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1. Policy

1.1. GBWA values the wisdom and experience of those that have been Leaders in GBWA.

1.2. GBWA understands that when Leaders resign as members of GBWA they may want to maintain a connection with GBWA and support the organisation with prayer.

1.3. GBWA will encourage these people to join GBWA Friends of Brigade.

1.4. Friends of Brigade will aim to

- Create a community from those who have previously served as Leaders in GBWA.
- Support the current Leaders in prayer.
- Provide opportunities for fellowship and also service to GBWA.

2. People

2.1. Friends of Brigade will

- uphold the Aim, Mission and values of GBA.
- appoint one of their members to be the Coordinator who is responsible to the State Commissioner.

2.2. Operations Manager will

- notify all GBWA members who resign of details of Friends of Brigade and a contact point.
- Invite members to State Events including the AGM.

3. Procedure

3.1. Members may apply to join Friends of Brigade once they have finished attending weekly company meetings.

3.2. A list of members will be held by the Coordinator.

3.3. The Coordinator may collect information from members following the GBWA Privacy Policy.

3.4. Members will meet at least annually to discuss any business and appoint a Coordinator.

Further meetings for fellowship and prayer will be held at the discretion of the Coordinator.

3.5. Members may be asked to pay a membership fee set by the members at their annual meeting.

3.6. The State Commissioner and Operations Manager to be copied into all correspondence to members.

3.7. The Coordinator will provide a report for the final Board of each year. This will be included in the GBWA Annual Report.

4. Papers

4.1. *GBWA Privacy Policy*

Date of approval at GBWA AGM
