

TERMS OF REFERENCE

1. Purpose

These Terms of Reference are to be used as guidance for the members in the appointment to a Club Membership Group entitled “Friends of Exe Valley Rotary”.

2. Process

Any full member can complete an application form which needs to be seconded by another full Member.

The application will fail unless:

- a) approved by the Membership Chair and the club President and
- b) following the circulation of the application to all of the full membership no objections have been received within the following seven days.
- c) to avoid embarrassment of potential friends it would be advisable to seek the club approval before a formal invitation is made.

A retiring full, corporate or honorary member of Exe Valley Rotary may in the discretion of the President be appointed to the position of “Friend of Exe Valley Rotary” by simple majority vote of the membership without a formal application.

The position of “Friend of Exe Valley Rotary” may be withdrawn upon majority resolution of the Council

Information for the New Friend

For A Friend of Rotary

The members of Exe Valley Rotary Club welcome you as a “Friend of Rotary” and look forward to working with you and enjoying your company.

You are welcome to attend all full Club meetings without the need for an invitation by a full Member. You will need to book yourself as for full members and pay the cost of the meal. You are also welcome to bring guests if the meeting and venue are appropriate.

If you attend club meetings regularly or more than five meeting in a year it will be anticipated you wish to become a full member of the club.

You are welcome to attend committee meetings when invited by the chairman of that committee.

Your opinions may well be sought but you will not be entitled to vote at club meetings.

If you assist in a Rotary charitable or other activity on behalf of Exe Valley Rotary it is understood that you will be deemed to be within the parameters of Rotary’s third party liability Insurance.