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These “By-laws” will apply to any Marrickville RSL All Stars team playing at a Netball NSW affiliated Netball Association.

## 1. Meetings

- 1.1. The Executive Committee shall meet at least every six weeks during the winter playing season, and on dates to be decided by the Executive Committee during the remainder of the year.

## 2. Registrations

- 2.1. No registration will be accepted unless accompanied by full payment. The Executive Committee may consider individual applications for financial hardship;
- 2.2. A minimum of seven players and a maximum 12 players per team will be registered with the Association at the commencement of each competition. Additional registrations will be considered only under exceptional circumstances;
- 2.3. All members, both playing and non-playing, must agree to abide by the club by-law regarding Club Duties (By-law 4) before registration will be accepted;
- 2.4. Late registrations may be accepted at the discretion of the executive committee;
- 2.5. New junior, netta and intermediate members must provide Marrickville RSL All Stars Netball Club Inc with a certified copy of their birth certificate. Failure to comply will result in the registration not being accepted by the Club.



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## 3. Selections

- 3.1. Selection of teams will be as per Marrickville RSL All Stars Netball Club Inc selection guidelines;
- 3.2. A selection sub-committee will be formed each year, with the Coaching Coordinator as chair;
- 3.3. A Grade, AR, Intermediate, Junior and Netta players for the winter playing competition are required to attend grading sessions as per the guidelines;
- 3.4. Selection will take into account both individual talents and team needs.

## 4. Club duties and contributions

- 4.1. Each team, once graded and announced, is required to nominate a team captain and/or adult manager, who will;
  - 4.1.1. Take responsibility for the team's equipment and also be responsible for its return to the Secretary at the completion of each competition;
  - 4.1.2. Be responsible for the scoring at all matches;
  - 4.1.3. Ensure all players are aware of the time and venue of their matches;
  - 4.1.4. Ensure that all relevant information is passed onto all team members and the team coach;



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4.2. All members will be required to attend or participant in fundraising activates and club functions that will be arranged from year to year.

## 5. Forfeits

5.1. In the case of a team having less than five (5) players available to compete in a competition match, the team captain and/or manger must contact the Junior or Senior Convenor by no later than 5pm on the day preceding the match. Failure to give notification will result in any fines levied by the Association being passed on to the team involved.

## 6. Umpires

6.1. A nominated person as agreed by the Executive Committee from year to year will devise a draw of umpiring duties for competition games;

6.2. Members who fulfil umpiring duties for competition games (excluding semi's, finals and grand finals) will be paid a fee to be determined year to year by the Executive Committee;

6.3. Each senior team registered for a winter playing competition with Marrickville RSL All Stars Netball Club Inc may be given at least one umpiring duty to be performed;

6.4. All umpires are bound by the relevant by-laws as set out by Association where the team is registered.



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## 7. Trophies

7.1. The Executive Committee will determine year by year if trophies are to be presented for teams playing in a winter playing competition.

## 8. Recognition

8.1. The Marrickville RSL All Star of the Year (Senior and Junior) and Robyn Webster Awards are given in recognition of outstanding service to Marrickville RSL All Stars Netball Club Inc.

8.2. Nominations for the awards should be made in writing and given to the Secretary by a date decided upon by the Executive Committee year by year. The Executive committee will decide upon the recipient of the awards year by year.

## 9. Life Members

9.1. Any person may be elected a Life Member of Marrickville RSL ALL Stars Netball Club Inc in recognition of at least ten years continuous outstanding service to the Club;

9.2. Nominations for Life Membership are to be made in writing and given to the Secretary by a date decided upon by the Executive Committee year by year. The Executive committee will decide upon the recipient of the awards year by year;

9.3. Candidates for election as Life Members shall be nominated by two members of the Club at least two months before the meeting at which such nominations will be considered;



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- 9.4. The nomination must be approved by a majority of at least two-thirds of the members present and voting at a nominated Executive Committee meeting;
- 9.5. The Club's executive may fix the maximum numbers of persons who may at any time hold Life Membership;
- 9.6. An active Life Member shall be entitled to attend all Club meetings and shall have full voting rights;
- 9.7. All Life Member's registration fees and uniform fees, if applicable, will be paid by the Club.

## 10. Service Awards

- 10.1. Any member may be elected a Service Award recipient of the in recognition of at least ten years continuous outstanding service to the Club;
- 10.2. Candidates for election for the Service Award shall be nominated by two members of the Club at least two months before the meeting at which such nominations will be considered;
- 10.3. The nomination must be approved by a majority of at least two-thirds of the members present and voting at a nominated Executive meeting;
- 10.4. The Club's executive committee may fix the maximum numbers of persons who may at any time hold a Service Award.



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## 11. Ex-Officio members

11.1. The President, Secretary and Treasurer shall be ex officio members of all Sub-Committees.

## 12. Disputes

12.1. Any dispute requiring the intervention of the Marrickville RSL All Stars Netball Club Inc Executive Committee must be submitted in writing to the Secretary. The Executive Committee will consider the issue at the next available Executive meeting, and take any action deemed appropriate by a majority of the committee.

12.2. Any dispute arising from an Association competition match and requiring the intervention of the Association Executive Committee must be presented in writing to Marrickville RSL All Stars Netball Club Senior Secretary not later than 5 days after the incident.