



Western Districts
Baseball Club Inc



ABN: 89 832 510 708

Incorporation Number: IA05333

Annual General Meeting
MINUTES OF MEETING
6:30 pm Friday, 8 May 2026
West Bulldogs Clubhouse

1. Welcome

Meeting Opened By Andrew Kelly at 6:38 pm

2. Attendance & Apologies

Attended

Kevin Alexander
Mark Coogan
Rodney Gaunt
Wendy Gaunt
Sagree Govender
Shawn Hunter
Andrew Kelly
Bradley Matheson
Maite Navarro
Gary Pollock
Steve Rogers
James Ronan
Claire Stirling

Apologies

Bradley Brown
Scott Russell
Ian Thatcher

Included attendees -

- Go Maeda
- Rae Stone
- Warren Stone
- Nick Kremastos
- Scott Davenport
- Ben Broad

3. Confirmation of the minutes of the previous annual general meeting

Minutes confirmed unanimously by all attendees.

Attachments

[2025-05-09 Minutes - Annual General Meeting.pdf](#)

Motions

320 The minutes of the meeting held on 9 May 2025 were true and accurate record.

Status: Carried **Mover:** Steve Rogers **Second:** Kevin Alexander

4. President's Report

Andrew Kelly provided a brief summary of 2025/26 season and Annual Report (attached).

Attachments

[Wests Annual Report 2025-2026.pdf](#)

5. Business arising from the minutes of the previous annual general meeting.

There was no business arising from the minutes of the previous annual general meeting.

6. Adopting Financial Reports

The goal for this season is for the Club to raise \$80,000 for upgraded field lights.

Grant submitted to Brisbane City Council for funding new Strategic Plan.

The financial report adopted unanimously by all present - see attached Annual Report which include Financial Report.

Attachments

[Wests Annual Report 2025-2026.pdf](#)

Motions

321 The tabled Financial Report was adopted.

Status: Carried **Mover:** Kevin Alexander **Second:** James Ronan

7. Appointment of the Auditor

Auditor appointed is Future Growth Tax and Accounting, Seventeen Mile Rocks, Qld 4073 - Contact: Mr Chris Smith

Motions

322 Appoint Auditor

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8. Life Membership Presentation

Life membership was presented to Nick Kremastos.

Nick has been with the club since he was 8 years old and has played in all Age groups and Divisions.

9. General Business

All Committee positions were declared vacant.

The following persons were elected by unanimous decision -

- President - Andrew Kelly
- Vice President, Club Operations - Rodney Gaunt
- Vice President, Baseball Operations - Steven Rogers
- Secretary - Claire Stirling
- Treasurer - Wendy Gaunt
- Registrar - Maite Hubbard

General committee members -

- Go Maeda
- Sagree Govender
- Mark Coogan
- Ian Thatcher
- Kevin Alexander
- James Ronan
- Shawn Hunter
- Brad Matheson
- Nicholas Kremastos

Member survey - 36 responses to date. Improvement from last year (17). Good responses to understand what the club is doing right and where it can be improved.

West's Coaches Academy 2026 - is scheduled for June 2026, running for three (3) weeks, with two (2) sessions per week. West's Player Academy will run after the coaches academy, with coaches assisting with the player academy.

Social functions, Trivia Night - look to run this in October as a fundraiser.

Life members and Past players day - proposed for November 2026

Import players - still considering viability. Host accommodation is difficult to find. Possibly look locally for players, as accommodation for import players is difficult.

Come and Try days and pre-season training - recruitment will commence in late July, followed by Come and Try days in early August.

General business without notice -

- Ben Broad presented Division 5 2025/26 Grand Final plaque to the club.
- Lockup under clubhouse cage wire has been reinforced following recent break-in during the season.
- Springfield AFL club - looking to set up a satellite club in Springfield aiming for players interested to play Rookieball, and possibly Teeball.

10. Meeting Close

Meeting closed at 8:30 pm

[Next Meeting](#)

General Meeting

6:30 pm, Tuesday, 2 June 2026

The Lion Boardroom - 133 Pine Road, Richlands 4077



Rodney Gaunt (Vice President)
17 May 2026 18:10

Motions Summary

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