



Election of Office Bearers and Ordinary Committee Members

Reference: Associations Incorporation Act (1981) Model Rules.

- (1) Nominations of candidates for election as officers of the Association or as ordinary members of the committee must be-
 - (A) Made in writing, signed by two members of the Association and accompanied by the written consent of the candidate (which may be endorsed on the form of nomination)
 - (B) Delivered to the secretary of the Association not less than 7 days before the date is fixed for holding of the annual general meeting.
- (2) A candidate may only be nominated for one office, or as a member of the ordinary committee, prior to the annual general meeting.
- (3) If insufficient nominations are received to fill all vacancies on the committee, the candidates nominated shall deemed to be elected and further nominations may be received at the annual general meeting.
- (4) If the number of nominations received is equal to the number of vacancies to be filled the persons nominated shall deem to be elected.
- (5) If the number of nominations exceeds the number of vacancies to be filled, a ballot must be held.
- (6) The ballot for the election of office bearers and ordinary members of the committee must be conducted at the annual general meeting in such a manner as the committee may direct.

Leighdale Pony Club Voting policy

The Leighdale pony club annual general meeting must be held after the last day of February and before April 30 each year. (*PCAV By Law 10.3.4*)

The committee has decided to hold the AGM on the date of the March rally day.

- Riding members under the age of 18 years may have a parent/guardian vote on their behalf. One vote per parent/guardian only.
- Riding and associate members aged 18 years and over are eligible to vote.
- For families who have two or more riding members under the age of 18 years there is a restriction of two parent/guardian votes with one vote only for each parent/guardian.
- Adult supporters must be registered as independent financial members of Leighdale Pony Club to be eligible to vote. Adult supporters are eligible for one vote only and will forfeit their right to vote on behalf of their child/riding member under the age of 18 years.
- Committee members are eligible for one vote only and forfeit their right to vote on behalf of their child/riding member under the age of 18 years.

(The district commissioner is elected by the incoming committee at the first committee meeting after the AGM. (PCAV By Law 10.3.1). On appointment the District Commissioner automatically becomes a member of the club committee (PCAV By Law 9.5.1).



Nomination Form *for* **Candidates for election as officers and ordinary committee members**

All current officers and ordinary committee members will stand down.

Candidates for nomination must be financial members of Leighdale Pony Club.

Please nominate a candidate for one of the following positions.

(1) Office Bearers

President
Vice president
Secretary
Treasurer

(2) Ordinary committee members (5 Positions)

Name of Candidate
Office/Position nominated
Signature - Club member (1)
Signature - Club Member (2)
Signature - Candidate endorsement