

# Queensland Racing Pigeon Federation Inc.

## Management Committee Meeting

1 June 2020

A meeting of the Management Committee was held on the above date in the Rod Hatherly Building.

**Opened: 7.30PM**

**Present: W Reese, L Vanderlinde, M Reynolds, C Porter, S Hodgson, J Profke, D Nester, M McCarthy, R Walker, B Mair and R Holloway.**

**Absence: R Stuckey**

**Minutes from the Management Committee meeting held 4 May 2020 were read by the President.**

Moved to accept as read true and correct by R Walker seconded M Reynolds. Carried.

Moved J Profke seconded C Porter that R Holloway is accepted as a member of the Management Committee. Carried.

### **Business Arising:**

- See general Business

### **Inwards correspondence:**

- A Reyes CHPC – application for membership. **Approved.**
- G Jenkins CHPC – application to use a Benzing ETS **Approved and sealed.**
- R Holloway NCPC - application for membership **Approved.**
- Sajid Ahmadi LCPC – application for membership and to use ETS (not sealed) **Approved subject to sealing.**
- Harvey Hull LCPC – application for membership **Approved.**
- Shane Smith NCPC – application for membership **Approved.**
- M Van Roosmalen LCPC – request to roll over membership to next year **Approved.**
- P Hawkins NCPC – list of members and their race teams. Noted
- S Beverley WMPC – application to use ETS **Approved subject to sealing.**
- K Jorgensen CHPC – request for refund of second-team **Approved.**
- Mick Walker RRPC – application for membership **Approved.**
- Kieran Malone NCPC – application for membership and to use ETS **Approved. ETS subject to sealing and meeting specifications**
- K Luke LCPC – reseal ETS antenna in the loft by P Ketchell - **Approved**

### **Outwards correspondence:**

- Minutes posted on web site and emailed to members
- HMJ Trailer – request for trailer door locking lugs
- Affiliated clubs seeking members racing details.

**Moved to accept correspondence by M McCarthy seconded J Profke. Carried.**

### **Treasurers Report:**

Financial statement to the end of May was presented by the Treasurer (copy attached). The Operational Account balance is \$56,573. Moved to accept the statement and accounts passed for payment by M Reynolds seconded by C Porter carried

### **General Business:**

#### **COVID 19 Restrictions:**

Current Government restrictions to contain the COVID 19 virus have been eased so our race season can commence on the 27<sup>th</sup> June.

Procedures to meet Government restrictions with social gatherings have been developed and will need to be displayed and followed at each Basket/Clock Reading centre in 2020.

#### **Driver and Liberator:**

The committee was saddened to hear of the illness to Steve Field and wish him a speedy recovery from his operation. He will not be able to drive for us in 2020. The secretary has interviewed a suitable replacement and this was discussed by the committee. Moved S Hodgson seconded J Profke that in the best interested of everyone Dillon Newport be appointed driver and Frank Bryan liberator for 2020. Carried. Rick O'Shea was also contacted and was agreeable to act in a stand by capacity if needed.

#### **Racing Options:**

The committee discussed various options for racing with the reduced race schedule available. It was moved C Porter seconded D Nester that we continue with the schedule in the usual manner. 30 or 15 bird race teams plus PAYG and trainers. Carried.

#### **Crate allocation:**

Race crates will be issued to the affiliated clubs on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June from 10am at the Rod Hatherly building. Crates will be issued based on the number of paid-up flying members.

- No one should have in their possession QPF race crates with the cut-outs for the feeders. None of these crates was approved for sale and anyone possessing these crates should return them to the QRPF as soon as possible.
- Benzing clocks can also be updated on the above date.

#### **Trainers Crates:**

Trainer crates can be booked, through each club, with the race secretary at the usual cost of \$25 each and picked up on the 13<sup>th</sup> June, trainer crates are limited to two crates per member for the first race. Trainer crates not returned on basket night will need to be paid for.

#### **Life Rings:**

The committee is concerned with the number of private and fake life rings being used at the moment. The ease with which these rings can be purchased at any time over the internet is making control of issue dates and size impossible. Rule changes will be presented to the next AGM. Members are advised to use only QPF or affiliated club rings during the next breeding season. Foreign country life rings require an approved import permit.

#### **ETS Loft Antenna Locations:**

Members should ensure the location of their ETS antennas are in line with the rule changes from the last AGM. Open door traps need the antenna one metre in from the doorway and the doorway needs to be high enough for a person to walk through. **See the attached drawings.**

#### **ETS Clock Updates:**

A reminder that All ETS clocks need to be updated with the latest software and a race schedule installed where possible.

#### **PAYG rules:**

Clubs are to follow up and ensure their members who choose to fly on a Pay as You Go (PAYG) have provided a list of 40 birds to the race secretary before the first race on the 27<sup>th</sup> June and there will be no top-ups available this year.

#### **National Race 2021:**

The committee is in agreement with the idea of competing in a National race with the other Brisbane Feds in 2021 from the North. J Profke has agreed to discuss with the other Feds and report back next meeting.

**Meeting closed at 8.30pm. Next meeting Monday evening 6<sup>th</sup> July 2020 at 7.30pm.**

L Vanderlinde  
Honorary Secretary  
QRPF Inc.

## Statement of Accounts May 2020

<b>Operating Account</b>				
<b>Income</b>			<b>Expenditure</b>	
Affiliation Fees	549.84		Donation	0.00
Ass Members	0.00		Etoll	0.00
Club Rego	0.00		Feed	0.00
Building Lewy	120.00		GST	0.00
Donation QRA	0.00		Haulage	0.00
Crate Sales	0.00		Inventory	0.00
GST collected	575.01		Liberation Exps	0.00
GST Paid ATO	0.00		Maintance	0.00
Interest	2.02		Phone	0.00
Inventory	0.00		Print Year Book	0.00
PFPU	12.00		Postage	0.00
Racing Fees	5,068.15		Public Liab Bird Ke	0.00
Refund Telstra	0.00		Motor Charge Card	0.00
Sundry Credit	250.00		Refunds	0.00
Sund Web Adv	0.00		New Debit Card	0.00
Training Fees	0.00		Stamp Duty	0.00
	6,577.02		Transfer FUEL a/c	0.00
			Truck	0.00
			Insurance	0.00
			Sundry	0.00
			Web	0.00
<b>Account Reconciliation</b>				0.00
Opening Balance	49,996.86		Total Income	6,577.02
Closing Balance	56,573.88		Total Expenditure	0.00
Increase	6,577.02			6,577.02
<b>Transport Account</b>				
<b>Income</b>			<b>Expenditure</b>	
Tfr Build Maint	0.00		Trailer Exps	0.00
Interest	0.20		GST	0.00
Tfr Build Maint	0.00		Bank Fees	0.00
Total	0.20			0.00
<b>Account Reconciliation</b>				
Opening Balance	5,020.15		Total Income	0.20
Closing Balance	5,020.35			0.00
Increase	0.20			0.20
<b>Debit Fuel Account</b>				
<b>Income</b>			<b>Expenditure</b>	
Tfr Operating A/c	0.00		Fuel Expenses	0.00
Interest	0.00		GST	0.00
			Bank Fees	0.00
Total	0.00			0.00
<b>Account Reconciliation</b>				
Opening Balance	670.02		Total Income	0.00
Closing Balance	670.02		Total Expenditure	0.00
Increase	0.00			0.00
<b>Summary</b>				
Operating A/C	56,573.88			
Transport A/C	5,020.35			
Debit Fuel A/C	670.02			
Term Deposit	0.00			
PFPU A/c	7,162.12			
	69,426.37			

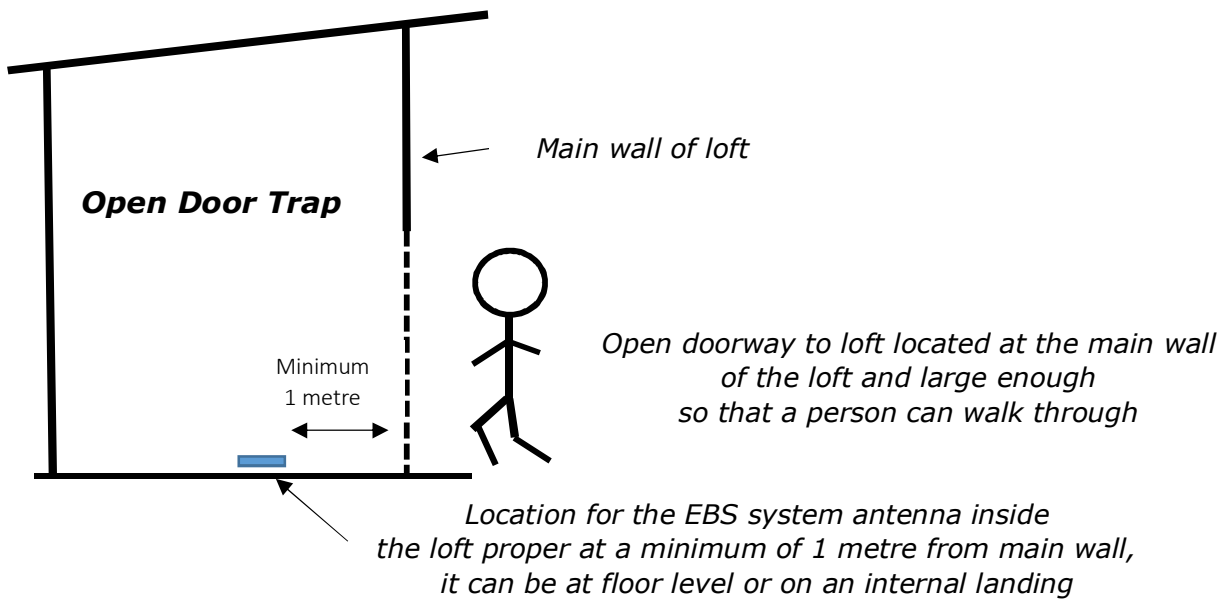
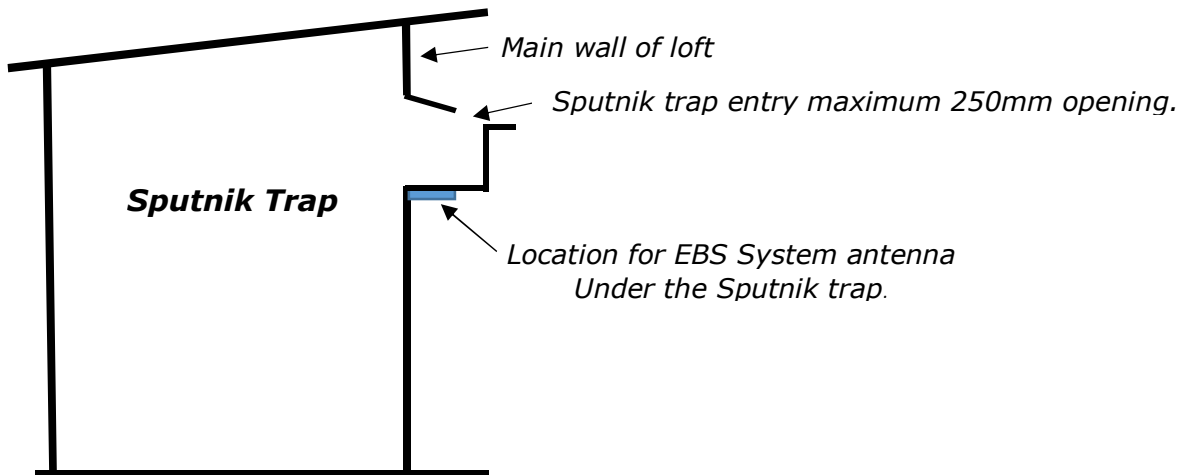
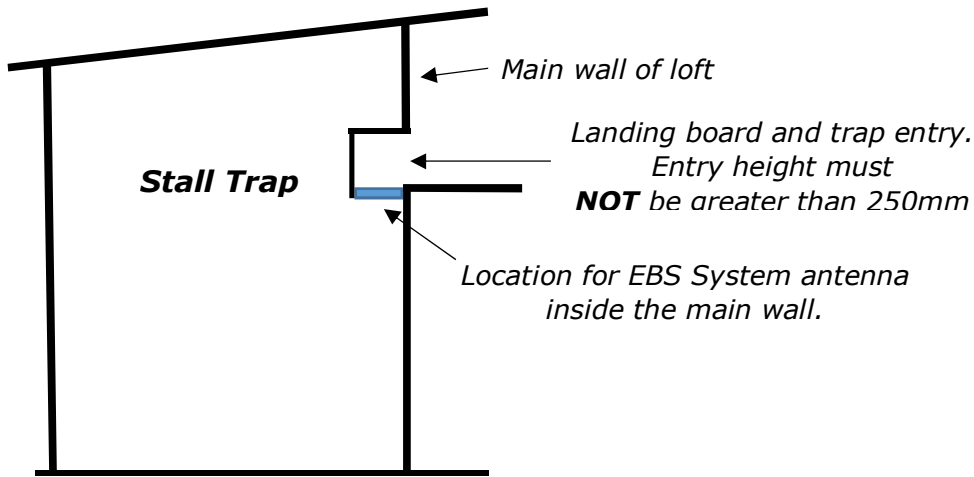
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## COVID 19 Safety Checklist June 2020

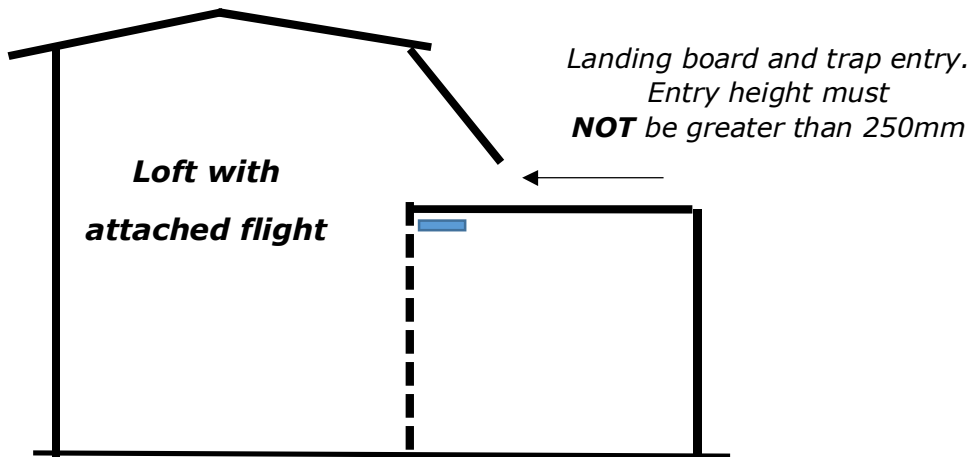
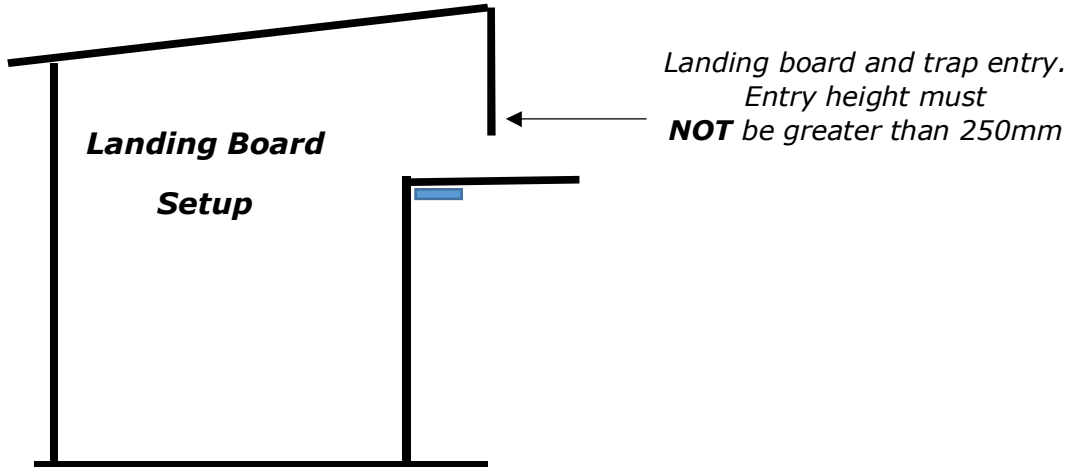
Aim: to stop the spread of COVID 19 virus among our members and guests while continuing to enjoy the sport of pigeon racing.

- This notice is to be displayed at the entry point of all QRPF controlled buildings that are being used to basket pigeons and for clock reading purposes.
- Only members and official guests are permitted to enter QRPF controlled buildings to basket and clock read.
- People who are feeling unwell are not allowed to enter premises being used for basketing or clock reading.
- The maximum number of people in these buildings is limited to one person per 4 square meters of floor space, to a maximum of 20 people.
- All people entering QRPF controlled buildings must wash/sterilize their hands upon entering and leaving
- Social distancing measures of 1.5m between each person is to be maintained wherever possible.
- All equipment such as race clocks, ringers, tables, chairs etc are to be wiped down with sterilizing cloth after each competitor's turn to basket their pigeons.
- Officials handling race entry and clock reading equipment are to wear gloves.
- Members are to place their race crate on the table but are NOT to remove and hand pigeons to the handlers.
- Handlers are to individually remove each bird from a competitor's crate for race marking and place the same into the race crates.
- Handlers are to wash or sterilize their hands after each competitor's turn (be sure to dry your hands well before handling pigeons).
- At clock reading and after ring off competitors are to place their race clocks on a nominated table and are not to touch them again until after clock reading is completed.
- An official wearing gloves is to wipe each clock with a sterilizer cloth before it is opened for reading.

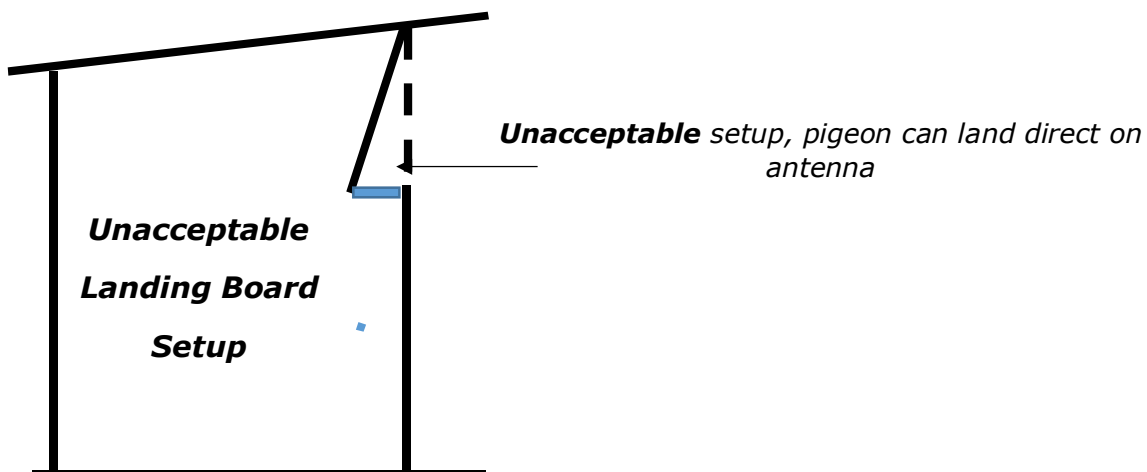
**Examples of acceptable EBS System Antenna Locations**



## Examples of acceptable EBS System Antenna Locations



## Example of UNACCEPTABLE EBS System Antenna Locations



**QRPF Race Schedule 2020- South West – Final 1<sup>st</sup> June 2020**

<b>Basket Date</b>	<b>Release Date</b>	<b>Release Time</b>	<b>Race Point</b>	<b>Race Type</b>	<b>Miles</b>	<b>Klms</b>	<b>Basket Location</b>	<b>Clock Set</b>	<b>Clock Read</b>	<b>Read Centre</b>	<b>Comment</b>
Fri 26 June	Sat 27 June	9.30am	Millmerran	Club Race only	112	180	Club	7.30pm	7.00pm	Club	
Fri 3 July	Sat 4 July	9.30am	Millmerran	Club Race only	112	180	Club	7.30pm	7.00pm	Club	
Fri 10 July	Sat 11 July	9.30am	Millmerran	Club Race only	112	180	Club	7.30pm	7.00pm	Club	
Fri 17 July	Sat 18 July	9.00am	Moonie	Club Race only	165	270	Club	7.30pm	7.00pm	Club	
Fri 24 July	Sat 25 July	9.00am	Moonie	Club Race only	165	270	Club	7.30pm	7.00pm	Club	
<b>Fri 31 July</b>	<b>Sat 1 Aug</b>	<b>8.30am</b>	<b>Westmar</b>	<b>Section Fed</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Sections</b>	
<b>Fri 6 Aug</b>	<b>Sat 8 Aug</b>	<b>8.30am</b>	<b>Westmar</b>	<b>Section Fed</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Sections</b>	
<b>Thurs 13 Aug</b>	<b>Sat 15 Aug</b>	<b>EAP</b>	<b>St George</b>	<b>Section Fed</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Sections</b>	
<b>Thurs 20 Aug</b>	<b>Sat 22 Aug</b>	<b>EAP</b>	<b>St George</b>	<b>Section Fed YBD</b>	<b>280</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>Young Bird Derby</b>
<b>Thurs 27 Aug</b>	<b>Sat 29 Aug</b>	<b>EAP +30min</b>	<b>Bollon</b>	<b>Section Fed &amp; 5 Bird All Age Derby</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>Two races same day 30 minutes apart 5 birder \$5 per bird..</b>
<b>Thurs 3 Sept</b>	<b>Sat 5 Sept</b>	<b>EAP +30min</b>	<b>Bollon</b>	<b>Section Fed &amp; 5 Bird YB National</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>7.00pm</b>	<b>Sections</b>	
<b>Thurs 10 Sept</b>	<b>Sat 12 Sept</b>	<b>EAP</b>	<b>Eulo</b>	<b>Section Fed</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>800</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>TBA</b>	<b>Sections</b>	
<b>Thurs 17 Sept</b>	<b>Sat 19 Sept</b>	<b>EAP +30min</b>	<b>Cunnamulla</b>	<b>Section Fed &amp; 5 Bird Open Nat</b>	<b>450</b>	<b>730</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>12pm Sunday</b>	<b>Fed Shed</b>	<b>Two races same day. 5 birder \$5 per bird.</b>
<b>Sat 26 Sept</b>	<b>No race this weekend (Rest Week)</b>								<b>Rest week</b>		
<b>Tues 29 Sept</b>	<b>Fri 2 Oct</b>	<b>EAP</b>	<b>Noccundra</b>	<b>Section Fed</b>	<b>640</b>	<b>1020</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>TBA</b>	<b>TBA</b>	
<b>Tues 29 Sept</b>	<b>Sat 3 Oct</b>	<b>EAP</b>	<b>Thargomindah</b>	<b>Section Fed</b>	<b>560</b>	<b>900</b>	<b>Sections</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	<b>TBA</b>	<b>TBA</b>	