

CLUB CAPTAIN POLICY

Election of Club Captains and Vice Captains

The Centre will have a male and female from the 15's - 17's age group as Club Captains and a male and female from the 15's - 17's age group as Vice Captains each season. These roles will be filled via election.

Election Criteria

One male and one female athlete from the 15's - 17's age group shall be elected to be Club Captains. One male and one female athlete from the 15's - 17's age group shall be elected to be Vice Captains.

To be eligible for nomination athletes must have:

- 1) Been a registered member of RWLAC for the previous three consecutive years;
- 2) Regularly attended Centre competition nights in previous years;
- 3) Been a good role model to other athletes in previous years;
- 4) Demonstrated leadership and responsibility in previous years;
- 5) Demonstrated exceptional sportsmanship, friendship and effort in previous years; and
- 6) Be willing and able to fulfill the expectations of the roles (as below).

The elected Captains and Vice Captains will be expected to:

- 1) Regularly attend Centre competition nights;
- 2) Regularly assist with setting up and/or packing up on Centre competition nights, including track equipment, field equipment, canteen and BBQ equipment;
- 3) Attend Southern Metropolitan Zone Championships and assist with Centre duties, volunteer official duties and support Centre athletes competing;
- 4) Attend Region 8 Championships and assist with Centre duties, volunteer official duties and support Centre athletes competing;
- 5) Assist with Centre fundraising events, such as Bunnings BBQ and Friday night meat raffles;
- 6) Assist with Centre initiatives, such as school holiday training clinics, coaching sessions and end of season fun night;
- 7) Attend the Revesby Workers' Club Anzac Day march and service;
- 8) Speak at the end of season presentation night and prepare a report for the Annual Report (Captains only);
- 9) Assist younger athletes of the Centre whenever possible;
- 10) Be a good role model to other athletes within the Centre;
- 11) Demonstrate leadership and responsibility.

Should either Captain be unable to fulfil any of his or her obligations, the Vice Captain would be required to act in his or her place.

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Election Process

The Centre President will call for nominations from eligible athletes in September of each season. A voting form will be created listing the names of all nominated athletes.

Athletes from the 14's - 17's age groups will be invited to vote for up to three male nominees (ranking them 1, 2 and 3) and up to three female nominees (ranking them 1, 2, 3). The male nominee with the most votes will be elected as Club Captain and the male nominee with the second highest number of votes will be elected as Club Vice Captain. The female nominee with the most votes will be elected as Club Captain and the female nominee with the second highest number of votes will be elected as Club Vice Captain.

The voting process and the counting of votes will be overseen by the Centre President and independent committee members.

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