

Queensland Racing Pigeon Federation Inc.

Management Committee Meeting

7 September 2020

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

Opened: 7.10PM

Present: W Reese, L Vanderlinde, M Reynolds, C Porter, J Profke, D Nester, M McCarthy, B Mair, R Walker

Apologies: R Holloway & S Hodgson

Minutes from the Management Committee meeting held 3 August 2020 were read by the President.

Moved to accept as read and true and correct by J Profke seconded C Porter. Carried.

Business Arising:

- Qld National Race 2021 - See general Business

Inwards correspondence:

- P Fox LCPC – application for membership - **accepted**
- Harvey Bay – Request to transport with the QRPF on the North 2021 with 8 crates. **It is doubtful that we will have the room to transport these birds but the matter can be dealt with by next year's committee.**
- Rick O'Shea – can only drive to Eulo race before quitting – **Thanks to Rick for driving for us at short notice this year.**
- Steve Field – **Steve has received a clearance from his doctor and is feeling well**

Outwards correspondence:

- Minutes posted on web site and emailed to members
- Club Invoices for August

Moved to accept correspondence by R Walker seconded B Mair. Carried.

Treasurers Report:

Financial statement to the end of August was presented by the Treasurer (copy attached). The Operational Account balance is \$64,294.40. Moved to accept the statement and accounts passed for payment by M Reynolds seconded by B Mair carried

General Business:

Transport Driver:

Steve is now well and capable following his operation and would like to finish the year off for us by driving to Cunnamulla and the last two long races. The committee were pleased to welcome Steve back.

Race Schedule North 2021

Considerable discussion took place on next year's schedule. It was moved by C Porter seconded J Profke that the committee present the attached "North to Townsville" schedule to the members for ratification at the special general meeting to be held on Saturday 31st October 2020. W Reese is to prepare an alternative schedule that includes alternating races from the North (Townsville) and North West (Longreach) for discussion at the same meeting.

Eulo Race

There is concern with the amount of time available to reach Eulo from the Thursday night basketing. The committee would like all clubs and sections to make maximum effort in getting their race crates to the transporter as early as possible on Thursday evening.

The trailer is not being used for this race and all clubs and sections are asked to reduce the number of crates they are sending. Birds numbers are down so please reassess your crate numbers needed to carry 20 birds per crate.

SE Qld National Race 2021:

No further progress has been made with this proposal but there seems to be general agreement with it proceeding from St Lawrence in 2021, anyone interested should contact Jeff on 0417 119 000.

Toowoomba Transport:

The Toowoomba Fed have been transporting with the QRPF since the Bollon races, which involves using our trailer. The committee would like to thank the Toowoomba members for their assistance in repairing the trailer wheels which broke down at the first Bollon race.

Fund Raising Raffle

The raffle for a Skyleader GPS tracking system valued at \$600 was drawn and was won by Matt Martin from Dalby. Congratulations to Matt and please contact Jeff Profke 0417 119 000 to collect your prize.

Clean up Storage areas

The secretary, through the committee would like to thank Shaun Elliott for his assistance in helping to clean up the storage areas, a large quantity of rubbish was taken to the tip.

Transporter Water

The petrol engine on the transporter used to run the water pump failed at Bollon, which meant the liberator had the difficult job of hand watering the birds. The secretary is to arrange for an electric pump to be fitted to the transporter to provide an additional source of power.

Trailer Repairs

Thanks to Wayne Reese and Joe Caruana who carried repair work on the trailer frame work and thanks to the secretary for repairing/replacing the brake backing plate and drum and repacking the wheel bearings. Annual maintenance needs to be carried out on the trailer if it is being used during the race season.

Special General Meeting

The special general meeting has been set for Saturday 31st October at the Rod Hatherly building.

- Only paid-up members are eligible to vote at that meeting (\$125 membership fee).
- Trophy presentation will take place on that day
- Fund raising auction of pigeons will also take place on the day.
- A free BBQ will be available to members on the day.

The committee would like the QRPF top flyers to please consider donating a bird or two to help out with the auction, please contact the secretary.

Certificates of merit will be available to all members who have taken a place in the top 20 during the season BUT only to those members who request a certificate. Too much effort is being put into these certificates, which is not being appreciated by those members who do not bother to collect their certificate. Contact the secretary if you want a certificate this year.

Meeting closed at 8.25pm. Next meeting Monday evening 5th October 2020 at 7.15pm.

L Vanderlinde
Honorary Secretary
QRPF Inc.

Statement of Accounts August 2020

Operating Account

Income		Expenditure	
Associate member	0.00	Advertising	0.00
Donation	590.00	Bank Fees	0.00
GST	182.36	Inventory	0.00
Interest	2.99	Fuel	2,500.00
Inventory sales	0.00	GST On Invoices	70.88
Petty Cash Surp	0.00	Haulage	1,470.00
PFFU	0.00	Maintence	83.48
Prizes/ Pools	1,105.00	Liberation	1,470.00
Racing Fees	437.27	Minor	184.94
Ring Sales	0.00	Truck Maintenance	0.00
Refund	260.00	Phones	94.50
Training	1,386.37	Photocopying	0.00
		Postage	0.00
		Presentation Dinner	0.00
	3,963.99	Prizes /Pools	0.00
		Vechial Reg	173.16
		Refund	260.00
		Stamp Duty	9.52
		Transfer Debit Card	0.00
		Trailer Repairs	418.55
		Monthly Motor Char	0.00
		E/Toll	500.00
			7,235.03
Account Reconciliation			
Opening Balance	67,565.44	Total Income	3,963.99
Closing Balance	64,294.40	Total Expenditure	7,235.03
Decrease	-3,271.04		-3,271.04

Transport Account

Income		Expenditure	
Tfr Build Maint	0.21	Trailer Exps	0.00
Interest	0.00	GST	0.00
		Bank Fees	0.00
Total	0.21		0.00
Account Reconciliation			
Opening Balance	5,020.77	Total Income	0.21
Closing Balance	5,020.98	Total Expenditure	0.00
Increase	0.21		0.21

Debit Fuel Account

Income		Expenditure	
Tfr Operating A/c	2,500.00	Fuel Expenses	1,696.73
Interest	0.00	GST	169.66
		Bank Fees	3.50
Total	2,500.00		1,869.89
Account Reconciliation			
Opening Balance	1,158.63	Total Income	2,500.00
Closing Balance	1,788.74	Total Expenditure	1,869.89
Incrfase	630.11		630.11

Summary

Operating A/C	64,294.40		
Transport A/C	5,020.98		
Debit Fuel A/C	1,788.74		
Term Deposit	0.00		
PFFU A/c	7,226.73	INT \$64.61	
	78,330.85		

7 September 2020 Committee proposed Race Schedule 2021- North

Basket Date	Release Date	Release Time	Race Point	Race Type	Miles	Klms	Basket Location	Clock Set	Clock Read	Clock Reading	Comment
Fri 30 th Apr May	Sat 1 st May	10.00am	Gympie	Club Race only	93	150	Club	7.30pm	7pm	Club	
Fri 7 th May	Sat 8 th May	10.00am	Gympie	Club Race only	93	150	Club	7.30pm	7pm	Club	
Fri 14 th May	Sat 15 th May	9.30am	Maryborough	Club Race only	136	220	Club	7.30pm	7pm	Club	
Fri 21 st May	Sat 22 nd May	9.00am	Bundaberg	Club Race only	186	300	Club	7.30pm	7pm	Club	
Fri 28th May	Sat 29th May	8.30am	Miriamvale	Section Fed	236	380	Sections	7.30pm	7pm	Sections	
Fri 4 th June	Sat 5 th June	10.00am	Gympie	Club Race only	93	150	Club	7.30pm	7pm	Club	Start 2nd series
Thurs 10th June	Sat 12th June	EAP	Gladstone	Section Fed	273	440	Sections	7.30pm	7pm	Sections	
Fri 18 th June	Sat 19 th June	10.00am	Gympie	Club Race only	93	150	Club	7.30pm	7pm	Club	
Thurs 24th June	Sat 26th June	EAP	Marlborough	Section Fed	372	600	Sections	7.30pm	7pm	Sections	
Fri 2 nd July	Sat 3 rd July	9.30am	Maryborough	Club Race only	136	220	Club	7.30pm	7pm	Club	
Fri 9 th July	Sat 10 th July	9.30am	Maryborough	Club Race only	136	220	Club	7.30pm	7pm	Club	
Fri 16 th July	Sat 17 th July	9.00am	Bundaberg	Club Race only	186	300	Club	7.30pm	7pm	Club	
Fri 23 rd July	Sat 24 th July	9.00am	Bundaberg	Club Race only	186	300	Club	7.30pm	7pm	Club	
Fri 30th July	Sat 31st July	8.30am	Miriamvale	Section Fed	236	380	Sections	7.30pm	7pm	Sections	
Fri 6th Aug	Sat 7th Aug	8.30am	Miriamvale	Section Fed	236	380	Sections	7.30pm	7pm	Sections	
Thurs 12th Aug	Sat 14th Aug	EAP	Gladstone	Section Fed	273	440	Sections	7.30pm	7pm	Sections	
Thurs 19th Aug	Sat 21st Aug	EAP	Gladstone	Sect Fed YBD	273	440	Sections	7.30pm	7pm	Hatherly	Clock read all together
Thurs 26th Aug	Sat 28th Aug	EAP	Marlborough	Section Fed & 5 Bird AAD	372	600	Sections	7.30pm	7pm	Sections	Two races same day 30 min apart. 5 birder \$5 per bird. Open Fed
		+30min	Marlborough		372	600	Sections	7.30pm	7pm	Sections	
Thurs 2nd Sept	Sat 4th Sept	EAP+	Marlborough	Section Fed & 5 Bird YBN	372	600	Sections	7.30pm	7pm	Sections	Two races same day 30 min apart. 5 birder \$5 per bird. Open Fed
		+30min	Marlborough		372	600	Sections	7.30pm	7pm	Sections	
Thurs 9th Sept	Sat 11th Sept	EAP	Mackay	Section Fed	505	810	Sections	7.30pm	TBA	Sections	
Thurs 16th Sept	Sat 18th Sept	EAP	St Lawrence	Section Fed & 5 Bird Open Nat	422	680	Sections	7.30pm	TBA	Hatherly	Two races same day 30 min apart. 5 birder \$5 per bird. Open Fed
		+30min	St Lawrence		422	680	Sections	7.30pm	TBA	Hatherly	
Sat 25th Sept		No race this weekend (Rest Week)							Rest week		
Tues 28th Sept	Fri 1st Oct	EAP	Townsville	Section Fed	740	1050	Sections	7.30pm	TBA	TBA	
Tues 28th Sept	Sat 2nd Oct	EAP	Bowen	Section Fed	650	950	Sections	7.30pm	TBA	TBA	