

W.P.F. BOARD OF MANAGEMENT

MEETING: SEPTEMBER 2014

Monday 15th September 2014

Members Present:

T. Abraham	D. Vatsakis
M. Portelli	J. Muscat
G. Fontana	C. Abela
J. Angelino	J. Farrugia
R. Russell	B. Mizzi

Apologies:

N. Iannazone	C. Cachia
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President Mr. R. Russell opened the meeting at 7.40 pm.

Previous Minutes:

Minutes from the August Board meeting were read and received.

Moved: T. Abraham
Seconded: J. Farrugia

Treasurers Report:

Read and received.

Moved: J. Muscat
Seconded: B. Mizzi

Business Arising from Previous minutes:

Nil.

Correspondence:

Letter One:

Letter from Deer Park: re New member Theo Stampolidis.

Letter Two:

Letter from R. Gianfala re: His late clock production on the first Narrandera race, 2/8/14.

Moved: J. Farrugia
Seconded: M. Portelli

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General Business:

ITEM ONE:

Letter from Deer Park noted.

ITEM TWO:

Letter from R. Gianfala noted.

ITEM THREE:

I has been brought to the Boards attention by a member of another organisation and by our own ring secretary Pauline Pulis, that a WPF member has been in possession of and raced a pigeon which did not belong to him.

The member concerned has been questioned regarding the matter and after much discussion, the Board has decided that the member concerned will receive a stern warning. He will not be suspended on this occasion, however this warning will extend to all members. If any member is found in possession of a pigeon belonging to another person and races this bird without proper authorisation and transfer protocol, they will be automatically suspended for the remainder of the season. Race sheets will be randomly checked.

Moved: T. Abraham

Seconded: D. Vatsakis

ITEM FOUR:

PIGEON POX...Regarding all future seasons.

Any member who races pigeons with any visible signs of pigeon pox, or is found to have vaccinated their pigeons during the racing season will be sent home with all their pigeons and will not be permitted to race until the pox issue is resolved or the vaccination incubation period has elapsed. The pox incubation period is six weeks.

Moved: J. Angelino

Seconded: J. Muscat

Meeting Closed at 10.05 pm.