

Application for Board Membership: Sydney Portugal Community Club

Dear Members of the Sydney Portugal Community Club, it is with great pride and a deep sense of commitment that I, David Palma, humbly seek your vote to join the Board of the Sydney Portugal Community Club.

For me, SPCC is more than just a club; it is home. I was raised within the heartbeat of this community, with my family—proud pioneers—dedicating themselves to the growth and success of the club during the 1980s and 1990s. Their passion ignited my enduring love for Sydney Portugal Community Club & Fraser Park and its mission.

As someone who values the richness of Portuguese culture and heritage, I aim to ensure these traditions continue to thrive as an integral part of our club's identity. I believe that fostering transparency in all decision-making processes is fundamental to building trust and unity within our community. By ensuring open communication and accountability, we can create an environment where everyone feels their voice matters and their contributions are recognized.

Furthermore, I am deeply committed to nurturing strong relationships across all levels of our club. Collaboration and connection are essential pillars of my approach, as I believe it is through these bonds that we can achieve meaningful progress together.

During the administration period I worked with KPMG & other SPCC members in assisting the organising of events and regular club activities including Raffles & Bingo within SPCC and Fraser Park FC to ensure that the events were able to continue prior to the current Board being appointed.

I firmly believe in the power of football as a unifying force, not only for players but for families, friends, and supporters alike. My vision is to position the Fraser Park football club as the catalyst for revitalizing our entire community. By fostering strong connections, enhancing facilities, and increasing engagement, I want to ensure our club remains a vibrant, welcoming space for generations to come.

With your support, I will honour the legacy of our founding families while embracing fresh opportunities to grow and evolve. Together, we can build an even stronger SPCC & Fraser Park, one that proudly represents our heritage and inspires all who walk through its doors.

Thank you for your consideration. I look forward to the possibility of serving this incredible community.

Warm regards, David Palma