



## BWFCST 2023 BOARD ELECTION NOMINATION FORM

### CANDIDATE'S DETAILS

Full Name: .....

Address: .....

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Contact email: .....

Contact tel: ..... Date of Birth: .....

Please briefly state your occupation, qualifications, key skills and personal connection with BWFC:

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Please note that the above will NOT be considered to be your Election Statement, which should be submitted as a separate document in line with the BWFCST Election Policy.

### CANDIDATE'S DECLARATION

I, the undersigned, confirm that I wish to stand for election as a director of the Bolton Wanderers Supporters' Society Ltd. I also agree to abide by the terms and the spirit of the BWFCST Election Policy and the Model Rules, and I certify that the information given in this form and in any supporting documents is accurate and correct.

**Signed:** ..... **Date:** .....



## NOMINATORS DETAILS

**CANDIDATE'S NAME:** .....

We, the undersigned, agree to nominate the above named candidate for election to the board of the Bolton Wanderers Supporters' Society board. We confirm that we are full and current members of the trust and that our registration will be checked and validated.

Name	Email Address	Signature	Date

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The candidate's nomination form shall include a **minimum of two and a maximum of six nominators** who are required to supply details as above. Each nominator shall be a current full member of the BWFCST at the date of signature.

**IMPORTANT – DATA PROTECTION ACT 1998**

In completing and returning this form, you authorise BWFCST to process the personal data that you have provided for the sole purpose of administering an election to the board of BWFCST in accordance with the rules of the trust. The Data Controllers will ensure that the data you provide is processed and protected in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998 and the BWFCST Data Protection Policy. The data will only be disclosed to those authorised to receive it for the stated purpose.



# 2023 BWFCST Board Election Nomination Form

## General Notes

To complete the form, please ensure that you provide the following:

- your details (page 1)
- details of your nominators (page 2)
- an election address (separate document – please see template on page 4);
- a digital photograph of yourself (a head and shoulders close-up, in colour, taken in the last month). Please send this by e-mail to [emg@bwfcst.co.uk](mailto:emg@bwfcst.co.uk) clearly marked as “BWFCST Election”

## Guidance Notes

1. Every eligible BWFCST member has the opportunity to stand for election to the trust board. They must be aged 16 years or over and a member of the trust on the date the nomination form is submitted.
2. By submitting a nomination, candidates will be deemed to have accepted the BWFCST Election Policy, the BWFCST Model Rules, and any other policies and rules adopted by the trust board and the membership and agreed to be bound by them.
3. Candidates wishing to stand for election to the BWFCST board are required to produce an election address of between four hundred and one thousand (400-1,000) words, either on this form or on a separate sheet of paper. The election address should be typed or word-processed and should be emailed with the candidate’s nomination. Election addresses will be published and circulated to all members along with ballot papers if a ballot is required.
4. The election address should describe why you feel you should be elected to serve on the BWFCST board.
5. Any address longer than 1,000 words will be truncated by the directors and the following comment added: "The candidate’s election address has exceeded the permitted one thousand words and has therefore been truncated".
6. Candidates should also submit a photograph for publication with their statement.
7. The election address must not include threats, insults, derogatory, abusive, racist, sexist, or homophobic remarks or references to other candidates. Any comments deemed to fall under the above will be removed and replaced by a comment explaining the removal.
8. In agreeing to be nominated, you agree to indemnify the trust for the cost of meeting any liability of the trust that may arise as a result of the content of your election address.
9. Completed nomination forms, including election addresses, should be emailed to [emg@bwfcst.co.uk](mailto:emg@bwfcst.co.uk). Envelopes should be clearly marked "BWFCST Election". Your Candidate Statement address can be e-mailed separately to [emg@bwfcst.co.uk](mailto:emg@bwfcst.co.uk).
10. If a candidate is unable to obtain the original signatures of all the nominators on the nomination form, the candidate may return the form unsigned by some or all of the nominators but showing instead the e-mail address of the nominator(s) as recorded against that member’s details on the trust’s membership database. The nomination will be considered valid upon receipt of an e-mail by the EMG from that email address confirming the nomination. The e-mail should include that member’s name and postal address.
11. E-mails to the trust in connection with the completion or return of nomination forms should be sent to [emg@bwfcst.co.uk](mailto:emg@bwfcst.co.uk) and copied to [enquiries@bwfcst.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@bwfcst.co.uk).

**The closing date for receipt of nominations is 5pm on Monday 27 March 2023.**

Voting will be open from Thursday 06 April 2023 and will close on Friday 21 April 2023. Election results will be published on Friday 28 April 2023



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Signed:..... Date: .....

