



The Pigeon Racing Federation of W.A. (Inc)

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PRF BOARD OF CONTROL MEETING

Date 4th June 2025

Meeting opened at 19.35

Present: K. Wilson (President), M. Shaw (Secretary), B. Phillips, B. Scott, D. Chaffer, K. Murtagh

Apologies: K. Damon, M. Heedes, G. Wilson.

Visitors: Nil

Minutes of the previous meeting held on 7th May 2025 were read.

Matters arising from minutes: Nil

Moved by B. Phillips

Carried

Seconded by D. Chaffer

Treasurers Report:

Profit and Loss Statement tabled by the Secretary in the Treasurer's absence

Profit and Loss Statement tabled for the period 01/05/2025 to 31/05/2025

Questions:

D.C. Can all Federation accounts be published on the P&L Statement every month ?

K.M. What is the website expense for ?

All questions will be referred to the Treasurer

Moved by D. Chaffer

Carried

Seconded by B. Scott

Correspondence in:

Mail received from J. Schofield Coastal, informing the Board that Coastal and Wanneroo will be using the Coastal clubrooms for season 2025.

Mail received from K. McDowall Swans, new member application, Filamer Ramboyong 80 Cob Road, Brabham, 6055 to fly as Fil's Loft with Swans club.

Mail's received from Sound, Mandurah, Bayswater and Wanneroo clubs ref central clock-outs.

Mail received from DAFF ref H5 avian influenza.

Mail received from A. Beattie Mandurah ref insurance

Mail received from A. Beattie Mandurah ref Health and Safety Policy.

Mail received from L. Turley ref poor quality food, mail forwarded to President's and Secretaries for distribution.

Correspondence out:

Nil

Moved by B. Phillips

Seconded by D. Chaffer

Carried

General Business:

Membership-

Membership's of Stephen Friday and Sajad Nazary (Royal Hazara) were tabled.

Moved by D. Chaffer

Seconded by B. Scott

Carried.

Mail from DAFF ref H5 avian influenza

Daff has commissioned Verian Australia to conduct research across Australia to assist in preparedness for a potential outbreak of H5 avian influenza.

Secretary suggested we pass this on to L. Turley to gauge the ANRPB position on how this would impact pigeon racing.

Mails received from A. Beattie

The Board agreed to defer these mails to the next Board meeting as A. Beattie would like to put his questions to the Board directly but was unable to attend due to illness.

Central Clock-out's

Only four clubs send responded, a resounding NO to central clock-outs, all clock-out's for 2025 season to be held in your own clubrooms.

Central Basketing

There will be NO central basketing for the 2025 season. This will be decided by the members for the 2026 season at a later date.

Telstra message bank

Telstra have advised that they will be updating the Federations message bank service at a greatly increased cost. M. Heedes is currently looking at alternatives for the Federation.

Toss program

It was agreed to move the Federation toss program back 1 week.

Armadale Clubrooms

President informed the meeting that Armadale has moved clubrooms to the old Gwyne Park pigeon shed located between the Arena and Badmington Courts on Townly Street.

Social Media

The Federation Facebook page is there to keep members informed, not for individuals to abuse each other or make derogatory comments about the sport of pigeon racing.

The Publicly Officer, Robert Sheehy has the full support of the Board to post results etc. as he sees fit.

Any criticism of Robert or abuse of any member will not be tolerated and will result in those responsible being barred from the Federation Facebook page.

Club Registers

Only three clubs have submitted their Club Registers to date, under the 2015 Associations Incorporate Act it is a legal requirement for Clubs and the Federation to keep a Register of members, if you havn't already please forward this to me ASAP

New Clock-out Rule

Please remember that clock-out time is forty two hours after liberation

Next Board meeting will be held at 7.30pm on 2nd July 2025 at Amalgamated Clubs rooms.

Meeting closed at 20.40

M. SHAW

Secretary Pigeon Racing Federation of W.A. INC.