

Elected Director Nomination Form 2024

Haydn Lane

Name of Nominee

Seconded	Kellie Smith - Essendon LAC (General Committee) (Office holder of LAVic Affiliated Centre or Region)
* Note, the applicant has been deemed compliant by the Board	

Statements to be completed by the nominee

1. Please outline the reasons for nominating (300 words max).

I have been looking for a community sport-based Board to contribute to and feel my professional experience could be an asset to Little Athletics Victoria. My current role is Chief Communications Officer of the Australian Grand Prix Corporation - one of five on the Executive Leadership Team reporting into our CEO, Travis Auld.

My wife, Caroline, and I are lucky to have three active sons, with the youngest, Darcy (7), currently undertaking Little Athletics at the Essendon Little Athletics Club. We have been impressed with the professionalism and camaraderie at Essendon and other clubs in the region, and if required, I'd like to use my experience gained throughout my professional career to assist LAV.

2. Outline skills, qualifications and experience against the selection criteria, as set out in the **Elected Director Duty Statement 2024** (600 words max).

A demonstrable passion for sport and a genuine understanding and respect for the opportunities and health, social and other benefits that Little Athletics Victoria presents to the entire Victorian community.

I have a life-long passion for sport as a former player, administrator and parent of junior athletes, and fully understand and appreciate the benefits that LAV and similar bodies provide to the community.

• Strategic thinking, with an ability to build a shared understanding of, and commitment to, a vision for the sport.

My role at AGPC is almost entirely strategic and requires me to garner support of AGPC and our two international motor sport events via a range of advocacy and communication.

• The ability to relate to people at all levels.