



## MEDIA RELEASE

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### ROWERS CLUB ANNOUNCES NEW SECRETARY MANAGER

Mrs Lyndal Talarico has been announced as the new Secretary Manager for Rowers on Cooks River, officially taking up her new role on Wednesday 29 March 2017.

Club President, Stephen Irons, said, "It has been an intensive and long process to select a candidate. From around 40 applications, three went to the final interview, and Lyndal was outstanding during that process."

Stephen said that members' patience during the selection process has been very supportive.

"The Board of Directors were looking for someone who could drive the business forward while creating a superior organisational culture in which our staff can perform to their best," said Stephen.

"We are proud that Lyndal has decided to join the team in a full-time capacity, and appreciate her efforts during the past few months in the Acting Secretary Manager role."

A long-time resident of the area, Lyndal was originally employed at the Club as Operations Manager in 2015, and stepped into the Acting Secretary Manager role in December 2016. She has a long history in food and beverage roles, including running her own tapas bar in St Peters and organising events for Starship Sydney, The Pontoon, and Yowie Bay Yacht Club.

Lyndal's innovative beer, wine and cocktail selections have had an instant impact of member visitation. Membership is at an all-time high of over 2,500 people, and Lyndal continues to attract staff to the Club who are supportive of a positive service culture.

Stephen Irons  
President  
St George Rowing Club