



Melbourne Cricket Club

50 Year Members John Landy Room Rules & Regulations

1. Reserve

The MCC provides a reserved seating area (the rear section of N42 for football season 2006) and the John Landy Room, both on level 2, for the exclusive use of MCC members of fifty or more years standing, Hans Ebeling Award winners and Certificate of Merit recipients. [N.B. The term *50 Year Member* encompasses the other categories in the context of this document.]

2 . MCC Rules

All applicable rules as set out in the MCC Members' Handbook must be observed.

3. Dress

Dress in the Landy Room is the same as for the Long Room and Dining Room, e.g., jacket and tie for men and equivalent standard for women).

4. Organisation

The Melbourne Cricket Club will provide staff to run the Landy Room and control seating arrangements on match days. Members should obtain seat tickets for the reserved seating from the official in the Landy Room **no later than 15 minutes before the advertised time of starting.**

5. Evidence of Membership

For the benefit of staff, members may be required to present their MCC 50 year membership card when requesting seats or entering the Landy Room. The wearing of the Fifty Year Members' tie or lapel badge is also encouraged.

Owing to the large increase in 50 year membership this year, members are asked to understand the importance of protecting their privileges by checking cards.

6. Guests

The admission of a guest to either area is at the discretion of the MCC official on duty and will usually depend upon expected numbers and available seating.

While, on some occasions, it will be possible to extend the courtesy of seating and refreshments to a guest of a 50 Year member, it needs to be borne in mind that the facilities are primarily for 50 Year members.

(i) Seating (Rear section of N42, Level 2)

On days when space is available, members may request a seat for **one** guest only.

Guests that aren't MCC members: Because of the members-only restrictions on access to Level 2, a non-MCC member pass (ONE only per 50 Year member) may be obtained on match days from the attendant in the Landy Room for an adult non-MCC member who has a visitor ticket or Lady's or Guest card to enter the ground. This pass will enable guests to gain entry to 50 Year facilities on Level 2, when guests are allowed.

(ii) The Landy Room

Unfortunately, on some days, space might not allow for the admission of guests who have a seat in the 50 Year area to the Landy Room. A notice in the room to this effect will inform members on those days. **When guests are allowed, they must have their seat ticket for identification. Only guests with seats in the 50 Year area will be admitted to the Landy Room.**

The situation this year is largely unpredictable and members are asked to be patient and courteous, if difficulties arise.

Food and drinks provided must be consumed in the Room

7. Incapacitated members

If any 50 Year member requires a carer with a Companion Card to accompany him for medical reasons or space for a wheelchair at any match, this can be arranged by contacting Rachel Dove on 9657 8827, beforehand.

8. Television Set

The television set will be tuned to the match taking place at the ground. Only staff are permitted to operate the set.

9. Communications.

Apart from posted communications, the Club will inform 50 Year members, where possible, in its Weekly Information Bulletin in the sporting pages of the Herald Sun and The Age on Thursdays of updates on match day arrangements affecting them. This information will also be available on the MCC website at **www.mcc.org.au**

N.B. Please note all the above carefully. There are some basic changes for those members who were familiar with the Harrison Room. We hope that the new arrangements, still subject to alteration in the light of experience, will prove to be beneficial for all 50 Year members.

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