

## The newly elected Slovensko Društvo Sydney committee for 2021

The Annual General Meeting of the Association was held on Sunday, 13th December. What a wonderful atmosphere of comradery and unity! The club hall was full of interested and loyal members of the club, who wished to thank the outgoing committee and wished the new committee/board all the best in their efforts to create a brighter future for the club.

The postal elections were overseen by the Returning Officer, Father Darko Žnidaršič, who was assisted by Mihela Šušteršič and Martha Magajna. These officers counted the votes and checked their validity.

As @ 13<sup>th</sup> December, there are 335 full and financial members and 61 unfinancial and Associate members (who were not eligible to vote).

115 members attended the AGM.

The final vote count for the **Office bearers** were:

- **PRESIDENT:** Mr. Anthony Tomažin - 230 votes.  
Mrs Terezija Matuš - 0 votes
- **VICE PRESIDENT:** Mr. Jože Lah - 224 votes.  
Mrs Terezija Matuš - 2 votes
- **TREASURER:** Mr Mark Stariha - 221 votes  
Mrs Terezija Matuš – 0 votes
- **SECRETARY:** Mrs. Olga Lah - 221 votes.  
Mrs Terezija Matuš – 0 votes

The successful candidates for the remaining **5 Ordinary Board vacancies** were:

- Mr. Alfred Brežnik, with 210 votes
- Mrs Lynn Pusenjak, with 191 votes
- Ms Tanja Resnik with, 177 votes
- Ms Mimi De Rooy with, 160 votes
- Mr. Vladimir Cheh, with 155 votes

Warm thanks to the members of the Slovene Association Sydney and the Slovenian community generally, for their strong support and loyalty at a challenging time for the club.

**V slogi je moč!**

**In unity there is strength!**