



# CRAKE VALLEY CROQUET CLUB MEMBERSHIP BYELAW DECEMBER 2023

## FULL MEMBER

- Aged 18 and over.
- Crake Valley is your nominated primary club (with Croquet England).
- may be elected or co-opted onto the Club Committee or Sub-Committee.
- is entitled to vote at the AGM, EGM and on other matters (by invitation of the Committee).
- may sign-in guests in accordance with the Visitor & Guest criteria.
- Preferential selection for team and NW Federation events.
- be entitled to be a key holder and undertake to sign in on every visit.
- enjoy refreshments (in return for a suitable donation) and use club house facilities.
- agree to be contacted periodically to **voluntarily** help with grounds and maintenance working parties.
- agree to protect the lawns by playing on half lawns at times, as directed by the Committee.
- agree to pay their annual subscription by **1<sup>st</sup> April** each year.
- at the discretion of the Committee, may formally apply to the Treasurer for travel expenses incurred in performing administrative or maintenance duties for the Club: claims for travel by car should be at the HMRC-approved rate.

## FAMILY MEMBERSHIPS

- Where one or more adult family members pay full membership, then other family members from the same household under 18 years of age will pay **20%** of the full membership fee.
- Where one or more adult family members pay full membership, then other family members from the same household over 18 and under 30 years of age will pay **50%** of the full membership fee.
- Each adult (over 18) has full rights as above and must accompany any under 18-year-olds at all times.
- Each adult is responsible for the good behaviour of the family members and to take good care of Club property.

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## COUNTRY MEMBER

- Aged 18 and over
- will have their main residence **more than 15 miles** (by road) from the Club Grounds in Greenodd.
- **must** have their primary Croquet Club elsewhere (the other club pays their annual CqE levy fee).
- may NOT be elected to Club Committee/ Sub-Committee(s) but MAY be co-opted by invitation.
- May NOT vote on club matters.
- may sign in guests in accordance with the Visitor & Guest criteria.
- may make themselves available for team and NW Federation events.
- be entitled to be a key holder and undertake to sign in on every visit.
- enjoy refreshments (in return for a suitable donation) and use club house facilities.
- agree to be contacted periodically to **voluntarily** help with grounds and maintenance working parties.
- agree to confirm, before travelling in winter or after a period of bad weather, that the lawns are open.
- agree to protect the lawns by playing on half lawns at times, as directed by the Committee.
- agree to pay their annual subscription by **1<sup>st</sup> April** each year.
- Will pay **75%** of the Full Membership subscription each year.
- at the discretion of the Committee, may formally apply to the Treasurer for travel expenses incurred in performing administrative or maintenance duties for the Club: claims for travel by car should be at the HMRC-approved rate.

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## FAR COUNTRY MEMBER

- Aged 18 and over.
- will have their main residence **50 or more miles** (by road) from the Club Grounds in Greenodd.
- **may** have their primary Croquet Club elsewhere (the other club may pay their annual CqE levy fee).
- may NOT be elected to Club Committee/ Sub-Committee(s) but MAY be co-opted by invitation.
- May NOT vote on club matters.
- be entitled to be a key holder and undertake to sign in on every visit.
- enjoy refreshments (in return for a suitable donation) and use club house facilities.
- agree to confirm, before travelling in winter or after a period of bad weather, that the lawns are open.
- agree to protect the lawns by playing on half lawns at times, as directed by the Committee.
- agree to pay their annual subscription by **1<sup>st</sup> April** each year.
- Will pay **50%** of the Full Membership subscription each year plus CqE levy (if appropriate).
- at the discretion of the Committee, may formally apply to the Treasurer for travel expenses incurred in performing administrative or maintenance duties for the Club: claims for travel by car should be at the HMRC-approved rate.