

## **GOLF COMMITTEE -ELECTION OF CAPTAINS**

One male and one female member will be elected to the roles of Men's Captain and Women's Captain respectively. They will hold positions on the Golf Committee which is responsible for all golf operations.

For 2024 the Men's Captain will be elected at a special meeting of male voting members, convened for that purpose.

For 2024 the Women's Captain will be elected at a special meeting of female voting members, convened for that purpose.

The Men's and Women's captains will initially hold tenure until the 2025 Annual General Meeting and thereafter for tenures of two years.

### **Election Procedure**

General Manager calls for nominations at least 21 days prior to the Annual General Meeting.

An eligible member of the Club may nominate themselves or be nominated by another member.

Nominations close at 5.00 pm seven days prior to the meeting.

The list of nominations will be posted on notice boards at the club at 6.00 pm seven days prior to the meeting.

If there is only one nomination for the position that person will be declared elected, at the Annual General Meeting.

If there is more than one nomination a ballot will be held at the Annual General meeting.

### **Ballot**

If a ballot is required for the election of a Captain, the Chairperson of the meeting must appoint a member to act as returning officer to conduct the ballot.

The returning officer must not be a member nominated for the position.

Before the ballot is taken, each candidate may make a short speech in support of his or her election.

The election must be by secret ballot.

The returning officer must give a blank piece of paper to each eligible voting member.

The voter must write on the ballot paper the name of the candidate for whom they wish to vote.

Each ballot paper on which the name of a candidate has been written counts as one vote for that candidate.

The returning officer must declare elected the candidate who received the most votes.

If the returning officer is unable to declare the result of an election under 2 or more candidates received the same number of votes, the Chairperson must decide by lot which of them is to be elected.