

Victorian Racing Pigeon Union Inc.
Executive Meeting
April 2010

Executive Board Meeting 5/4/2010
Meeting opened at 8:00pm .

In attendance: J Share, T Price, L Taliana, D Cauchi, S Cini, C Cox, J Denaro & M Cavanagh. Apologies A Curcio & V Cannizzo

The minutes of the March meeting were read and received on a motion from L Taliana sec M Cavanagh and carried.

Business arising

- Canteen will be run by Kate Anderson.
- L Taliana advised that the cost of repair for unit roofs was \$25 per unit for those needing timber replacement.
- Wheels of units need to be lubricated prior to the new season
- Tony organized a night out at the Meadows greyhounds on 22nd May, to be advertised on the website.

The minutes were adopted on a motion from S Cini Sec D Cauchi and carried

Correspondence

Letter from Pascoe Vale nominating Joe Denaro to the board of management. The nomination was accepted and Joe was welcomed as a new board member.

Letter from Thomastown Homing Club requesting that only section moneys be paid and no Federation payments until the 300 mile stage.

A letter from Thomastown asking for two new sections, north and south rather than east and west.

L Taliana will chart all members' positions on a map for discussion of above proposals at our next meeting.

Letter from Thomastown asking to reintroduce the clocking of birds able to take two Federation positions from the 400 mile stage onwards. The second bird not to qualify for prizemoney or aggregate points.

This letter will be presented for vote at the AGM.

Letter from Fawkner Homing club with office bearers and offering their clubrooms to the Union.

List of flying members received from Thomastown noted.

Letter to Moreland city council requesting assistance with graffiti removal.

Letters from Brimbank requesting reconsideration of the transport quote of \$1 per bird, Another letter advising office bearers and asking if they could create two clubs for basketing and clock production.

It was decided to respond to Brimbank advising the fee could not be reconsidered.

The correspondence was accepted on a motion moved S Cini sec. D Cauchi and carried.

General Business

S Cini advised that he and R Ciappara are racing to the same loft and using the same Benzing clocking system.

Curtains will be tied back for transport of units to the WPF rooms.

John will contact the solicitor regarding the Northcote club.

Members should submit their ring lists to Dennis Brown as soon as possible as many strays are not listed as transfers. Dennis suggested that the ring lists be submitted earlier in the year so that he can get birds back to their owners in a more timely manner.

Benzing clocking system users are to be updated with new software so that members can create their own bird lists.

Meeting Closed 10:15pm.