



The Poona Club Ltd

MANAGING COMMITTEE ELECTIONS

—————**Remote e-voting**—————

from 10.00 am on Wed, 24th Sept 2025 to
5.00 pm on Fri, 26th Sept 2025

————— **93rd AGM** —————

on Saturday, 27th September, 2025,
10.00 am to 9.00 pm

Election Brochure 2025

Dear Member,

The aim of this Election Brochure is to introduce the candidates contesting Club Elections for the period 2025-27 to the voting Members.

In order to be eligible to vote, please ensure:-

- Your outstanding dues as on 31st July, 2025 have been cleared i.e. dues payable for the bill raised for the month of June, 2025, should be paid.
- You have a valid Membership Card.

The CVs have been printed 'as received' from the candidates who are wholly and solely responsible for the accuracy / authenticity of the contents of their respective CV.

THE CLUB SHALL NOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CONTENTS OF ANY CV.

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Lt Col Abhay Sharma (Retd)
CEO & Secretary

CANDIDATES FOR CLUB MANAGING COMMITTEE: 2025-27

Sr. No.	Name of Candidate	Position applied for	Proposer	Secondor
1.	Mr. Tushar Aswani (A269)	Member of the Committee	Mr. Chandu Borde (B174)	Mr. Ramesh Sanghvi (S197)
2.	Mr. Anil V Ausekar (A357)	Member of the Committee	Mr. Prakash P Mutyal (M596)	Mr. Ambar H Pawar (P498)
3.	Mr. Umesh Kumar Agrawal (A416)	Member of the Committee	Mr. Ramesh Sanghvi (S197)	Mr. Prabhakar K. Deshmukh (D379)
4.	Mr. Shardul Prithwiraj Bayas (B364)	Member of the Committee	Mr. Vijaykumar Govind Tamhane (T141)	Mr. Dilip Sanghvi (S6)
5.	Mr. Manish Dilip Mehta (M437)	Member of the Committee	Mr. Vijaykumar Govind Tamhane (T141)	Mr. Manish V. Jain (J134)
6.	Mr. Kedar Nadgonde (N144)	Member of the Committee	Mr. Chandu Borde (B174)	Mr. Ramesh Sanghvi (S197)
7.	Ar Richard Pereira (P221)	Member of the Committee	Mr. Dilip Sanghvi (S6)	Mr. Rajkumar P Shewani (S743)
8.	Mr. Rohan V. Pusalkar (P233)	Member of the Committee	Mr. Vijaykumar Govind Tamhane (T141)	Mr. Jaideep G Patwardhan (P383)
9.	Mr. Amit Dinesh Parmar (P402)	Member of the Committee	Mr. Jehangir Dorabjee (D262)	Mr. Dilip Band (B486)
10.	Mr. Shailesh Fatechand Ranka (R215)	Member of the Committee	Mr. Vijaykumar Govind Tamhane (T141)	Mr. Ramesh Sanghvi (S197)

Sd/xxxxxxxxxxx

Lt Col Abhay Sharma (Retd),

CEO & Secretary

28th August, 2025

Proposed by: Past President – **Mr. Chandu Borde**
Seconded by: Member – **Mr. Ramesh Sanghvi**



Dear Members,

Season's greetings to you and your family.

As a proud third-generation member of The Poona Club, I am seeking re-election to the Managing Committee in the forthcoming elections. I hold a postgraduate degree in Marketing, am a professional realtor by vocation, and above all, a passionate sports enthusiast dedicated to the growth and progress of our Club.

Since September 2023, I have had the privilege of serving as **Sports Chairman (2023–2025)**, while also contributing actively across all sub-committees.

Over the past two years, I have devoted countless hours with sincerity, making the Club my priority — strengthening our sporting culture, being available for members, and building platforms that encourage competition, learning, and growth through sport.

Milestones Achieved (2023–25) – (Strengthening Sports, Culture & Community)

- **Sports Development:** Introduced and executed new leagues & tournaments – Swimming, Pickleball, E-Sports, Gully Cricket, Fitness League, Football, Racquet League, Snooker, Tennis & Inter-Club events.
- **Major Sports Events:** **Swimming League** (May 2023, 2024 & 2025), **Pickleball Tournament** (March 2025) & **E-Sports League** (Aug 2024), **Gully Cricket League** (Sept 2024), **Fitness League** (Aug 2023), **Club Cricket League** (Nov 2024 & Apr 2025), **Football League** (Feb 2023, Dec 2024 & Dec 2025), **Racquet League** (May 2025), **Pune City Marathon 2024 & 2025**, **PGTI Golf tournament** (Nov 2024) & **Pune Squash Open** (May 2024)
- **Infrastructure Upgrades:** Secured capital budgets for world-class facilities – redevelopment of the cricket ground, refurbished snooker room, new pickleball courts, a 3-lane 25m training pool, and modernized changing rooms at the gym & swimming pool.
- **Professional Coaching:** Enabled structured coaching for ladies' cricket, football, rhythmic gymnastics, parkour, medical yoga, swimming, pickleball & snooker.
- **Ballot Committee:** Streamlined induction of new members with a transparent & efficient process.
- **Entertainment & Culture:** Successfully delivered marquee events including concerts (Vishal Shekhar & Abhijeet Sawant), festivals, plays (Jaya, Rumiya, Mohan Ka Masala), bar nights, and themed celebrations (Diwali & Christmas Kids' Parties, Halloween Party, Women's Day Celebration, Wine & Cheese Festival) to enhance community engagement.
- **Club Staff Welfare:** Organized annual staff events, tournaments, and cultural programs to build camaraderie and belonging.

My vision for our Club is to nurture it into a vibrant, world-class home for sports, culture, and community — a place where every member feels proud to belong. I am deeply committed to seeing Poona Club stand as a true benchmark of excellence.

I now humbly seek your vote and support for re-election to the Managing Committee, so I may continue to **protect member interests, fight for what truly matters, and dedicate myself fully** to the progress of our beloved Club.

“For World-Class Sports, For Our Club's Future”

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Physical Voting: 10:00 AM – 9:00 PM, Saturday 27th September 2025.

Tushar Aswani
Membership No: A-269

Adv. ANIL VISHWANATH AUSEKAR (A357)

“Legal expertise and unwavering commitment to establish a transparent, accountable and legally sound framework to protect club's interests on all fronts.”

Proposed by
Prakash Mutyal (M596)

Seconded by
Ambar Hiranman Pawar (P498)



Academic Profile

B.A., LL.B.
Practicing Advocate

Familial Information

Late Father - Freedom Fighter & Prominent Doctor in Latur
Late Elder Brother did his medical education from Moscow (Russia) & was a leading Chemotherapist at Siddheshwar Cancer Hospital in Solapur

Spouse Mrs. Surekha Ausekar is a member of the club, and has leading participation in club activities. She is a winner of various events at the club.

Younger brother Adv. D.V. Ausekar is a leading lawyer in latur.

Proven Legal Career

Practicing lawyer for more than 40 years.

Personal Attributes

Sharp Legal Mind
Sports enthusiast
Special Focus Health

Contribution for the Club

Co-opted Member of Legal Sub Committee since 2018. During this tenure played a major role, in streamlining the legal processes, especially in reducing the exorbitant fees of consulting lawyers, thus benefitting the club.

Active participation in Gymkhana Activities Special Emphasis on Weight Lifting & Athletics Participation & winner of many sports events

My Dear Fellow Members,

I, (Anil Vishwanath Ausekar) am the member of Poona Club and declare my candidacy for the forthcoming committee elections of our club for the year 2025

A Vision for Our Club:

As a prominent lawyer and a dedicated sports enthusiast, I am committed to bringing a fresh perspective to our management committee. My vision is to create a more transparent, legally sound, and health-conscious community for everyone.

Legal and Governance:

My legal background will be instrumental in ensuring the club operations with the utmost integrity and in full compliance with all laws. I will focus on the following

Protecting our assets: I will conduct a thorough review of our existing contracts and agreements, identifying and mitigating any legal risks to protect the club's financial and physical assets.

Ensuring fairness and transparency: I will champion the creation of clear, legally sound bylaws and a fair dispute resolution process, ensuring every member's voice is heard and every decision is made with integrity.

Enhancing accountability: I will work to implement strong governance practices that hold the committee accountable to its members, preventing mismanagement and building trust.

Maintaining Time line: To ensure success, every project will be executed with full transparency, strict timelines, and ethical processes.

Legal Lectures : As a part of the Managing Committee, I will lead the effort to organize legal lectures, featuring prominent legal authorities, to provide valuable knowledge for our members.

Team Spirit: I'll fully cooperate with the President, Vice President, and Managing Committee on all valid issues that benefit the club and its members for the betterment of the club.

Service Orientation: I will also make a special effort to optimize staff services.

Launch new health programs: I will spearhead initiatives like regular health check-up camps, yoga and meditation classes, and sports tournaments to encourage an active lifestyle for all age groups.

Improve sports facilities: I will work to upgrade our sports infrastructure to a safe and excellent standards, ensuring our facilities are also accessible to everyone.

I am confident that by combining my legal acumen with my passion for health and sports, I can help build a stronger, healthier, and more vibrant community for all of us.

I humbly request all the members to support me in the forthcoming committee elections by putting an assent against my resolution.

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Adv. ANIL AUSEKAR

UMESH KUMAR AGRAWAL I.F.S.

"YOUR VOICE, YOUR REPRESENTATION."

Proposed by: Mr. Ramesh Sanghvi (S-197)

Seconded by: Mr. Prabhakar Deshmukh I.A.S. (D-379)



Key Contributions & Positions Held

Governance Reforms & Transparency:

- Led Maharashtra's Forest Department as Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), overseeing ~32,000 personnel and multi-wing operations.
- Introduced e-auction of timber/bamboo all over the state to increase participation and bolster department's revenue.
- Strengthened monitoring and accountability systems while investigating economic offences during my tenure as Joint Director, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Mumbai.

Progressive Policy Initiatives:

- Spearheaded the 50-Crore Plantation Mission (2017–2019), with 33 crore saplings in a single monsoon—one of the largest community green drives.
- Revived Maharashtra State Farming Corporation (MSFC) from a sick PSU to operational profit through restructuring and new revenue streams.
- Boosted outreach and revenue at FDCM through policy upgrades and transparent sales systems.

Open & Accountable Systems:

- Negotiated an NCDEX tie-up enabling online Agri-commodity sales from warehouses—uplifting farmer earnings by enabling transparent price discovery mechanism.
- Advocated digital dashboards, scheduled audits, and member-facing reporting for better governance.

Positions held:

- Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Maharashtra (2018–2019).
- Managing Director, Forest Development Corporation of Maharashtra (2016–2018).
- Managing Director, Maharashtra State Farming Corporation (2010–2016).
- Joint Managing Director, Maharashtra State Warehousing Corporation (2007–2009).
- Joint Director, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Mumbai (2004–2007).
- Chairman of various State Level Committees viz State Eco-Development Board, Bamboo Development Board, Wood-Based Industries Committee, CAMPA, Working Plan Committee etc.

My Dear Fellow Members, Greetings of the Day!

For over two decades, Poona Club has been my second home. It is here that I have grown, learned, and built friendships that I cherish deeply. Our shared values of courtesy, camaraderie, and excellence have shaped me both personally and professionally. I am proud of this journey, grateful for the support of seniors and peers, and inspired to give back. With your trust, I will work to ensure our Club continues to be a place where every member feels welcome, heard, and proud to belong.

My Background, New Initiatives & Vision Forward-

Professional & Personal Background:

- 36+ years in senior leadership across Government, culminating as PCCF (Head of Forest Force), Maharashtra State.
- Educational Qualifications: M.Sc., AIFC, PGDM, MBA.
- Expertise: governance, policy, large-team leadership, sustainability, and public systems.
- International exposure: training in forest management at Maxwell School, Syracuse University (USA).

Vision Forward:

- Embed transparency and fairness across Club operations—clear processes, timely communication, and proactive grievance resolution.
- Foster inclusive participation—regular open-house forums, member councils, and data-backed decision making.
- Champion sustainability—native landscaping, waste segregation, and energy-efficient operations.

New Initiatives in mind:

- Launch a "Green Club Initiative" leveraging community tree-planting and biodiversity enhancement on and around Club premises.
- Establish a Member Feedback & Service Charter with response timelines and periodic public reporting.
- Create a Digital Helpdesk for concierge services, facility bookings, and event updates.

"Your single vote can strengthen our collective voice – I humbly seek your support."

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Shardul Singh Prithwiraj Bayas (Membership No. B364)

Proposed by: Shri Vijaykumar Govind Tamhane

Seconded by: Shri Dilip Sanghvi

Dear Members,



It is an honor to present my candidature for the Managing Committee of the Poona Club. Having been associated with the Club since childhood, I understand the role it plays as a meeting point for sport, culture, and community. I wish to contribute to its future with commitment, transparency, and a member-first approach.

Background & Family Legacy

Father: Prithwiraj Mohan Singh Bayas, IAS (Retd), ex-President, Poona Region Bridge Association and member at The Poona Club for more than 35 years. Co-opted in the Legal Sub-Committee of The Poona Club. (Membership No. B198).

Grandfather: Indian Police Service (IPS), distinguished law enforcement service, **Great-grandfather:** British-era police officer, Family legacy of discipline and civic duty

Wife: Nehha Pendse, an acclaimed actress known for her work in Marathi and Hindi cinema. Main lead in Popular TV shows like “*May I Come In Madam*” and “*Bhabiji Ghar Par Hain*”, *Filmfare Awarded* for Best Actress for the Marathi film “*June*”.

Brother: Shatrughnasingh Bayas (ex-NDA), served in the 13th Armored Corps along the Indo-Pak border; currently Managing Director at Morgan Stanley, Asia Region.

Brother-in-law: Sanjay Kumar Verma, Director General in Police, Maharashtra; Special in-charge DGP of the **2025 Maharashtra State Assembly Elections**

1st Cousins: Praveen Singh Pardesi: IAS (Retd), (a) Chief Economic Advisor (2025) to the Hon'ble C.M., as Minister of State, Maharashtra Government, (b) Former Municipal Commissioner, Mumbai (c) CEO, MITRA (Maharashtra Institution for Transformation) and (d) Chairman, Mumbai Heritage Committee (e) Awarded for city's Transformation as Municipal Commissioner, Pune & PCMC. (f) All-India IAS Topper, 1985 batch.

Education & Professional Track

- 5 yr. Apprentice under Ex- Chief Justice of India, H.H. Shri D.Y. Chandrachud
- L.L.M from Wharton School and University of Pennsylvania Carey Law School, Diploma, certification at Harvard Law School, UK
- B.A. LL.B. from GLC (Government Law College), Mumbai
- Ranked 2nd in the Mumbai University.
- Schooling and Higher Education from St. Vincent's and Wadia College, Pune.

Founded and professionally led ventures successfully across different fields;

- 1000 crore valuation, proposed IPO 2025. **‘Kissht’ specializing in Digital Lending Finance.**
- **Advertising:** India's largest digital out-of-home advertising network under the brand “**Supri Advertising**”
- **Film production:** including the National Award-winning film “**June**” and others.
- **Hospitality:** Award winning Chain of restaurants brand “**Nawab Asia**”, Pune.

Vision & The Mission for Poona Club;

- **Member Satisfaction.**
- **Innovation & Growth.**
- **Fiscal Integrity.**
- **Transparency & Accountability.**

With humility, I seek your support to serve our community and help lead the Poona Club towards a transparent, inclusive, and progressive future.

Warm regards,

Shardul Singh Prithwiraj Bayas

MANISH DILIP MEHTA (M-437)

Proposed by-

Mr. Vijaykumar G. Tamhane (T-141)

Seconded by-

Mr. Manish V. Jain (J-134)

"I have Promises to keep and miles to go before I sleep, and miles to go before I sleep..."



My Dear Fellow Members, Greetings of the Day!

For 33 years, our Club has been my second home and extended family. Guided by the belief that *"it's not the role but the goal that matters,"* and with the support of seniors and colleagues, I have contributed across diverse avenues of the Club. These experiences have enriched me with the confidence and vision to lead.

"Let me be the channel that transforms your vision into our reality."

Key Contributions & Positions Held	My Background, New Initiatives & Vision Forward
<p>Over the years, I have strived to bring lasting, positive changes to our Club. As Ballot Chairman, I implemented the following key reforms:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Membership Reforms & Transparency:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Streamlined induction process for fairness and efficiency.Invited applications for new Permanent Members (FY 2023–25), ensuring inclusivity.➤ Progressive Policy Changes:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Led amendments to Articles of Association & Bye-Laws.Extended the age limit for members' children from 28 to 30 years, ensuring fairer opportunities for the next generation while also helping club members save on additional membership costs.➤ Open & Accountable Systems:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Introduced Open House selection of Permanent Members, a transparent and democratic process appreciated by all.➤ Past Work & Roles as Chairman:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Sports (2008–2014, 2016–2017, 2020–2021)Systems (2011–2012)Purchase (2009–2011)Ballot (2017–2021, 2023–2025)➤ As part of the following committees:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Main Club Upgradation Committee (2017–2025)Scrutiny Committee (2017–2021), (2023 -- 2025)➤ As Secretary:<ul style="list-style-type: none">Jogging Track, Yoga, Swimming, Health Club, Football, Basketball.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Professional & Personal Background<ul style="list-style-type: none">13 years as a Committee Member with deep insight into Club operations and member needs.Professional expertise in Real Estate, Renewable Energy, and Wellness.Co-founder of <i>Lakshya</i>, dedicated to creating Olympians and nurturing sporting talent.Member of Royal Wester India Turf Club Ltd. and former Chairman of Round Table India (PMRT 65),➤ Vision Forward:<p>If elected with your trust and support, I will:</p><ul style="list-style-type: none">Continue to strengthen transparency and fairness in all Club processes.Enhance jogging track and fitness facilities, ensuring the Club remains a hub of health and recreation.Foster a more inclusive environment where every member feels valued, respected, and heard.Build on our shared achievements to create a Club that not only preserves its rich heritage but also evolves for future generations.➤ New Initiatives:<ul style="list-style-type: none">I was instrumental in organizing the International Yoga Day being a yearly club event, thereby bringing members together for wellness & harmonySuccessfully secured a sanction of ₹40 lakhs for new equipment and ₹55 lakhs for the renovation of our health club.

I stand before you humbly, seeking your vote and support in the upcoming Managing Committee elections 2025 to continue serving our Club and its members. **Your Vote Matters!!**

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Gratitude and Regards,

Manish Dilip Mehta.

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Dear Member,

I, **Kedar Suresh Nadgonde (Membership No: N-144)**, a proud third-generation member of **The Poona Club Ltd.**, with the gracious support of my proposer **Mr. Chandu Borde** and seconder **Mr. Ramesh Sanghvi**, humbly submit my candidature for the **Managing Committee Elections – September 2025**.



☐ **My Sporting Journey & Contributions**

- Represented **India in Racketlon**, winning **6 international medals**, including **1 Gold**.
- Began sporting career in Kolhapur as a **badminton player & captain** at district, state, and quasi-state levels for 18 years
- Served **2 tenures as Hon. Secretary, Kolhapur District Badminton Association**.
- Severed for **2 Years as Committee Member for Badminton Inter-School Selection Committee**, Maharashtra.
- Was **Head Coach for 4 Years at NKBA, Balewadi**, run by **Badminton Olympian Nikhil Kanetkar**.
- Winner of the prestigious **Poona club Racquet League 3 times**, winner of **Bronze Medal** at Poona Club Tennis Tournament 2025, a regular Participant of the Poona Club Cricket League.
- Worked as a **part of organising committee** for Badminton & Tennis Weekend Tournaments in **Poona Club** for the members.

☐ **Family Legacy & Personal Values**

- I Belong to a family deeply committed to **sports, education, and social welfare**.
- I Strongly believe in carrying forward this tradition through **service, discipline, and excellence**.

☐ **My Vision for Poona Club Ltd**

- **Enhanced Support for Sports & Talent**
Structured programs to nurture emerging talent from within our member families.
- **Inclusive & Vibrant Club Life**
A thoughtfully curated calendar of sports & cultural designed for all age groups.
- **Heritage with Progress**
Preserving the club's legacy while embracing innovation,.
- **Transparent & Member-Friendly Practices**
Financial and administrative practices that ensure accountability, and fairness.

☐ **Professional Background**

- Founder of a **Financial & Investing Firm**, Mentoring on investments & wealth growth since 2016
- Co-owner of **construction & retail businesses** in Pune & Kolhapur since 15 years

☐ **My Commitment**

Your vote is **your voice in Reshaping the future of our club**. I humbly seek your **support, suggestions, and your valuable vote**.

Proposer – Mr. Chandu Borde

Padma Vibhushan| Ex-Captain & Manager, Indian Cricket Team| Ex-President ,Poona Club

Seconder – Mr. Ramesh Sanghvi

Founding Member, Poona Club Sunrise Breakfast Group | Respected Senior Member of Poona Club

Yours sincerely,

Kedar Suresh Nadgonde (Mobile :+91-9881071669/Email : nadgonde.kedar@gmail.com)

Dear Fellow Members,

It is with great enthusiasm and a deep sense of commitment that I stand once again for the position of Committee Member of our Club.

Having been a life member since 1988, this Club has been an integral part of my life for almost 4 decades not just as a space for recreation, but as a community I truly care about.

Professionally, I have been practicing Architecture since 1987, bringing over 38 years of experience in designing and managing projects of varying scales and complexities.



My journey with Poona Club's administration began in 2018, when I had the honour of being elected to the committee and served two successive terms as the Chairman of the Building Committee from 2018 - 22. During this time, I had the opportunity to lead, coordinate, and oversee several critical infrastructural improvements always aiming to enhance the quality and functionality of the Club while preserving its Heritage and Legacy.

After my tenure, I was entrusted with the role of the Club's appointed Architect for the Upgradation Project. This ongoing involvement has kept me deeply connected with the evolving needs of the Club, while also allowing me to engage closely with various stakeholders to plan and implement it meaningfully.

With this wealth of institutional knowledge and a practical, hands-on understanding of both the operational and architectural aspects of the Club, I believe I can bring both continuity and fresh insight to the table.

If elected, I will strive to serve as a proactive and responsive Committee Member, one who listens, collaborates, and contributes with a balanced perspective, guided by the club's long term vision.

I seek your support to represent you once again to help shape the future of our beloved Club.

Warm regards,
Ar. Richard Pereira

Proposed by -
Mr Dilip Sanghvi S-006
Seconded by -
Mr Rajkumar P Shewani S-473

ROHAN VIJAY PUSALKAR



Dear Members,

My heartiest greetings to you! I am a third generation Poona Club member, a national level sportsman in my time, a technocrat & a business-owner.

- ◆ Successfully run a large manufacturing company, (Defense & Automotive).
- ◆ Promoter of award-winning GOLD'S GYMS & Founder of India's 1st Gym Owners' federation.
- ◆ Music is a passion and I run two non-profit foundations.
- ◆ PCL Managing Committee Member (2013-2019 & 2022-2024). Chairman of Systems, House, Law & Sports. Active member of Entertainment & Purchase committees.
- ◆ Result-oriented, Club-centric & focused on service, digitization & member convenience.

MY CONTRIBUTION AS A MANAGING COMMITTEE MEMBER (2013-2019 & 2022-24):

SYSTEMS

- Organised & Implemented the **e-voting facility** for Member' convenience.
- Created & laid the foundation of our Club's **E-commerce and Smartphone App**.
- Completely **overhauled the Wi-Fi system** & introduced a **fresh new Club website**.
- Improved **CCTV coverage, turnstiles and face-recognition I.P. cameras**.
- **Initiated DATA DIGITIZATION** process of the entire Club Documentation & records.
- Initiated and implemented a **BUDGET MONITORING process** for Club Management.
- Implemented a **new software for PAYROLL & HR** eliminating human error.
- Implemented the "**ACADWARE**" **Sports App** across most sports. **No cost to Club**.
- A **new, improved and member friendly CLUB MANAGEMENT SYSTEM** to be implemented. Many **new features and facilities enhancing member experience** will be added once implemented.

SPORTS

- **Introduced new programs including Football, Pilates and more.**
- **Helped introduce** the super-hit **PCPL & the Poona Club Racquet League**.
- Got the **Squash Courts a complete makeover of international standing**.
- With my expertise, I have offered to **create a world-class new Gym for our Club**.

HOUSE & LAW

- **Presided & successfully resolved** many key member related matters.
- **Accelerated and considerably reduced the legal matters** and cases of our Club.
- **Led the task of** introducing **improvements and changes in Articles & Byelaws**.

I look forward to strengthening & improving many initiatives & services at the Club as a Managing Committee Member. **I will continue to focus on accountability, efficiency and on ideas and initiatives that will enhance member experience.** I am contesting elections for our Club's **Managing Committee** and I solicit your support and vote in my favour.

Proposed by: Mr. Kumar Tamhane (T-141)

Seconded by: Mr. Jaideep Patwardhan (P-383)

Thanking you.

Sincerely,

Rohan Pusalkar (P - 233)



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AMIT DINESH PARMAR

Proposed By

Mr. Jehangir Dorabjee

Seconded By

Mr. Dilip Band



Dear Member,

As a proud member of Poona Club, it gives me immense pleasure to once again submit myself as a candidate for the Managing Committee of The Poona Club Ltd. for the upcoming elections of 2025.

I have completed my post-graduation in Construction Management and Technology from the University of Houston, Texas in 2002 after completing my BE Civil from Bharathi Vidyapeeth, Pune. My family has been in the construction business in Pune for the past 30 years, and I joined the family business soon after completing my degree. I also manage family-owned vacation homes and farmhouses.

My parents have been members of our prestigious club for over three decades, and the club is like a second home to me. Being sports enthusiasts, my wife and I regularly utilise several club facilities. I have served on the Managing Committee of India's most reputed public organisation Credai Pune Metro. Using the knowledge and experience I have gained, I have also actively contributed to both the Entertainment and the Law Sub- Committee of our club. I was the head of the committee that organised an All-India Badminton Tournament at the PDMBA Sports Complex, Pune, where I successfully secured sponsorships and participation from international players.

With my professional experience and knowledge, I am committed to contributing to the welfare of our members with sincerity, honesty, and dedication. I humbly request your support in the upcoming elections.

During my tenure from 2022–24:

- I successfully completed 2 years as Building Chairman and was part of the Upgradation Committee.
- I contributed towards implementing solar infrastructure for the club and golf course, resulting in significant cost savings on electricity bills.
- The golf course patio area was covered and put to great use during this period.
- I was also actively involved in the Ballot, Purchase, Legal, Staffing, and Entertainment Sub-Committees.

My vision for the future

- Ensure complete transparency in all Managing Committee decisions.
- Follow a holistic, member-centric approach towards decision-making, ensuring prudent and responsible use of club funds.
- Push for the new building permission to create "Need of the hour" facilities, including:
 - A modern health club
 - An additional badminton court
 - A better Table Tennis room
 - An extended Snooker and Billiards room
 - Nicely appointed rooms designed to blend with our club's heritage aesthetics

Yours sincerely

AMIT DINESH PARMAR (P-402)

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Shailesh Fatechand Ranka (R-215)

“To be consistent in continuing the legacy of change in persevering the heritage and club culture.”

Proposed by :

Mr. Vijaykumar G. Tamhane (T-141)

Seconded by :

Mr. Ramesh Sanghvi (S-197)



KEY CONTRIBUTORS & POSITIONS HELD

RACE DIRECTOR PUNE CITY MARATHON

Organised and executed Pune's largest Half City Marathon for a social cause in 2023 & 2024 with 15000 participants

CHAIRMAN

Law Committee 2023-2024 :
Established a robust liaisoning relationship with government officers, advisors & consultants to clear as many cases as possible at the earliest, resulting in couple of withdrawals, favourable disposals & interim reliefs in cases for the club.

CHAIRMAN

System Committee 2024-2025 :
Introduced face recognition and registration for members and guest entering the club

CHAIRMAN

Bar Committee 2024-2025 :
Restructured and organised our liquor purchase systems and negotiated deals to increase revenue of the club with exclusive offers on alcohol to the members of the club.

SECRETARY

Brahm (The Cedar Oak Café)

Renegotiated the agreement with Brahm keeping the interest of our club intact and increasing the revenue of our club by three times.

My Dear Fellow Members,

I **Shailesh Fatechand Ranka** wish to offer my candidature for the upcoming committee elections for the year 2025 of our prestigious club.

- I am an entrepreneur with strong interpersonal skills and visionary leadership to align and lead the team with strategic agility building organisational capabilities, motivated to help businesses, organisations and institutions focus on results.
- I am an athlete who has successfully completed marathons, Ironman, 70.3 Ironman and T100, targeting to achieve higher goals in the world of sports.
- I have been blessed to have an inclination towards religious and cultural activities keeping our traditions alive.

PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES

- Authentic value-based leadership
- Operations with productive impatience
- Building lasting relationships via transparency and directness
- Courage to make and communicate complex decisions
- Understand the power of technology
- Negotiation skills

ACADEMIC PROFILE

- Harvard Business School (Boston - USA)
Executive Education - Owner President Management Programme | 2016-2018
- University of Manchester Institute of Science and Technology (Manchester - UK)
MSc in International Business and Management | 2002-2003
- Symbiosis College of Arts & Commerce (Pune-India) Bachelors in Commerce | 1996-2001

BUSINESS

- Ranka Jewellers Pvt. Ltd. - Director
- H2e Inc (USA) - (Fuel Cell Technology) Angel Investor
- Rcube Energy Storage System Pvt. Ltd.- Founder / Director
- Blue Box Media (UAE / Saudi Arabia) - Founder / Board Member

INSTITUTIONS SERVED / MEMBERS

- Pune Saraf Association - Editor (Suvarna Patra)
- Laxmi Road Jewellers Group - Secretary
- Member- Royal Western India Turf Club Ltd.

I humbly request you to support me for the upcoming committee elections.

Remote E- voting starts on Wednesday 24th Sept. 2025 to Friday 26th Sept. 2025.

Physical voting on Saturday 27th Sept. 2025

SHAILESH RANKA