

KNOX BASKETBALL INC. LIFE MEMBERSHIP - CRITERIA

In accordance with the constitution of Knox Basketball Incorporated, rule 5. (2) details how Life Membership of Knox Basketball Inc. will be awarded:

- (a) Life Membership shall be restricted to those whose service to KBI has been worthy of the highest honour.
- (b) Such nomination shall be in writing to the Board at least seven (14) days prior to the AGM meeting.
- (c) The Board shall present a written report to the Annual General Meeting on the services of any successful nominee together with its recommendations as to their suitability for the honour.
- (d) By resolution of 75% majority of eligible votes at a General Meeting of KBI, life membership may be cancelled.
- (e) Life members shall be granted the privileges of free admission to all functions held by KBI and the right to attend and vote at General Meetings.
- (f) Life members shall be awarded a badge of appropriate design.

The criteria for a successful nomination to the Board for Life Membership is as follows: -

Overview:

The KBI Board determines the selection criteria for all Knox Basketball awards. The key criterion for Life Membership is a **significant, sustained, and outstanding contribution to the development of the sport of basketball** throughout the City of Knox and its surrounds.

The following guidelines apply:

- (a) The primary requirement is **outstanding achievement** from personal effort or initiative, in a field of endeavour that contributes to the performance of players, technical officials, coaches, administrators, clubs and/or to the development and status of basketball in the City of Knox and its surrounds.
- (b) Fields of endeavour/persons which could be considered suitable are
 - (i) Administration, players, coaching, technical officials, media & club support activities.
 - (ii) A person with outstanding attributes, not otherwise listed herein but who, in the opinion of the KBI Board, qualifies for a Knox Basketball Inc. Life Membership nomination.

Note:

Mere long-term service or involvement in basketball by a candidate without having satisfied the primary requirements of the nomination criteria, or having demonstrated outstanding achievement arising from personal initiative or innovation, is not sufficient justification for selection. Life Membership is not recognition for service, or limited achievements, but for outstanding achievement.

Criteria:

- (1) Minimum 10 years of outstanding service to basketball;
- (2) Can be administrators, technical officials, players and coaches who have made significant contributions to the development of the sport of basketball in the City of Knox and its surrounds;
- (3) Whose service/achievement is deemed to be outstanding;
- (4) Whose service/achievement has had a positive and broad-ranging impact on the development of basketball in the City of Knox and its surrounds;
- (5) Who has supported the elected administration's efforts to develop the sport of basketball;
- (6) Who has consistently fulfilled all financial commitments to the Association, and whose attitude, conduct and professionalism is deemed worthy of the highest honour;
- (7) Who has provided valuable leadership and/or has been an outstanding role model to the members of KBI in general.

Process for assessment of nominations:

All nominations must demonstrate attainment of minimum criteria.

The KBI Board will assess any nominations for Life Membership based on the established criteria. The KBI Board will assess all nominations put forward and only those nominations that the KBI Board considers worthy of Life Membership shall be endorsed and put to a vote at its Board Meeting. A successful nomination will be recommended to the members at the next General Meeting of KBI provided it is accepted by a majority of KBI Board members present at its Board Meeting. The Chairperson shall have a second and casting vote in the event of equality of voting.