

W.P.F. BOARD OF MANAGEMENT MEETING: OCTOBER 2012

Tuesday 6th November, 2012

In Attendance:

M. Portelli	F. Lia
C. Abela	C. Bonnici
D. Vatsakis	J. Farrugia
J. Angelino	T. Abraham
A. Papadakis	M. Bennett

Apologies:

M. Ciancio

President Mr. F. Lia opened the meeting at 7.55pm.

Previous Minutes:

Previous minutes read and received.

Moved: J Farrugia
Seconded: D. Vatsakis

Business arising from previous minutes:

Western fliers will be guaranteed a section of their own for the 2012/13 race season.

Members wanting anything discussed at the AGM, please ask Club Secretary's to forward a letter to the Board. The Board will approve it's inclusion in the AGM discussions.

The current Board has determined that sufficient documentation was available to suggest that a ban against V. Borg, D. Lockwood and P. Anastasi was in place.

However to resolve this issue, the current board has decided to lift the ban as of todays' date and any banned members may re-apply to fly with the W.P.F. following our normal procedures.

As D. Lockwood has since passed away, the Board would like to exonerate him from any ban which was in place.

Moved: M. Portelli
Seconded: J. Farrugia

Treasurers Report:

Not available.

Correspondence:

Letter One: Leigh Wyllie: nominating one of his birds for Bird of the Series.....**Noted.**

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Letter Two: Application by N. Raffaele (new flyer), to fly with the Deer Park Club.....**Noted**

Letter Three: Application from Tarek Dib to fly with the Altona City club for the 2012/13 season.....**Noted**

Letter Four: Application for J. Lai (new flyer), to fly with the Deer Park Club.....**Noted.**

Letter Five: Application from Jason Smith (new flyer), to fly with the Deer Park Club.....**Noted**

Moved: M. Bennett

Seconded: C. Bonnici

General Business:

The Board proposes a 2013 Sprint Series. Members will be asked to confirm their interest at the 2013 AGM, by placing a deposit. If sufficient interest is shown, then the series will go ahead.

Moved: C. Abela

Seconded: J. Angelino

Members should be aware that no member is to fly from the same premises in more than one organization.

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Seconded: J. Angelino

Race Track for the 2012/13 Season, will be the same as the 2009 North track. If Tasmania opens it's borders' prior, the Tasmania race will go ahead, if not Mallacoota will replace it. Birds for either race must be nominated by two weeks prior.

On the next page is a copy of the 2009 Race Schedule.....this is purely an example of the race points that will apply for the next racing season. All prices for transport and conveying etc. are not applicable.

Moved: M. Portelli

Seconded: C. Abela

Meeting Closed at 10.40 pm.

WESTERN PIGEON FEDERATION

RACE PROGRAM 2009

Date	Race Point		Distance	Basketing	Cost	Liberation	Convoyer
09-05-09	Heathcote	Sprint	100km	Friday	\$1.00	11.30am	\$5.50
16-05-09	Heathcote	Sprint	100km	Friday	\$1.00	11.30am	\$5.50
23-05-09	Rochester	Sprint	160km	Friday	\$1.00	11.00am	\$5.50
30-05-09	Rochester	Sprint	160km	Friday	\$1.00	11.00am	\$5.50
06-06-09	Mathoura	Derby	240km	Friday	\$3.00	1030am	\$5.50
13-06-09	Rochester		160km	Friday	50c	11.00am	\$5.50
20-06-09	Rochester		160km	Friday	50c	11.00am	\$5.50
27-06-09	Rochester		160 km	Friday	50c	11.00am	\$5.50
04-07-09	Deniliquin		250km	Friday	70c	10.30am	\$5.50
11-07-09	Deniliquin		250km	Friday	70c	10.30am	\$5.50
18-07-09	Deniliquin		250km	Friday	70c	10.30am	\$5.50
25-07-09	Hay		360km	Friday	\$1.00	9.00am	\$5.50
01-08-09	Hay		360km	Friday	\$1.00	9.00am	\$5.50
01-08-09	Hay	10 Bird Special	360km	Friday	\$3.00	9.30am	
08-08-09	Hay		360 km	Friday	\$1.00	9.00am	\$5.50
15-08-09	Hillston	1 st Special ring race	480Km	Thursday	\$1.00	8.00am	\$5.50
22-08-09	Hillston	Peter O Sullivan	480km	Thursday	\$3.00	8.00am	\$5.50
29-08-09	Hillston		480km	Thursday	\$1.00	8.00am	\$5.50
05-09-09	Mt Hope		550km	Thursday	\$1.50	7.00am	\$5.50
12-09-09	Mt Hope	Produce	550km	Thursday	\$3.00	7.00am	\$5.50
13-09-09	Coombah	Breeders Plate	590km	Friday		7.00am	
19-09-09	Cobar		700km	Thursday	\$2.00	7.00am	\$5.50
26-09-09	Bourke	2nd Special ring race	865km	Wednesday	\$3.00	Early	\$5.50
26-09-09	Tasmania		450km	Thursday	\$2.00	7.00am	\$5.50
03-10-09	Cobar	W.P.F. Cup	700km	Thursday	\$2.00	Early	\$5.50
10-10-09	Cobar	National	700km	Thursday	\$6.50	Early	\$5.50
17-10-09	Barrington		970km	Wednesday	\$4.00	Early	\$5.50
24-10-09	Mt Hope		550 km	Thursday	\$1.50	Early	\$5.50

Note: All prices stated are the minimum charges and are subject to change without notice if the Finance Committee deems it necessary.

Sprint Series: The five races are a sprint series with its own aggregate. Derby costing \$3.00 per bird.

Note: The old bird aggregate starts at the 1st Rochester 13-06-09

The P. O'Sullivan will be run on the 2nd Hillston 22-08-09

Produce: All birds entered in the produce must be rung with a ring from the current issue and it will be conducted on the 2nd Mt Hope 12-09-09.

WPF Breeder's Plate will be raced on Sunday 13th September from Coombah. Basketing will be on Friday 1st September at the WPF rooms, commencing at 6.30 pm.

W.P.F Cup: will be run in conjunction with the 2nd Cobar on the 03-10-09. Cost per bird will be \$5.00. All money paid in prize money. 1st prize \$1000.00 **Depending on entries.**

The C&J Morris 10 Bird special race will be held on 01-08-09 in conjunction with the 2nd Hay

FEDERATION FEES 2008 OLD BIRD SEASON

Annual Subs	Full Membership	\$148.50
	Pensioner	\$ 74.25
	Juniors	\$ 22.00
Joining Fees	New Members	\$ 11.00
	Rejoining Members	\$ 11.00

1 All the above prices are to be paid on the first night of basketing in Old Birds

2 Times and race points are subject to alteration.

Ring registration forms must be in the hands of the Ring Secretary two weeks before racing starts. All members racing in 2009 must fill in a ring registration form. Birds not registered in their owners name can not be raced.

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