

# LVEBA

**Latrobe Valley  
Eight Ball Association**



## **BY-LAWS**

**Association Reform Regulations 2017**



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1. 41<sup>st</sup> Annual **General Meeting** held at the L.V. Hotel Morwell on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2017
  - 1) 56. Player of the Finals **Removed**; and
  - 2) 57. Player of the Grand Final **Amendment**.
2. 2<sup>nd</sup> Special General Meeting held at the Premiere Function Centre Cameo Lounge, Traralgon on Wednesday the 14<sup>th</sup> Aug, 2019. (Rev 2)
  - 1) 46. Penalties & Fines **Addition**
3. 44<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting held at the Premiere Function Centre, Traralgon on Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup> Apr, 2020. (Rev 3)
  - 1) 36. Point System (Handicap) **Addition**

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### 30. Point System (Grouping/Handicap)

The Point System shall be set annually by the Committee.

36.1 The Point System shall be used in the Winter and Summer Competitions for Division one (1) and if necessary the Committee may consider using the point system in other divisions.

36.2 The Grouping number determines the handicap points for players in each group. The criteria used in the allocation of players into groups shall be as follows:

36.2.1 **Group 1** These are the highest grade players. Players are worth 1 handicap point.

36.2.2 **Group 2** These are the medium grade players. Players are worth 2 handicap points.

36.2.3 **Group 3** These are the lowest grade players. Players are worth 3 handicap points.

36.2.4 **Points** Team's shall field no less than 10 handicap points for each match played, failure to do so shall result in a match forfeit (42.1 Match Forfeit).

36.3 The Committee to review annually and may upgrade/downgrade a players grouping as required, and will assess all new players throughout the year and will address any anomaly's that may exist with regard to a players grouping. The Committee will endeavour to have the review of groupings out two weeks before the Annual General Meeting of the Association.

36.4 Players in all other division will be automatically graded into group three (3) unless the Committee decide otherwise.

36.5 Any vacancies and forfeits on a team score card are worth 3 handicap points.

36.6 All new players must complete a registration form and answer truthfully the questions about their previous playing history (this will be checked). The captain must sign to verify the registration form has been filled in correct, fully and truthfully. If it is found that the registration form has been completed untruthfully (mistake or otherwise) then that player will forfeit all frames played and these frames will be granted to the opposition player(s) for all matches played.

36.7 All players are to be grouped before they are eligible to play. Playing a player without being allocated to a group will result in all of that players frames being forfeited to the opposition player(s) for all matches played.



## Team Entry Form

The team named and members listed below wish to enter in the upcoming season of the Latrobe Valley Eight Ball Association Inc. Please consult each and every team member prior to signing this form to ensure they understand the terms and conditions for membership and team entry with the Latrobe Valley Eight Ball Association Inc. A copy of the Association's terms and conditions is available on our website under the *Rules* tab at **lveba.com.au**. Please read them carefully. The Committee reserves the right to refuse any membership or team entry in their absolute discretion without giving any reason(s).

I ..... the Captain of the team listed below, have completed this form and by signing below have agreed to the terms and conditions of the Latrobe Valley Eight Ball Association and have been given consent by my team members to agree to these terms and conditions on their behalf.

**Captains Signature..... Date...../...../20.....**

Please note all fields are important and it is a legal requirement for all applicants to provide these details for membership **with the exception** of the postal address if it's the same as the home address. **NO** entries will be possible if you do not have a minimum of 5 players, and have not supplied all the required details.

This form is also an application for membership for a team member who is not already/currently a member of the Association. Please tick the box next to any **new team member's only**. Please read **Rule 7. Eligibility for Membership** in our constitution for membership requirements. **Also for Playing History need only note playing history outside of LV8BA Competition. The information given will help the Committee determine a suitable Division for team and Grouping for each applicant. Please read for Grouping By-Law Rule 36.6.**

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

**Team Name..... Venue..... Division.....**

### Captain

1. First Name ..... Surname.....

Home Address..... Suburb..... Postcode.....

Postal Address ..... Suburb..... Postcode.....

Mobile..... Email .....

Playing History.....

2. First Name ..... Surname.....

Home Address..... Suburb..... Postcode.....

Postal Address ..... Suburb..... Postcode.....

Mobile..... Email .....

Playing History.....

3. First Name ..... Surname.....

Home Address..... Suburb..... Postcode.....

Postal Address ..... Suburb..... Postcode.....

Mobile..... Email .....

Playing History.....

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4. First Name ..... Surname.....  
Home Address..... Suburb..... Postcode.....  
Postal Address ..... Suburb..... Postcode.....  
Mobile..... Email .....

Playing History.....

5. First Name ..... Surname.....  
Home Address..... Suburb..... Postcode.....  
Postal Address ..... Suburb..... Postcode.....  
Mobile..... Email .....

Playing History.....

6. First Name ..... Surname.....  
Home Address..... Suburb..... Postcode.....  
Postal Address ..... Suburb..... Postcode.....  
Mobile..... Email .....

Playing History.....

7. First Name ..... Surname.....  
Home Address..... Suburb..... Postcode.....  
Postal Address ..... Suburb..... Postcode.....  
Mobile..... Email .....

Playing History.....

8. First Name ..... Surname.....  
Home Address..... Suburb..... Postcode.....  
Postal Address ..... Suburb..... Postcode.....  
Mobile..... Email .....

Playing History.....

All team entry forms must be lodged with the **Secretary** of the Association in person after the Annual General Meeting and **not** beforehand, **unless the Committee instruct otherwise**. The Secretary will refuse lodgement if the team entry form is incomplete, so please make sure you complete this team entry form by filling in all the required details.



## APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

I wish to join Latrobe Valley Eight Ball Association Inc. and hereby apply to be admitted as a member thereof; by signing below I have read and agree to the terms and conditions for membership of the Latrobe Valley Eight Ball Association Inc. The Committee reserves the right to refuse an application for membership in their absolute discretion without giving any reason(s).

**Signature**.....

**Date**...../...../20.....

Please note all fields are important and is a legal requirement for an applicant to complete. A copy of the Association's terms and conditions is available on our web-site under the *Rules* tab at **lveba.com.au**. Please read them carefully. Please take note of Rule 7. **Eligibility for Membership** in our constitution for the requirements for membership. List all conditions

*Playing History need only note playing history outside of LV8BA Competition. The information given will help the Committee determine a suitable Division/Grouping for the applicant. Please read for Grouping By-Law Rule 36.6.*

### PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Team.....

Title (Mr. / Mrs. / Ms. / Miss / Other).....

First Name ..... Middle .....

Surname .....

Home Address .....

Suburb..... Postcode.....

Postal Address .....

Suburb..... Postcode.....

Telephone: Home ..... Mobile.....

Email .....

*Playing History*.....

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### Membership

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**Proposer (Captain)** ..... **Team**.....

**Signature**..... **Date**...../...../20.....

a member of the Association nominate the applicant, who is personally known to me, for membership of the Association.

**Secunder** ..... **Team**.....

**Signature**..... **Date**...../...../20.....

a member of the Association nominate the applicant, who is personally known to me, for membership of the Association.

All applications forms must be lodged with the Secretary of the Association either in person, via the league drop box, at meeting or by mail.

Latrobe Valley Eight Ball Association, The Secretary, P.O. Box 740, Traralgon, VIC 3844.