



# PERSON MAKING REQUEST

REQUEST

TO VALE ASHES AT PUNT ROAD OVAL

Name:	. Contact Number:
Email address:	

# **NEXT OF KIN DETAILS**

Mr Mrs Miss Other - Please specify:		
First name:	Second name:	
Address:		
State: Postcode:	Contact Number:	
Email address:		

# DETAILS OF DECEASED

Mr Mrs Miss Other - Please specify:	
First name:	Second name:
Surname:	Richmond Bequest Society Member:
Date of birth: / Date of death: /	/

# PREFERRED LOCATION

#### PLEASE TICK DESIRED LOCATION

Punt Road Oval 🛛 – Curator to be available to prepare divot on boundary line in front of grandstand for interment of ashes		
Jack Dyer Statue 🗌 – The curator is not required to attend as scattering is allowed		
Preferred date to Vale Member Ashes: / / (Please note: This must be on a non-player schedule)		
Approval granted by History & Museum Sub-Committee on:		

# NUMBER OF PERSON/S ATTENDING CEREMONY:

ΝA	ME OF GUEST	CONTACT NUMBER	
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I wish to make a donation to the Club: Yes 🔲 No 🗍 \$			

Please note: Any donation proffered to the Club will be directed to the Richmond Football Club Museum.

#### **VALE ASHES**

If your family is considering scattering the ashes of your loved one at the Richmond Football Club, we would be happy to accommodate in any way we can to carry out your wish.

There are two sites here at Punt Road where you can conduct a 'Vale' ceremony. The first site is along the boundary line in front of the grand-stand and the second is the area surrounding the Jack Dyer statue.

The preferred method for the first site is that the grounds curator prepares a divot where the ashes may be interred. Following the ceremony the divot is repaired to the hole (note: the entire volume of ashes may not be able to be accommodated here). We would require the curator to be available on the required date in order for this to be done. This must occur prior to 2:45pm as the curator requires time to repair the divot before he leaves at 3:00pm.

At the second site we do not require the curator to prepare the ground as the ashes may be scattered directly around the area of the statue. A combination of both methods can also be requested. If the ceremony is to be conducted between Monday and Friday, we require that it cannot be held on a player scheduled training day (you will need to contact us to arrange a suitable date).

If considering a weekend it would need to be a scattering at the Jack Dyer statue site only. If it is during the football season, you would need to take into consideration any football matches scheduled at the MCG as there would be a large volume of pedestrian traffic at these times (mornings would be the preferred time).

If you could complete the attached form and return it to us at your earliest convenience, we can pass it on for approval by our Heritage Committee. This is a considered courtesy to obtain permission and allows us to maintain a record of all those passionate supporters whose ashes are scattered here at Punt Road Oval. This in turn establishes an eternal record of those persons which is to be held in the Club museum.

Donations are often proffered to the Club in this instance and any donation made will be directed to the Richmond Football Club Museum so it can continue in its efforts to create a lasting legacy for future generations.



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