

RIVERSIDE RODDERS INC

BY-LAWS – Effective July 2023

MEMBERSHIP

- Upon completion of the Club Membership Application Form and payment of the appropriate membership fees, applicants will be accepted as members.
- Whilst a probation period is no longer relevant, members are expected to abide by all conditions of membership as outlined in the constitution and by-laws.
- Club Registration is only available to financial members.

Renewing Members

- A Membership Renewal Form must be completed annually to provide a members required information including fees paid and vehicles club registration logbook details.
- Should a member's personal details change they must be updated so that the Register of Members is kept current.
- Membership fees are due and payable by 30th June each year.
- Payment of membership fees will be acceptable in May and June each year.

Membership Types

- Individual Membership and Partner Membership is available.
- Life Membership may also be granted.

Partner Membership

- Partners of financial individual members are entitled to "Partner Membership" as recognised by the ASRF.
- Partner members will be recognised as full members and contribute to the procedures and activities of the club.
- They are not eligible for executive or non-executive positions.

Membership Fees

- Individual Membership has been set at an annual fee of \$50.
- There is no fee for Partner Membership.

Riverland Customs & Classics Inc

- Members of Riverside Rodders Inc are deemed to be full members of RCC but are only required to pay a \$10 annual membership fee.
- Partners of a Riverside Rodders member are to pay \$25 (a 50% discount on membership fee).

Club Participation

- Members must attend the Annual General Meeting and a minimum of 6 official Club events during each 12 month period.
- Official Club events include, but are not limited to, general meetings, social activities and vehicle displays.
- Club representation at meetings where the purpose of attendance is to do all things conducive to the furtherance of the Club are also deemed to be official Club events.
- Exceptions to the attendance requirements may apply to members who reside more than 150kms from the venue at which the Club meets.
- Leave of absence (exceptional circumstances leave) – This will be for a period as required and agreed at club level due to the full member not being able to uphold the attendance requirements of a "Full Financial Member". They will retain full membership and club registration endorsement (if applicable) with the payment of their annual membership fee but will lose their voting powers within the club. A "leave of absence" is to be requested in writing by either email or surface mail, quoting the period of time and relevant dates. When the agreed period is complete the members position will be reviewed.

CLUB MEMBER ENTITLEMENTS

- Each member upon acceptance for membership shall receive a "club member name badge" either with their given name or nickname as agreed.

- At the request of the member a name badge may be replaced if lost or damaged.
- They shall also receive a relevant club car sticker.
- If required these will be replaced annually on the payment of club membership renewal fees.
- Club members are entitled to purchase from or present to a club approved business the following garments for embroidering with the club logo.
- Approved garments are jackets, hoodies, windcheaters and vests in either black or charcoal grey with a small logo embroidered at front top left and large logo across the back.
- The garment and embroidery costs are at the members expense.
- Club shirts are available when ordered from time to time at a club subsidised cost.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

While Riverside Rodders continue to combine with Riverland Customs & Classics and function as a single club and both maintaining individual financial arrangements, the executive committee shall be structured as follows.

President:

Should the combined president be elected from the Riverland Customs & Classics membership, then the Vice President must be elected from the Riverside Rodders membership.

Vice President:

As outlined in the previous.

Secretary:

The secretary may be elected from either the Riverside Rodders or Riverland Customs & Classics membership.

Treasurer:

The treasurer may be elected from either the Riverside Rodders or Riverland Customs & Classics membership.

Secretary & Treasurer combination preferred:

Should the combined secretary be elected from the Riverland Customs & Classics membership, then it is preferred the combined treasurer be elected from the Riverside Rodders membership.

NON EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT POSITIONS

- Club Registration Authorised Persons
 - Four members with the appropriate knowledge and practical experience in the restoration, preservation and/or modification of vehicles eligible for club registration shall be nominated to these positions. They may be members from either Riverside Rodders and/or Riverland Customs & Classics.
 - They will be identified as Primary and Secondary Authorised Persons to issue approvals to club members for club registration of historic, prescribed left hand drive and street rod vehicles in accordance with the Motor Vehicles Act and Regulations.
- Cruise & Social Co-ordinator
 - To suggest, plan, initiate and co-ordinate Club cruising and social activities.
 - Two co-ordinators are required, preferably one from each club.
- Media Relations Co-ordinators
 - To collect and collate information and photos from club events and activities and liaise with and provide this information to the media and club website editors.
 - Two co-ordinators are required, preferably one from each club.
- These positions are important to the promotion of the Club within the wider community and social media and on occasions will require attendance at Committee Meetings.
- Club Representatives (optional)
 - State ASRF Divisional Council Representative
Representative shall attend the SA ASRF DC meeting each month and report all relevant information back to club at the following meeting.
 - State Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) Representative
Representative shall attend the SA TAC meeting each month and report all relevant information back to club at the following meeting.
 - South Australian Hot Rod Association (SAHRA) Representative
Representative shall attend the SAHRA meeting each month and report all relevant information back to club at the following meeting.

CLUB PERSON OF THE YEAR

- The club person of the year will be awarded to the member who achieves the highest number of points for attendance at club meetings and events over each 12-month period July to June.
- Attendance records will be kept by the club and the recording of a members attendance at club meetings and events is the members responsibility.
- Record sheets will be made available at all meetings and members will be required to complete the necessary details of the events attended and if with their club vehicle.
- Attendance at events with their club vehicle (and in uniform) other than club events should also be recorded.
- If a member is unable to attend the meeting following the event attended and requires the information to be recorded, they are to notify the Secretary or President accordingly. If this is not undertaken the points will not be allocated.
- Recognition of this award will be with an individual Certificate for the member and an annual perpetual award to be retained by the member for 12 months.
- The perpetual award is to be returned to the secretary at the June/AGM meeting so that engraving can be arranged for the incumbent club person of the year.
- At the July meeting the new club person of the year will be announced with the certificate presented by the president and the perpetual award presented by the outgoing club person of the year.

CLUB REGISTRATION (CR)

- Administration fees for compliance inspection payable to the Club:
 - Initial inspection of first car - \$50
 - Inspection of second and additional cars - \$25 each
- Once approved by the Club's Authorised Person the owner is responsible for submitting the necessary paperwork and payment of any associated fees to the Registrar of Motor Vehicles.
- Upon expiry or replacement (if required) of the CR Log Book a fee (to be determined) will be payable to the Club.
- May and June meetings may be used to update CR log book membership after payment of club membership fees.

MEETINGS

General Meetings

- Club meetings will be held on the fourth Thursday of each month at the Cobdogla Club commencing at 7.30pm unless otherwise arranged.

Quorum

- The number of members to constitute a quorum at any AGM, Special General Meeting or General Meeting will be 60%.

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