



Cranebrook United Football Club – Life Membership

Life membership to Cranebrook United Football Club is voted upon at the Annual General Meeting in October, and presented at the following season's Senior Presentation event.

Life membership is an honour bestowed to members who have rendered special or valuable services to the Club well beyond that of a typical member, leaving a noteworthy legacy.

Life membership will only be awarded to a person in respect of whom a resolution conferring life membership has been passed at the Annual General Meeting, on the recommendation of the Committee. A life member so elected becomes entitled without payment of any subscriptions or other monies to all privileges of a financial member of the Club. It is not necessary for life memberships to be awarded every year.

Life Members (CUFC Constitution, 2017)

- (a) Any person who has rendered outstanding service to the Club, for a minimum period of not less than ten (10) years, may be elected as a Life Member at the annual general meeting.
- (b) Not more than two (2) Life Members shall be elected in any calendar year.
- (c) All nominations for Life Membership shall be submitted to the Club by a Proposer and Secunder, not less than twenty-one (21) days before the annual general meeting
- (d) Should more than two (2) nominations be submitted, the Committee shall decide which two (2) nominations shall be put forward at the annual general meeting.
- (e) Each nomination shall be put separately to the vote at the annual general meeting.
- (f) A 75% majority is required for each nominated person to be elected as a Life member of the Club.

HOW TO MAKE A NOMINATION

Eligibility

Members of CUFC may nominate any person for consideration by the Management Committee for this award.

The following areas of contribution are suggested, as a minimum, appropriate for the award of Life Membership.

1. The nominee must have been an active member of the Club for a period of at least 10 years.
2. The nominee has performed meritorious service to the Club by coaching, managing, refereeing or serving on the Management Committee for a substantial period of their active membership.
3. Has demonstrated outstanding sportsmanship and has represented the Club with dignity and honour. The nominee should embody the spirit of soccer at Cranebrook United and should be what would be considered a role model for our club.

Nominations should provide substantial detail into why the nominee deserves life membership, referencing at least the items listed above. Each nomination must be seconded by another member. Any member making or seconding a nomination must be financial at the time of submitting the nomination.

Assessment

The current Management Committee will assess any nominations received prior to the AGM for verification of the details of the nomination.

Rights of Life Membership members of Cranebrook United Football Club

Life Members shall be considered as an honorary management committee member of CUFC. Life Members shall, during the continuance of their life, have all the privileges of Members.

Privileges of Life Membership of Cranebrook United Football Club

The recipient shall

- Be presented with a badge at the Senior Presentation event following the AGM decision;
- Have their name placed on the Life Member Honour Board;
- Receive honorary player registration for themselves whilst playing for CUFC;
- Be invited to the Senior Presentation annually as guest of CUFC.

Life membership is absolutely forfeited upon any failure to observe CUSC Regulations and will be forfeited upon the passing of a special resolution of removal from Life Membership for other reasons. Life Membership is not transferable to any other person.

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The completed form needs to be completed and forwarded to:

The Secretary, Cranebrook United Football Club, PO Box 125, Cranebrook 2749, 21 days prior to the AMG of that year.

Life Membership Nomination

Name of nominee: _____

Reason for nomination:

(Please use additional sheets if required)

Nominated By: _____

Seconded By : _____