by the member making the appointment.
- (4) The member appointing the proxy may give specific directions as to how the proxy is to vote on his or her behalf.
- (5) If no instructions are given to the proxy, the proxy may vote on behalf of the member in any matter as the proxy sees fit.
- (6) If the committee has approved a form for the appointment of a proxy, the member may use that form or any other form —
 - (a) that clearly identifies the person appointed as the member's proxy; and
 - (b) that has been signed by the member.
- (7) Notice of a general meeting given to an ordinary member under rule 52 must —
 - (b) state that the member may appoint an individual who is an ordinary member as a proxy for the meeting; and
 - (b) include a copy of any form that the committee has approved for the appointment of a proxy.
- (8) A form appointing a proxy must be given to the secretary before the commencement of the general meeting for which the proxy is appointed.
- (9) A form appointing a proxy sent by post or electronically is of no effect unless it is received by the Association not later than 24 hours before the commencement of the meeting."

For a proxy vote to count, the person naming the proxy must not be present at the meeting, but the person nominated to be a proxy for that member, must be. The name of the Proxy may be a Management Committee office holder (e.g. President, Vice President (Captain), Secretary, Treasurer), or Members' General Representative, or any other ordinary member (not a social member or a second claim member).

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS AND DEADLINE

Thanks to Barry G, Pamela W, Bill W, Mark A for their contributions both written and photographic, to this issue. **Next issue will be out end JAN 2025.** Thank you in advance for your contribution. I look forward to receiving any items you would like to forward . Merry Xmas to all
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