



SAHPA Meeting with Delegates, Club Secretaries and Chairmen

Friday 22nd Jan 2021 @ 7:00 pm

Present: T Perkins (Chairman), T Tirrell (Treasurer) J Cock, N Stojakovic, J Harper (Secretary). Club Secretaries and Chairmen.

Apologies: P Squire, F DiMella

1. Statistical overview by John Cock

- Age of members
- Declining numbers
- Discussion on future priorities regarding spending etc in next 5-10yrs.

2. Address by Treasurer

- Financially the SAHPA is in a sound position partly due from Income generated from Harvey Norman on site container rental of \$8,000 per annum and Top 30 pigeon sale \$5,000.
- EFT payments should include description and contact number.

3. Pre-Paid scheme:

- Current Pre-paid system
- Race Starts
- Race Teams

Clubs to explain options to their members for a decision at the next AGM with rules from the COM regarding a cut-off date and payment for extra birds.

4. Training

- Privatisation option. Objections regarding the loss of control of training costs to the flyer if privatised. Most in favour of an increase in the tossing charge per bird.
- New Vehicle/Trailer. Positive feedback for a new low profile tossing trailer.
- Tossing Format. Request for a pick up at Gawler. Toss program should include N/E line toss points.
- Loading platform for trailer. General agreement for purchase. Treasurer to explore costs.
- Discussion on hiring two younger persons to load crates on basketing night.
- CO₂ recording unit. Agreement to purchase unit.

4. Mazda tossing unit owned by SAHPA & LDC

- Efficient utilisation

5. COM : 5 reps from zones or by vote at AGM (no zones)

- Motion for change from Metro club with nominations for the COM to come from members and to be voted on at AGM rather than current system of each delegate representing a zone. Concerns raised over a situation where more than two members are from the same club. To be voted on at AGM.

6. Current 100km/50km boundary

- Notice of Motion to change back to 50km. Discussion for and against the 100km boundary. The Motion to change will be left up to the members to decide at AGM.

7. Solar Panels

- Most in agreement with installation of Solar Panels. Treasurer to request quotes from at least two suppliers.

8. 2020 Year book

- Clubs to ask if any members are interested in collating a book. Alan Agar is willing to assist.

9. Club Delegate question time:

- Proposal for more 5 bird limit races
- Proposal for trainers on the unit after the derbies

- National race from Emmdale the same date as SAHPA Nyngan. Possibility of Emmdale birds to be transported on SAHPA unit. Question as to why Nyngan is not programmed earlier in the season as is Marla, to avoid hot weather. Call to swap dates for Emmdale and Nyngan.

Meeting Closed: 9:15pm