

**1. CONSTITUTION:**

- (i) The name of the Club is **KELVIN GROVE CLUB**.
- (ii) The Club is established in furtherance of the objects set out in the Memorandum of Association of the Western Province Sports Club (Incorporated Association not for Gain) hereinafter referred to as the "Company" as a sporting, outdoor and social club.
- (iii) **In these rules:**
  - (a) the terms "Board" and "Shareholders" shall mean the Board of Directors and the Shareholders of the Company;
  - (b) the term "Committee" shall mean the Committee of the Club;
  - (c) the terms "Chairman" and "Vice-Chairman" shall mean the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Committee;
  - (d) the use of the male shall import the female gender;
  - (e) the term "subscription year" shall mean the period from 1 March of one year to 28 February of the following year, both dates included, and

**2. COMMITTEE:**

- (iv) The Committee shall consist of eight members, of whom six shall have been members of the Club for at least five years and shall be elected by ballot by the members of the Club and two shall be nominated by the Board.
- (v) The two longest serving elected members of the Committee shall retire from office at the Annual General Meeting of the Club. In the event of a dispute, the members to retire shall be determined by lot. Furthermore, the period of office of elected members of the Committee shall be a maximum of six years, consecutively. Such retiring Committee members may again make themselves available for election after a break of at least one year.
- (vi) Subject to paragraph 2(ii), a retiring member of the Committee shall be eligible for re-election without nomination and must give notice of his intention to make himself available for re-election at least 28 days before the date of the Extraordinary General Meeting and may act throughout the meeting at which he retires.
- (vii) Nomination of candidates in terms of Rule 28 to fill vacancies on the Committee created by retiring members shall be in writing, signed by two members of the Club, delivered to the General Manager, and by him posted on the Notice Board of the Club at least 21 days before the date of the Annual General Meeting.
- (viii) Any member absent from more than three consecutive Committee Meetings shall automatically cease to be a member of the Committee, unless granted leave of absence by the Committee.
- (ix) Four members of the Committee shall form a quorum thereof.

**3. CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE:**

The Committee shall elect its own Chairman and Vice-Chairman. The member taking the Chair at any meeting shall have a casting as well as deliberative vote.

**4. CASUAL VACANCIES:**

In the event of casual vacancies among elected members of the Committee, the Committee shall fill the same with all reasonable despatch, provided that the Committee may not co-opt more than two members. A member so appointed shall serve only until the next Annual General Meeting.

**5. POWERS AND DUTIES OF COMMITTEE:**

- i. All aspects of the management of the club including management of Club funds, shall vest in the Committee.
- ii. The Committee may make, vary and repeal Bye-Laws for the exercise of its powers.
- iii. The Committee may delegate any of its powers to a Sub-Committee or to the General Manager.
- iv. The Committee shall hold regular meetings in order to conduct the affairs of the Club and proper minutes shall be recorded of these meetings.
- v. The Committee shall ensure that a register of all the members of the Club is maintained and that proper books of account are kept.
- vi. The Committee shall be responsible for the election of new Club Members.

**6. INTERPRETATION OF RULES:**

In the case of doubt or dispute as to the meaning or interpretation of these Rules, the Committee shall be the final arbiter and its decision shall be binding upon the members.

**7. AFFILIATION OF CLUBS:**

The Committee may decide the conditions upon which other clubs or the members thereof, either in block or otherwise, may become affiliated with the Club subject to existing legislation, more particularly the Liquor Act.

**8. INITIAL MEMBERS:**

The first members of the Club shall be, first, such of the existing Shareholders (their wives and children) as by 31 October 1925 intimate their desire to become such members; second, such applicants for debentures (their wives and children) who apply and are approved by the Board of Directors; and third, such persons other than Shareholders and applicants for debentures who apply and are approved by the Board.

**9. ELECTION OF MEMBERS:**

- I. A candidate for election as a member who shall be not less than sixteen years of age, shall first be proposed by a member for admission to the official waiting list and seconded by another member. The candidate's full name, occupation, address and the names, business addresses and signatures of the proposer and seconder shall be submitted upon the Club's official proposal form, together with such other information as may be required by the Committee. A registration fee as from time to time laid down by the Committee shall accompany the proposal form and such fee shall not be refundable, except at the discretion of the Committee. The Committee may, in the case of members of the Diplomatic Corps and Reciprocity Members reduce or dispense with entirely the proposer and the seconder required to support a candidate. In the event of an applicant being unable to supply the necessary proposer and seconder, the Chairman of the Club, the Chairman of the Membership Committee or the General Manager shall have the authority to interview the applicant and if necessary accept the application.
- II. The names of candidates in respect of whom completed proposal forms have been received during the course of each month shall then be displayed on the Club notice board for a period of fourteen days. A meeting of the Committee shall then be convened to decide whether the candidates' names should be entered on the waiting list. In the event of an objection being lodged by a member or members in respect of a candidate, the proposer and seconder shall be interviewed by the Committee with regard to that candidate's suitability for membership before a decision is taken. Should the majority of members of the Committee present at any such meeting so decide, the matter shall be resolved by ballot. Three adverse votes shall constitute rejection of the candidate.
- III. As and when vacancies occur, the candidates whose names next appear on the waiting list, subject to such priorities then in force and under the provisions of Rule 9 (vii) below, and their proposers, will both be required to confirm the request for consideration of the candidate's proposal for membership to be considered. The candidate's postal address and other such information as the Committee may require, shall be submitted on the Club's official form of confirmation and signed by the candidate and his proposer.
- IV. The Committee shall have discretion to reinstate the name of a candidate for election to membership on the waiting list where extenuating circumstances are proved to exist and in such manner as to take into account any previous period that the candidate's name may have been on the waiting list.
- V. The names of the candidates in their respective categories in accordance with Rules 10 to 13, and subject to the priorities then in force, shall be placed on the notice board where they shall remain for 30 days. Thereafter the candidate's election to membership shall be considered by the Committee and shall be approved or rejected by ballot. Three adverse votes shall constitute a rejection of a candidate. In the event of an objection being lodged by a Member or Members in respect of a particular candidate, the proposer and seconder shall be interviewed by the Committee with regard to the candidate's suitability for membership before a final decision is taken. Furthermore, a candidate may himself be required to attend an interview.
- VI. In regard to proposals for admission of candidates' names to the waiting list and confirmation forms for election to membership:
  - (a) No member may propose or second any candidate who has not been known to him personally for at least two years save that the Committee has discretion to waive this requirement in special cases. In its report to members the Committee shall state the number of occasions on which this discretion had been used.

- (b) No member may, during any one calendar year, propose or second more than ten candidates.
- (c) No member may within five years of his own election, or in the case of a young Member, within five years of his reclassification as an Ordinary or Country Member, propose or second a candidate.
- (vii) No candidate except a candidate for Young Membership shall make formal application as contemplated in Rule 9(iii) until he or she has attained the age of 18 years.
- (viii) The formal proposal for admission to the waiting list and the formal confirmation by a candidate for Young Membership shall in each case be countersigned by the candidate's parent or guardian who shall thereby assume direct responsibility for the conduct of and for any amount owing by such Young Member of the Club, including the balance, if any, of the entrance fee payable in terms of Paragraph 3 + 4 of Appendix A, after such Young Member has attained the age of 21 years.
- (ix) The General Manager shall notify each new candidate by post of the fact of his election, and shall direct his attention to the fact that he is bound by the Rules, Bye-Laws, resolutions of general meetings and Committee rulings, and that no person may be absolved there from on the plea of not having received a copy of them or any of them.
- (x) The General Manager shall also call upon the newly elected member to pay his entrance fee and subscription. Until these are paid the new member shall not be entitled to the privileges of membership. If these are not paid within one month from the date of such notification, the election shall be regarded as "null and void", provided that if the new member justifies the delay in payment to the satisfaction of the Committee, his name will be restored to the list of members.
- (xi) A copy of the Rules shall be sent to the address of every new member with the notice of his election.
- (xii) These Rules shall apply equally to all categories of candidates for election to membership, including priorities.

**10. ORDINARY MEMBERS:**

An Ordinary Member is a Member permanently residing within the Magisterial Districts of Cape, Wynberg, Mitchells Plain, Simon's Town, Goodwood, Bellville, Kuils River, Paarl, Somerset West, Strand and Stellenbosch.

**11. ABSENTEE / COUNTRY MEMBERS:**

An Absentee / Country Member is a Member permanently residing outside the Magisterial Districts of the Cape, Wynberg, Mitchells Plain, Simon's Town, Goodwood, Bellville, Kuils River, Paarl, Somerset West, Strand and Stellenbosch, during the course of a complete subscription year and who has provided the Club with address and contact details to substantiate this membership category. Category classifications can only be changed annually before the commencement date of the new subscription year.

**12. SPECIAL CATEGORY OF MEMBER:**

A lady Member who is married to a Member or a lady Member who was a widow on 22 March 1976, or a lady Member who, after that date, becomes widowed provided that both she and her husband were Members at the time of his death, shall fall within a lady's Special Category of Membership.

**13. YOUNG MEMBERS:**

Young Members in the mixed category as per Appendix B, may only participate in the conduct and management of the Club on reaching the age of 21.

**14. TEMPORARY MEMBERS:**

Any person of the age of eighteen years and over permanently residing more than 400 kilometres from the Club, may be admitted as a Temporary Member upon introduction in writing by two Members and the written approval of the General Manager. A Temporary Member may be admitted for a period not exceeding two months in any period of twelve months, provided that the Committee has discretion in the interests of the Club to extend such period of Temporary Membership.

Temporary Membership may be cancelled at any time by the Committee. The subscription payable in advance by a Temporary Member shall be as from time to time laid down by the Committee.

**15. HONORARY MEMBERS:**

(i) The Committee may invite persons to become Honorary Members for such period as the Committee may decide without payment of entrance fee or subscription, provided that they:

- a) hold some public office, or
- b) are "bona fide" candidates for membership of the Club, or
- c) have conferred some exceptional benefit upon the Club, or
- d) are Ambassadors, High Commissioners, or Consulate Generals

(ii) Such Honorary Member shall have the full rights and privileges of membership save that they shall not have a vote at any General Meeting.

**16. HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS:**

With the approval of both Board and Committee, a Member who has conferred some exceptional benefit on the Club may be made an Honorary Life Member, in which event he shall have the full rights and privileges of membership, but will be exempt from payment of the annual subscription.

**17. FAMILY MEMBERSHIP:**

Family Membership shall be extended to a husband and wife who are or become members and to their children. The annual subscription shall be the sum of the Ordinary Members subscription and the spouse's fee and those of their children, as set out in Appendix B to these Rules.

The entrance fee for this category shall be the entrance fee extended to married couples and their children, as set out in Appendix A to these Rules.

**18. CORPORATE MEMBERSHIP:**

Corporate Membership shall be available to non-natural persons (e.g. companies, close corporations, partnerships, or trusts) who, upon acceptance by the Membership Committee, shall be entitled to nominate their chief executive of the corporation and a minimum of 3 executives of board or equivalent status (hereinafter collectively known as the "nominated executives") as corporate members of the Club.

A registration fee is payable on each application form and a Membership Card fee, as determined by the Committee.

Corporate Membership shall be for a period of 12 (twelve) months from the 1 March of each year or on a pro-rata basis and shall be renewable at the discretion of the Committee.

The Chief executive and his nominees shall be entitled to utilise all the facilities of the Club and enjoy all the privileges of membership, but shall not be entitled to vote at any meetings of members at the Club.

The corporation shall be held responsible for the payment of all monthly club accounts, Annual Subscriptions and any other charges and / or levies accruing to the nominated executives. Each nominee will be issued with his / her own membership card.

Corporate members shall not be liable for the payment of any entrance fees, but shall pay subscriptions in respect of each of the nominated executives at the rate as set out in Appendix B to these Rules.

A full list of the latest benefits is available on request from the Administration department.

**19. LIFE MEMBERSHIP:**

Life membership should be available to a limited number of no more than 300 members selected in categories of membership and order of preferences as determined by the committee. The once-off levy for the Life Membership fee will be 15 times that of the Ordinary Members Rate applicable at the time of application. The acceptance of Life Membership will be at the discretion of the Committee.

**20. CANCELLATION OF ELECTION:**

If at any time after the election of a candidate it appears that he has been elected under a misrepresentation or mistake as to identity or owing to materially incorrect information as to his character and position having been given, the Committee may within one month of such misrepresentation, mistake or misinformation being ascertained, cancel his election.

The person whose election is thus cancelled shall thereupon cease to be a Member, and shall have no claim whatsoever against the Club for damages, return of entrance fee or subscription or on any other grounds whatsoever, but the Committee may make such ex gratia refund of entrance fee and/or subscription as it may consider proper.

**21. INSOLVENCY OF MEMBERS:**

A Member whose estate is finally sequestrated under the Insolvency Laws shall ipso facto cease to be a Member. The Committee may, however, reinstate such a Member if in its opinion nothing dishonourable is disclosed in the circumstances.

**22. ENTRANCE FEES:**

Entrance fees shall be as set out in Appendix A to these Rules. The entrance fee in the case of a former member re-elected to membership may be waived at the discretion of the Committee.

**23. RIGHTS OF MEMBERS:**

By becoming a Member, a person incurs no liability other than for his unpaid entrance fee, unpaid subscription, and unpaid accounts. He shall acquire no right, title, interest, claim or demand in or to any of the monies, property, or assets of the Club, but shall acquire only the right and privilege of entering in and upon the Club premises, and of using and enjoying the same, subject to the Rules and Bye-Laws.

**24. SUBSCRIPTIONS:**

- i. The Committee shall, once a year, without having to obtain the consent of members at a General Meeting, be entitled on not less than one (1) calendar month's written notice to members, to increase or decrease any one or more of the subscriptions referred to and payable in terms of the Club's Rules by an amount not exceeding 15% of the subscription rates then applicable. The applicable rates will be appended to and form part of the Club's Rules.
- ii. A person becoming a Member during the course of a subscription year shall be liable to pay a proportion to the nearest twelfth of the annual subscription for such year depending upon the date of election.
- iii. A Member whose membership category is altered by the Club in terms of these Rules during the course of a subscription year, shall only have his subscription and membership category adjusted at the commencement of the new subscription year on 1 March.
- iv. On application in writing of any Ordinary or Country Member who has been a Member in good standing for the amount of the annual subscription payable by such Member shall be the Senior Membership rate laid down in Appendix B to these Rules and this will be an automatic process relating to (a), (b) and (c) above.
- v. On application in writing of an Ordinary Member who
  - a) has been a Member in good standing for not less than 20 years and has attained the age of 65 years, or
  - b) has been a Member of good standing for not less than 10 years and has attained the age of 75 years, or
  - c) has been a Member in good standing and by reason of age, infirmity or financial circumstances finds it difficult to pay the laid down subscriptions,the Committee may, at its discretion, where good cause is shown, reduce his subscription.
- vi. On application in writing by a member who has been a member for 50 years or more, the amount of the annual subscription payable by such a member shall be frozen at the rate then prevailing.

**25. DATE SUBSCRIPTIONS DUE:**

The annual subscriptions shall be deemed to accrue on and as from 1 March in each year and shall be payable in advance.

If a Member fails to pay his subscription within two months of the due date, he shall ipso facto cease to be a Member.

The Committee may, however, reinstate such person provided that satisfactory reasons for his default are shown and upon payment by him of all arrears in respect of subscription. An administrative fee as from time to time laid down by the Committee shall be paid upon reinstatement.

**26. JUNIOR ACADEMY 10-15:**

A new category for only children between the ages of 10-15 who have enrolled in one of the coaching sporting academies at Kelvin. This category of membership would entitle the child to full access to that specific sporting facility and its facilities. The current by-law re children at the Club still applies.

**27. RESIGNATION:**

A Member intending to resign shall notify his intention in writing to the General Manager prior to 28 February upon which date his next subscription becomes due. He shall otherwise be liable for payment of his subscription for the ensuing year, whether or not he has entered the Club premises. The Committee may refuse to accept any resignation until all amounts due by the applicant to the Club have been paid.

**28. DISCIPLINE:**

- i. If any Member shall in the opinion of the Committee commit any breach of the Rules or Bye-Laws of the Club, or introduce into the Club any person whose presence therein shall be prejudicial to the interests or reputation of the Club or objectionable to the
- ii. Members, or should any Member be guilty in the opinion of the Committee, of conduct un-becoming of the Club, whether within the Club precincts or outside them, the Committee shall have power to reprimand such Member or to suspend such Member from the use of the Club premises and privileges for such period as the Committee in its discretion deems fit, provided, however, that the Committee shall upon application by a Member in the case of suspension grant such Member a hearing. Furthermore, provided that the Committee first afford such Member a reasonable opportunity of disproving, explaining or justifying this conduct, the Committee may require the Member concerned to resign as a Member of the Club, or in the event of his failure to do so, the Committee shall have power to expel such Member.
- iii. It shall not be incumbent upon the Committee in any of the above circumstances to state their reasons for such suspension or expulsion of a Member and no Member shall have cause for action for alleged wrongful suspension or expulsion.
- iv. The Committee may order that the name of any Member suspended or expelled in terms of the provisions of this Rule shall be posted on the notice board of the Club.
- v. A Member suspended in terms of this Rule shall not be relieved from liability to pay his subscription in respect of the period of the suspension.
- vi. A Member who is requested to resign or who is expelled in terms of this Rule shall be ineligible for re-election as a Member of the Club.
- vii. The General Manager, or his Nominee, shall have power and authority in his discretion to require any Member or Guest to leave the Club premises provided that he shall as soon as may reasonably be possible, inform the Chairman or, if he is unavailable, the Vice-Chairman, thereof.

**29. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING:**

The Annual General Meeting of Members shall be held once in every year during the month of June. The business to be done at the Annual General Meeting shall be:

- (a) to elect members of the Committee;
- (b) to receive a report on the affairs of the Club, and
- (c) to consider any resolutions concerning the affairs of the Club, other than alteration of the Rules, of which due notice has been given.

Notice of any resolution to be proposed at the Annual General Meeting other than the ordinary business of the meeting shall be lodged with the General Manager at least twenty-eight days before the date fixed for the said meeting.

Notice of any such resolution shall be posted or electronically mailed to each Member / household with the notice convening such meeting as provided in Rule 31, and shall be posted on the Club notice board at least fourteen clear days prior to such meeting.

**30. EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING:**

The Committee may at any time call an Extraordinary General Meeting. The Committee shall call such meeting within 14 days after receipt of a requisition signed by not less than 150 Members specifying the object for which the meeting is called. Subject to the powers of the Committee as stated in Rule 30, no business other than that so specified may be transacted at the meeting.

**31. QUORUM AT GENERAL MEETINGS:**

The quorum for any General Meeting shall be fifty members, provided that should no quorum be present twenty minutes after the time fixed for the meeting, the latter shall, in the case of an Annual General Meeting or an Extraordinary Meeting called by the Committee, be postponed to the same day and hour of the following week and at such adjourned meeting the Members present shall be deemed to be a quorum for the transaction of all business of the meeting.

If no quorum is present in the case of an Extraordinary General Meeting called by a requisition of Members, the meeting shall be finally dissolved.

**32. PROCEEDINGS AT GENERAL MEETINGS:**

The Chair at all General Meetings shall be taken by the Chairman, or, in his absence, the Vice-Chairman or failing him, by a member of the Committee. Every question submitted to a meeting shall be decided in the first instance by a majority of the votes cast by hand by the members present thereat in person, the Chairman having a second or casting vote in cases of equality and unless a ballot be demanded by at least 50 members (or in the event of there being less than 50 members present, by all those present), the declaration by the Chairman of the results shall be conclusive.

A member in good standing who is eligible to attend and vote at the Annual General Meeting, but who will not be able to attend such meeting shall be entitled to cast a proxy vote in regard to the election of Committee members only. Such proxy vote shall be cast in a form determined by the Committee from time to time and shall be posted, faxed or delivered to the Club so as to reach it by the latest 16:00 on the Friday preceding the date of the Annual General Meeting, failing which it shall be invalid.

A ballot demanded as aforesaid shall be taken in such manner and at such time and place as the Chairman directs. The Committee may at any General Meeting bring forward any business it considers urgently requiring decision or action by members.

**33. NOTICE TO MEMBERS:**

General Club notices to Members shall be duly given by posting the same on the Club notice board provided in the Club premises for that purpose and the posting thereof on the board shall be deemed sufficient notice thereof to each individual Member.

Notice of the date, hour and place of all General Meetings shall be posted to each Member at least fourteen clear days prior to such meeting and shall, in addition, be posted on the Club notice board at least fourteen clear days prior to such meeting. A notice to Members concerning an Extraordinary General Meeting shall specify the object for which the meeting is called and the business to be transacted at such meeting. If the object of the meeting is to consider a proposal to amend these Rules, such proposed amendment shall be set out clearly and in full in the said notice.

All notices and correspondence to Members shall be posted to the address most recently notified by each Member to the General Manager and in so doing the Club absolves itself from any further responsibility for ensuring delivery. The proceedings of the General Meetings of Members shall not be invalidated on the grounds that any notice in terms of the preceding provisions was not posted to or received by a Member.

**34. ALTERATION OF RULES:**

Any alterations, addition or substitution of these Rules may be made only by Members assembled in Extraordinary General Meeting taken together with any proxy votes and postal votes validly cast prior to the meeting.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in these rules, or in the law governing the procedure of meetings, no amendment to any proposal to amend these rules shall be permitted, and the proposal, as set out in the notice convening the meeting, shall be accepted or rejected; provided that an amendment to any such proposal may be proposed by the Committee; provided further that the Chairman of the meeting may allow modification of any proposal in order to correct any obvious typographical error.

**35. RESOLUTIONS BINDING ON MEMBERS:**

A resolution passed by the Members at a general meeting shall be binding on all Members.

**36. GUESTS:**

- (i) Members may introduce guests in their company to such parts of the Club premises as may in terms of the Bye-Laws be open for the admission of guests. The number of guests, which a member may at any one time entertain in the respective parts of the Club, shall be fixed from time to time by the Committee.
- (ii) The same guest may not be introduced more than once per month, except on special guest days or as otherwise decided by the Committee. The admission of guests on special guest days shall be regulated by the Committee.
- (iii) Members introducing guests shall inscribe their names and addresses clearly and indelibly in the Visitors Book immediately on arrival and shall sign the entry.
- (iv) A Member may not introduce to the premises a person who has been rejected as a member, or posted as a defaulter, or whose election has been declared null and void, or who has been suspended or expelled from membership or who has been requested by the Committee to resign in terms of Rule 26 or whose presence has been specifically forbidden by the Committee.
- (v) Members introducing guests to the Club shall be responsible for their conduct and compliance with the Rules, Bye-Laws, resolutions of general meetings, and accepted practices of the Club, and for the cost of repair or replacement of any article, the property of the Club broken or damaged by such guests.

**37. COMPLAINTS:**

A Member having cause for complaint against an employee of the Club shall notify the General Manager in writing thereof. All other complaints and suggestions shall be entered in a book provided for that purpose. All complaints and suggestions shall be submitted by the General Manager to the Committee at its next meeting. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the complaint should also be reported at the time to the Senior Member of the staff on duty.

**38. PAYMENT OF CLUB ACCOUNTS**

Members shall pay every expense incurred by them upon receipt or presentation of a statement of account. A member who fails to settle his/her account within 30 days of date of statement shall be contacted by the Finance Department and informed that they have 7 days in which to pay.

Members who fail to pay within the allotted 7 days, shall receive notification in writing that their credit facility has been revoked for a period of 12 months and their names are to be posted on the club's notice board and they shall be debarred from the use of the Club, until all monies due have been paid to the club.

Members are to re-apply in writing to the Finance Committee at the end of the 12 months to have their credit re-instated. Members who owe more than R350 shall be handed for collection and shall cease to be a Member of the Club. A member who fails to settle their indebtedness shall in no way restrict the Club's right to adopt measures for the recovery of their indebtedness.

**39. DAMAGED PROPERTY:**

Members shall pay for the replacing or repairing, as the Committee may decide, of any article, the property of the Club, broken or damaged by them. A statement from the General Manager shall be final.

**40. GAMES OF CHANCE:**

No unlawful games or unlawful gambling shall be allowed on Club premises.

**41. ADVERTISEMENTS:**

No paper, notice or advertisement may be put up in the Club, except through the General Manager, and no Member may make use of the name or address of the Club in any advertisement, unless this has been cleared and approved by the General Manager, or in any court of law.

**42. CLUB NOT RESPONSIBLE:**

The Club shall in no circumstances whatsoever be liable for any loss or damage to the property of any Member or guest brought onto the Club premises, whether occasioned by negligence, theft or otherwise howsoever. The Club shall not be liable for personal injury or harm suffered by any Member or guest on the said premises, whether occasioned by negligence or otherwise howsoever.

**43. STAFF GRATUITIES:**

The tipping of Club staff is strictly prohibited. Any breach of this Rule will be dealt with under the provisions of Rule 27.



**44. SURCHARGES:**

The Committee may require Members to pay a surcharge on accounts

**45. NUMBER OF MEMBERS:**

The Club shall at all times have a membership of not less than 35 Ordinary Members. If at any time the Ordinary Membership falls below this figure, sale of liquor on the Club premises shall be suspended until such time as the Ordinary Membership again reaches 35 persons.

**46. PROFIT FROM THE SALE OF LIQUOR:**

Except under a written agreement approved by the Minister responsible for administration of the Liquor Act or a person acting under his directions, no profit from the sale of liquor by the Club shall accrue to any individual.

**47. SMOKING AT THE CLUB:** Smoking is not permitted anywhere in the Club's enclosed buildings.

**48. NEW PROJECTS:**

New projects of a capital nature over an amount of R350 000 should be presented to and approved by the members at the AGM.

**APPENDIX A – ENTRANCE FEES**

**ENTRANCE FEES**

**(Applicable 1 March 2017 – 28 February 2018)**

The entrance fees payable in terms of Rule 23 (inclusive of VAT at 14%) shall be as follows:

1. Gentlemen / Ladies (From the age of 31 years and above) **R500.00 per person**
2. Children (single or married) under the age of 21 years shall pay an entrance fee of **R500.00 per person**
3. Young Members between the ages of **21-25** in the mixed category shall pay an entrance fee of **R500.00 per person.**
4. Members between the ages of **26-30** shall pay an entrance fee of **R500.00 per person**

No entrance fees shall be payable by: The spouse of a current member or JA (Junior Academy) category.

