

Club President

The President is primarily an honorary position within the club and acts as the club's Representative at all internal and external functions. The President is also to act as the Chairman if necessary.

What kind of person should you be?

1. **A diplomatic peacekeeper** – A club committee is an arena of many different personalities so the ability to listen and keep the peace is essential. Discretion is also important.
2. **An effective manager** – task will have to be allocated to people so the ability to delegate is required.
3. **A fair leader** – a club needs leadership and this starts at the top. Clubs respond positively to a fair leader who takes in to consideration the views and opinions of others.
4. **A good communicator** – communication is essential to lead meetings and to inspire the club to develop and work efficiently.
5. **A multi-skilled** – a jack of all trades, some knowledge or experience of all aspects of the club is required.

The core responsibilities of the role

1. To act as any sub-committee member if and when appropriate.
2. Where necessary, provide advice and guidance to all other officers within the committee and provide liaison and communication between the various sections of the clubs.
3. Help manage the committee meetings to ensure every member has the opportunity to express their opinion on relevant matters and ensure that decisions are made on issues
4. Ensure through liaising with the Club Chairman that the club is running efficiently and is meeting its obligations to the WRU and the District.
5. Contribute to the general standard of the club and provide an understanding of the ethos and codes of conduct required.

The commitment from you

1. A Club President is usually appointed for a specific term such as a season so you'll be expected to perform the role for at least 9 months.
2. The workload will be constant; possibly heavier at the beginning of the season and particularly around club meetings.
3. The time commitment of a Club President is a minimum of 6 hours a week.

What do you get out of it?

You will have the opportunity to lead a club that has a strong influence within the local community. With energy and commitment you can lead the development of the club for future generations- an achievement to be proud of.

