

## TAMAR BRIDGE CLUB Inc BY-LAWS 2025

At a meeting of the Tamar Bridge Club Committee, held on February 24th, 2026, the following By-Laws were adopted

### **MEMBERSHIP and MEMBERSHIP FEES**

The following classes of membership of the Tamar Bridge Club Inc are available

**Ordinary members**, namely, persons approved by the Committee upon nomination by two Club members and the payment of such membership fee as the Club may from time to time determine.

There will be two types of Ordinary members

- i. Home Members, namely persons whose primary club is the Tamar Bridge Club
- ii. Alternate Members, namely persons whose primary membership is of another bridge club

**New members** nominated as in above, may be elected to provisional membership at any time, but such election to be confirmed at the first subsequent Committee Meeting.

**Life Members**, namely, persons who have been elected to Life membership at an Annual General Meeting or a Special General Meeting for having given outstanding service to the Club or to the game of bridge. A membership fee will not be applicable

*Honorary Members*, namely, bridge players visiting Launceston, provided, however, such membership shall not extend beyond a period of two months, and such members shall not hold office, vote at the Club meetings or be eligible for trophies awarded by the Club.

### **MEMBERSHIP FEE**

The membership fee of the Club shall be determined by the Annual General Meeting and be payable by 30 March after that meeting, or in the case of new members, by their fourth attendance.

The Membership fee will comprise of a base fee for all members and a fee added for home members to cover the cost of State & National affiliation fees

A member whose annual membership fee is overdue shall not be eligible to compete in any regular club session, club championship, vote at any meeting or be a member of the Committee.

Persons joining the Club six months after the Annual General Meeting shall pay half their annual membership fee.

Visitors or intending members may play at 3 regular club sessions but then must apply for membership