
Meeting Minutes for meeting held on 21st February at 7:30pm via Zoom.

Meeting opened: 1934

Present: Jeff See arrived at 11.23am, Pauline Waite, Melville Holmes, Pauline Slovak (minute taker), Marilyn Dolan, Anneka Weterman, Cindy Marsh, Natalie Lane, Joy Koolen, Brett Cook, John Laurenson.

Apologies: Shaun Dyer and Daryl O'Hara.

Previous Minutes: Zoom meeting 23rd January 2022 Read and approved.

Ran through the action list.

Last minutes moved as correct by: Jeff See, Seconded by Pauline Waite and carried.

Correspondence inwards & outwards – Received by all.

Pauline Slovak moved that inwards is approved and outwards is noted Jeff See seconded.

Treasurers report

Opening Balance	59,665.86
Income	719.92
Expenditure	5,284.88
Balance 18.2.22	55,100.90
Credit card balance	1,216.58
Bills to pay	448.57 Feb PAYE.

Everything paid, we had a tax refund but had to return some funding money for coaching we didn't use. PS asked about talking to SNZ and John Fletcher about joint invoicing. PW said sometime in the afternoon this week would work.

Pauline Waite moved that accounts be accepted and paid, seconded by Jeff See

Juniors

First one dayer yesterday with 5 new players for Central and they all had a few good wins we won the shield for the 4th years in a row 25 - 11, some good young kids out there getting into it. I have been trying to confirm with Wellington by the end of the week. For the 13th March. We haven't played Wellington for 3 - 4 years and they haven't been keen since. We almost have the squad for that fixture sorted just waiting on a couple of other players. Tamsyn is sorting dates for training camps for the juniors.

Few players lost to COVID restrictions.

PS asked about development squads and if we have some names to go to that.

Melville asked Kent about why it's hard to get coaches he said time is the issue with everyone these days, does anyone have any suggestions. Joy suggested Jordan Bell. Melville will talk to Jordan.

Seniors

Have sent messages out but really I need to give up seniors as work demands have increased. Jeff asked if Melville was resigning from seniors and Melville said yes unfortunately. In the meantime I will try and get the Newbegin shield up and running in Hawkes Bay on March 26th.

Melville Holmes

Interclub - Taranaki has theirs starting soon and MWR have theirs starting a few weeks later. Pauline asked for posters. Brett said he can't see it on iSquash, Marilyn said it's in there but not published for public viewing. Brett wants to be able to enter



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teams. MOU only signed by MWR so far and awaiting interclub rules feedback from Ruapehu and Naki.

Funding resolution

Pauline Waite moved that we apply to Aotearoa gaming trust for \$8,000 to help fund the coaching facilitator roles, seconded by Natalie Lane, all agreed, passed.

General Business –

Mike Jacks resignation - role of SNZ refereeing director is taking all his time with the changing over to WSO. Mike will still support the referees in Central. Craig Bailey of Feilding has told Mike he is keen to get his district level qualification. Jeff thanked Mike for all his efforts. Jeff See accepted Mike Jacks resignation.

Mikes Buddy clubs - Stratford - Melville and Inglewood - Shaun

Joy said at Taihape tournament recently something stuck out to her amongst the newer players, ref, marking game after yours, buying a drink for the loser, acknowledging their opponent when coming on court, not hitting the ball back to themselves constantly or passing it nicely to the other player basic etiquette. Joy suggested we supply an etiquette sheet to clubs to give to new players. It wasn't Taihape players that's just where she noticed it from many players from various clubs.

Mike said KP has one and to ask Kaye Carter as she developed it. Pauline will check the SNZ website for something.

Cindy said she notices that new players and players being regraded tend to be too low. Yes they move up once they play some tournaments but it's not good for the people getting a hiding from them as they move up. It's up to the clubs iSquash admin or Captain should evaluate them well before recommending their starting grading.

Anneka suggested we advise a template to clubs on how to select a grade for a new player.

John suggested they go on the grading list as the same grade as the player they are closest too. Jeff asked Anneka and Pauline to put it on social media, Anneka said it probably needs to go directly to club captains and stats. The etiquette could be done on social media.

Also advise them that the grading can be changed if it needs to be via request to Marilyn.

Marilyn said 4 squashies went to Lois Mills funeral, Jeff thanked them for taking the time to go to that.

Next Meeting: at Central Doubles at 11am in Stratford on the 9th April. Pauline to let Shaun know to see if we can get a room there and some food. Next in person meeting to be in Palmerston North.

Meeting Closed: 2052

Signed and dated as true and correct by President Jeff See.

President _____ Date _____

Action list to be completed.



29.3.21	Tournament checklist to be made up as club resource	Anneka	Work in progress target completion end of march
8.11.21	Draft MOU for 3 zones running Interclub	PS	Only heard back from MWR Jeff to follow up on Naki Ruapehu will look at it after this weekend.
8.11.21	Apply to Toi Foundation for Coaching facilitators role	Slovak	ASAP
23.1.22	Work with Melville for junior squad, advise Emma of how many we may send.	Melville and Slovak	Done postponed new dates given.
23.1.22	Update and distribute buddy list	Slovak	
21.2.22	Follow up with your new buddy clubs	Shaun and Melville	Before next meeting
21.2.22	Make etiquette sheet for clubs to give to new players	Anneka and Joy	Asap
21.2.22	Advise clubs of ways to make sure they are grading new players or returning players onto the grading list	Pauline	Within next week.
21.2.22	Book meeting room and organise snacks for meeting on 9th April at 11am in Stratford at the Central Doubles	Shaun	As soon as required.