8.6 Highfields Pigeon Association Transport

Highfields have requested transport with the QRPF for 2022 season from Morven to Windorah. The request is to pick the crates up along the route at Jondaryan and Dalby. The management committee has agreed to pick up the crates at only one of the two options. The liberation team will be consulted prior to any final commitments.

8.7 QRPF Flying Rules

B Snyman would like to remind all clubs that Entry and Evaluation sheets to all Open Fed races need to be handed in by the next basketing week. These Sheets will be checked by the management committee on a rotating base. A reminder to all clubs to please familiarise yourself with the new Flying rules.

9. Date of next meeting

The next management meeting will be held at the Rod Hatherly Building Monday 1 August 2022 at 7.30 PM.

10. Close

The meeting was closed at 8.23 PM. B Snyman Honorary Secretary QRPF Inc.

8. General Business

8.1 QRPF Ring Race

M McCarthy would like notification put up on the Pigeon race net to reminder members of the ring race. There is \$6200, 00 in prize money for the 2022 race from Morven. The QRPF has put a side 1000 rings for 2023 season which potentially could be \$10000,00 prize money. B Snyman will put updates on Pigeon race net and QRPF web page.

8.2 QRPF Appeals Tribunal

M McCarthy would like that the QRPF have a tribunal committee to deal with any appeals submitted to the QRPF. The tribunal committee will consist of all the presidents of all Clubs in the QRPF. The management committee has agreed to take this to the AGM for further ratification.

APPEALS (2022)

- 1) Competitors penalized under any flying rule of the QRPF by any committee shall have the right of appeal.
- 2) All appeals must be made in writing accompanied by a deposit of \$100 and received by the Management Committee within 14 days from the date of the penalty. The \$100 deposit will be retained by the committee should the appeal fail.
- 3) The Management Committee will convene a meeting with the competitor making the appeal within 14 days of receipt of such appeal at which time the competitor shall be given a full hearing and the case considered.
- 4) Competitors who fail with appeals to the management committee shall have a final appeal to a Special General Meeting of the members convened by the Management Committee within 14 days of being requested.
- 5) Majority support of the members attending the special meeting is required for an appeal to succeed.

8.3 Liberation Committee

M McCarthy raised concerns about members providing info to outsiders and these outsiders publicly criticising the QRPF. The management committee would like to encourage members to rather raise any concerns with their Club secretary so these concerns can be addressed. The liberation protocols for the Dalby release on 3 July were followed. The only improvement the management committee would implement is that all three liberation committee need to communicate on a weekly base before liberation takes place.

8.4 Meadowbrook One loft Sponsorship

Meadowbrook One loft has sponsored the first Mass Morven on the second series. The Fed winner will receive two free entries to Meadowbrook One loft intake in 2023. The management committee would like to thank Stevan Gazzola for his generosity.

8.5 Liberation Committee

D Bass was ready to fly his first season with the QRPF. Due to unforeseen accident and unable to race the 2022 season would like to carry his flying fees to 2023 season. The management committee has approved this request.

Management Meeting to be held in the QRPF Fed shed at 7.30 PM on 4 July 2022

Queensland Racing Pigeon Federation Inc.

1. President's opening remarks

The President opened the meeting at 7:19 PM and welcomed everyone to the committee meeting.

Present: W Reese, B Snyman, C Porter, R Walker, B. Mair, M McCarthy, J Profke, W Garner, D Nester, C Redpath & A Owens.

2. Apologies

3. Minutes of the previous meeting

Minutes from the Management committee Meeting held on 6 June was read by the President. Moved and accepted as true by J Profke, Seconded by D Nester. **Carried**

4. Inward Correspondence

- 1. K Jorgenson LCPC Application to use ETS live . Accepted
- 2. J Knightley PATH Application to use ETS live . Accepted (Subject to photos)
- 3. D Bass LCPC Refund Letter
- 4. Highfield Pigeon Association Transport

5. Outward Correspondence

Emailed minutes of the Management committee Meeting held 6 June 2022 to members and clubs. Moved to accept Correspondence by R Walker, Seconded by B Mair. **Carried**

6. Treasurer's report

The financial statement was presented by A Owens for May 2022. The account balance is \$ 111029.09 Moved to be accepted by A Owens, Second by J Profke. **Carried**

7. Business Arising from the Minutes

7.1. QRPF One Birder

A Reynolds requested if you could sponsor a Trophy for the One Birder race. B Snyman requested if we could name the one birder race after Mick Reynolds. The management committee has agreed to these proposals.

7.2 ANRPB National race

J Profke outlined that the ANRPB would like set the nomination at a maximum of 10 nominated birds at \$10, 00 each. The QRPF members may send 30 bird team to Quilpie but only nominate to max of 10 birds to compete in the QLD National. More details to follow after communications will be sent out to Qld Racing Pigeon Organisations