



TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
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I have known Alison Nolan over the last few years in her role as Director of the Cauliflower Club and my involvement with Sargood on Collaroy.

By way of background, [Sargood on Collaroy](#) is a \$21M world-first resort, purpose-built for people living with a spinal cord injury on Sydney's Northern Beaches. The Centre provides people living with a spinal cord injury and their families with much needed respite, refreshment and learning that empowers them to live full and rewarding lives. My specific role is actually with the Sargood Foundation where I am both a director and Vice -Patron and my wife Liz is also a Director. The Foundation exists to support and resource the work of Sargood on Collaroy and it's guests.

The Cauliflower Club is a charity which embraces the values of Rugby Union through their members, sponsors, ambassadors and partners to help raise funds to provide sporting and recreational equipment to enhance the lives of those with a disability, with a bias towards sporting related injuries. We've had a close working relationship with the Club over many years and they have been instrumental in supporting the Sargood Foundation with funding much needed equipment. Alison's work ethic has been second to none during this time.

More recently the Cauliflower Club hosted a 20 year Rugby World Cup reunion. The event attracted over 600 people with all proceeds going to the Cauliflower Club. Alison was the key driver of the event which was highly successful and raised a significant amount of funds. Liz and I worked with Alison on the project and we were extremely impressed by her commitment to detail, calmness under pressure and determination to leave no stone unturned to get the job done without cutting corners. On the day she was quietly working behind the scenes to make sure it all went smoothly.

I have no hesitation in being a referee for Alison, please do not hesitate to contact me should you need further information.

Kind regards,

Rod Macqueen AM
Director and Vice-Patron

Empowering those impacted by a spinal cord injury to gain the confidence and skills to return to a full and rewarding life

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