



**Scottish Cyclists' Union
(SC261263)
2025 Annual General Meeting**

**Director of Scottish Cyclists' Union
NOMINATION FORM**

Each nomination must be submitted by an affiliated Club or Association and signed by two officials. Nominations should be submitted by 20 September 2025.

Name of Club/Association: Glasgow Gals Cycling Club

Name of Nominee: Mari Everett

Position(s) held in Club/Association, with relevant dates for each post (if applicable): Club Membership Secretary since 2017 - 2023; Club Secretary since 2021 -2023; Club member since 2023

Number of years a member of Scottish/British Cycling (if applicable):11 years

Home address of nominee: [REDACTED]

Postcode: [REDACTED]

Landline number: [REDACTED]

Mobile: [REDACTED]

E-mail: [REDACTED]

Signature of nominee [REDACTED]

Proposed by (name of official/position held in Club/Association):

Signature of proposer: Liz Fairweather; Chair Glasgow Gals Cycling Club

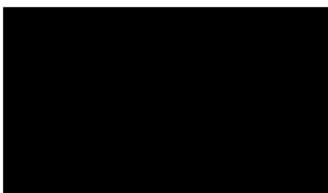
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Seconded by (name of official/position held in Club/Association):

Signature of seconder: Alison Farrel, Social Convener, Glasgow Gals Cycling Club



Please list all companies that the nominee has been a director of in the past 5 years, if applicable.

Company Name	Company Registration Number
Scottish Cyclists' Union	SC261263

Please list all relevant experiences/skills/education/training for the role as a director with Scottish Cycling (e.g. what would the nominee bring to the Board, reasons for wishing to volunteer etc.)
300 words maximum.

I really enjoyed being a director of Scottish Cycling over the past 3 years and am delighted to stand for a second term. I feel I have learnt so much and I am now in a strong positive to contribute to the Board in general and to continue add value to the Finance and Governance Committee in particular.

I am a qualified accountant with many years experience with local authorities and I am now the Chief Financial Officer and Company Secretary of a charity of a similar size to Scottish Cycling. I bring significant experience of due diligence, grant compliance, risk management and grant reporting and this puts me in a strong position to provide an enhanced level of support and constructive challenge to the Senior Leadership Team at Scottish Cycling.

Prior to being appointed to the Scottish Cycling Board I was on the Committee of Glasgow Gals Cycling Club over the period when the club membership rose substantially and was previously directly involved in Glasgow Riderz, where my sons were members and where my husband coached. Both these clubs offers models of how to increase equality and diversity of participation in the sport of cycling. I remain passionate about representing the perspective of members of all ages, backgrounds and abilities.

I am first and foremost a fan of the sport and a frequent volunteer at events across various disciplines. I am a qualified Regional B Road Commissionaire and that role takes me to races where I witness the work that goes into organising events, the number of people involved and the welcoming and supportive atmosphere that they generate.

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Please provide a policy statement for the nominee (i.e. what would the nominee hope to achieve in their time as a Director).

300 words maximum.

Through my experience with my own club and as a commissaire, I have a deep understanding of the commitments volunteers make to our sport in Scotland. If re-elected to the Board, I would continue to champion the role of volunteers and keep their needs and aspirations at the forefront of discussions on initiatives and policies. I know it is not always easy being a Scottish Cycling club, systems and procedures can feel like obstacles. Equally, I am aware that Scottish Cycling are having to constantly balance finite resources against all the demands we place on it.

Cycling keeps me sane and helps me maintain a moderate level of physical fitness. Doing this through a Scottish Cycling club has brought me friendship, the opportunity to learn new skills and the encouragement and inspiration to push my cycling further than I ever thought I would. Our club members reflect the growing interest in cycling as primarily a leisure activity to improve physical and mental wellbeing. I believe in a participation sport that encompasses everyone from the highest performers to mums, dads and grannies who inspire others to ride their bikes. As a Director, I would hope to support clubs to provide a safe environments, to attract a wide variety of members and for them to offer opportunities, activities and events that will help each member develop their cycling to whatever level that takes them.

Important Information

Scottish Cycling is committed to recruiting Directors solely on the basis of their ability to undertake the role for which they are being recruited and welcome applications from all sections of the community.

Successful candidates will be required to declare any potential conflicts of interest in the form of a Conflict-of-Interest form.

All submitted data will be processed in accordance with Scottish Cycling's Data Protection Policy

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