# **BALLOT**

### South Australian Rifle Association Inc

### **Election of Two (2) Board Directors**

As a total of three nominations were received, a ballot is now necessary, with financial members and Life Members registered as at 5pm on 15 September 2025 receiving ballot material by no later than Monday 29 September 2025.

Ballot material containing your individual voting credentials will be sent via:

- Email or
- SMS (if your email is not listed on the Roll) or
- Post (if your email or mobile is not listed on the Roll)

Voting credentials are single-use only and are the same across all notice types. Each notice contains a 16-character alpha-numeric key - this is the key used to access your ballot.

You can click on the links in the notices (email and SMS) to access your ballot directly. You may also visit https://secure.electionbuddy.com/ballot/ and enter your individual key to access your ballot. Postal notices contain QR codes that can be scanned with a smartphone to access the ballot. (See examples attached)

This election is for Directors for the SARA Board in accordance with the <u>Election</u> Rules.

Your vote is anonymous no one will have access to any results until the election closes at 10am on Monday 20 October 2025.

There are TWO vacancies, you can vote for up to TWO candidates.

The ballot closes at 10am on Monday 20 October 2025.

Leanne Galpin Returning Officer

20/9/25

### Who can vote

- All SARA Life Members
- All SARA financial Individual Members registered on the Membership Roll as at 5pm on Monday 15 September 2025

### **Voting pack (Electronic)**

- Single-use credentials will be sent via email or SMS or letter (see examples attached)
- Candidate names will appear in a random order
- Candidate profiles are included on the ballot
- If you fail to receive ballot material or lose your material, a replacement can be requested via the Returning Officer.
- If the vote has started, and you haven't received an email, please check your email junk or spam folder.

#### How to vote

- You will need access to a computer or smart phone or tablet
- You do not need an account to vote
- Click on the link provided (or paste to your browser)
- Follow the prompts
- You can vote for ONE to TWO candidates
- Review your choices and make any changes
- Verify your choices
- Submit
- You will see a confirmation message containing a confirmation code on your screen when you submit your ballot.
- If voting via email link, you will also receive a confirmation email.
- Up to two reminders will be sent if you have not submitted a vote
- During and after the election, the Returning Officer will be able to see who has voted, but no one will see any individual voter selections.

### Results

For the 2025 Election of Directors, the two (2) candidates with the highest number of votes will be elected for a 2-year term. Retiring Directors may nominate for reelection as per the maximum number of terms as contained in the Constitution.

Results of the ballot will be announced at the SARA AGM to be held at the Lower Light Rifle Range on Saturday 25 October 2025.

### **Examples of Notices**

#### **Email Notice Preview**

You are invited to vote in the SA Rifle Association - SARA Board Election 2022.

The voting deadline is Oct 16 2022 10:00am GMT +09:30, Adelaide.

We are using an online election system to tabulate our votes. You have been assigned a unique access key which can only be used to vote once and your voting choices will remain anonymous. Do not forward this email. Do not reply to this email to vote, as your vote will not be registered.

If you have election questions, feedback or want to be removed from future ballot lists, please email Leanne Galpin, SARA Returning Officer at <a href="mailto:SARAReturningofficer2022@gmail.com">SARAReturningofficer2022@gmail.com</a>

#### To vote, visit:

https://secure.electionbuddy.com/1234-ABCD-5678-EFGH

Or copy and paste the link into your web browser.

You can also visit <a href="https://secure.electionbuddy.com/ballot">https://secure.electionbuddy.com/ballot</a> and enter " 1234-ABCD-5678-EFGH "

#### **SMS Notice Preview**

SARA Board Election: New ballot notification. Vote here - ebv.io/1234-ABCD-5678-EFGH

#### Printed Notice Preview

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The voting deadline is Oct 16 2022 10:00am GMT +09:30, Adelaide time zone.

We are using an online election system to tabulate our votes. You can only vote once, and your voting choices will remain anonymous.

If you do not have a computer or smart phone, please check if someone at your Club could help you to access the ballot.

You have been assigned a unique access key which can only be used to vote once, and your voting choices will remain anonymous. Do not share this notification.

If you have election questions or feedback, please email Leanne Galpin, SARA Returning Officer at SARAreturning officer 2022@gmail.com.

Vote using a computer or your phone with a web browser by visiting:

#### ebv.io/ballot

And entering the key

#### 1234-ABCD-5678-EFGH

Or use your phone to scan the QR code below



# **South Australian Rifle Association Inc**

## **Election of Two (2) Board Directors 2025**

### **Candidates**

(in alphabetical order)

- Leanne DUNN
- Matthew LAGANA
- Cameron WHANT