

VICTORIAN RACING PIGEON UNION INC.

Proxy or Absentee Form

STEP 1

Appoint a Proxy to Vote on Your Behalf

I being a current financial member of both the
.....Club and the Victorian Pigeon Racing Union Inc. hereby
appoint

The Chairman of the Meeting or

as my proxy to act generally at the meeting on my behalf and to vote in accordance with the following directions at the Annual General Meeting of the Victorian Racing Pigeon Union Inc. to be held at 28 Freeman Street Campbellfield on the 2nd March 2020 at 8:00 pm and at any adjournment or postponement of that Meeting.

OR

STEP 2

**Absentee Vote - Items of Business – Election of Office Bearers and
Proposed Rule Changes**

- 1. Assistant Secretary** – Paul Burlak or John Share. Cross out the person you are **not** voting for.
- 2. Committee** - Steve Cini, Gary Church, Vince Cannizzo, Paul Burlak; John Dismore; Mick Doria; Alex Kalaitzis; Nick Gecas and Mick Edwards. 7 only required. Cross out the persons you are **not** voting for. Note if you have voted for Paul Burlak above cross out his name in this section.

3. Rule 91: (Committee)

Add – The ring list for flyers using the EBSS must have the birds accurately ring numbered and coloured into their clocks prior to the first race. Failure to present an accurate ring list may deem the flyer ineligible to compete in that week’s race.

For **Against** (Cross in selected box for your vote)

4. Rule 97: (Committee)

Add – new (3) – It is strongly recommended that all members vaccinate for the Rota Virus with an approved vaccine as supplied by Treidlia Biovet Pty Ltd and in accordance with their “ROTAVAX” guidelines dated 13th August 2019.

For **Against** (Cross in selected box for your vote)

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5. Rule 102: (NHC – John Share)

Delete existing and add new:

Up to four competing individuals or partnerships may compete and fly their birds registered in their own name to the same loft or premises. Each member or partnership must be a VPU member and must be a bona fide flyer. Each member or partnership shall compete under the Rules of the VPU and within the Code of Conduct. Only two of these VPU flyers from the same loft or premises are entitled to vote at the Annual General Meeting or any Special Meetings. The maximum number of birds that can be entered for Federation events from the same loft or premises cannot exceed the maximum number of birds allowed to be entered by two flyers from the same loft or premises, with the exception of the 10 bird 400 mile national where each member or partnership is entitled to enter the limit of 10 birds each.

For Against (Cross in selected box for your vote)

6. Rule 142: (Committee)

Add (4) - Entering of pigeons can only commence with the presence and approval of the room steward. The person reading the electronic clock must confirm that the first bird scanned is the first bird entered for any given race. At the completion of entering birds via the scanner the clock is either read or the power is disconnected.

For Against (Cross in selected box for your vote)

7. Rule 154: (Committee)

Add – If a presented bird's ring number does not match what is recorded in the flyers electronic clock then that bird will have its chip removed and disallowed entry into the race or race unit. The chip/s will be held in safe keeping at the VRPU Clubrooms until race day clock production and the reading of the flyers electronic clock, or anytime thereafter, whereupon the chips shall be returned to the flyer.

For Against (Cross in selected box for your vote)

8. New rule 171: (Thomastown – W. Williams)
Performance enhancing drugs/substances

(1) The VRPU Committee shall make rules and regulations prohibiting the use of performance enhancing drugs/ substances. Contravention of these rules and regulations shall entail suspension. Refer Appendix A.

(See Appendix A) Attached.

For Against (Cross in selected box for your vote)

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9. Rule 19:

Add (h) – Noncompliance with Rule 171.

For Against (Cross in selected box for your vote)

10. Motion: (Kilmore Club - Charlie Grech)

That the Kilmore Invitational Racing Pigeon Club have use of the VPU rooms for the basketing of their proposed mid season Wonthaggi race series.

For Against (Cross in selected box for your vote)

11. Motion: Glenroy Club - Peter Sawyer – endorsed by the Committee)

That Wayne Williams and Dennis Brown be both made Life members of the VPU for services rendered over the many years – Room Steward, Committee member , liberators, Convoyer, Ring Secretary etc.

For Against (Cross in selected box for your vote)

STEP 3

Signature of Financial Member

Member's Name _____

Contact Telephone _____

Date ____/____/2020