

Blue Gum Squash Club (Inc)



Monthly Committee Meeting

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When 16-09-2021 at 02:30

Location: Squashworld Brentwood, 33 Moolyeen Rd, Brentwood WA 6153, Australia

Chairperson Steven JONES

Minute taker Steven JONES

Present Rob BLACKETT , Mike HIPKINS , Steven JONES (President), Frank LUPIS , Brian SEARLES

Apologies Brett Hainsworth , Audrey LAZAROO (Ladies Club Captain), Louis MEYER , Elliott SAWYER

Minutes

1. Bills Received / To Pay

Current balance - \$21,470.57 @ 19th September 2021.

- Spring Pennant fees have been invoiced. Sent 18/9/2021.
- Spring Pennant team fees yet to be received from WA Squash

2. Calendar of Events

Events planned:

Awards Night - Saturday 9th October - Mike (see separate item)

- Band booked, 55 tickets booked, 33 available

Doubles competition - Squashworld clubs - Saturday afternoon towards the end of the year, maybe early December - Louis

2.1. Awards Night - Dinner, Dance

The aim of this event is to make the main event on the club's calendar. It will celebrate members achievements for the previous 12 months (Oct - Sept), and provide a focal event for members, partners and family to get together. The event will be held the second Saturday of October, which in 2021 coincides with the 20th anniversary of World Squash Day, and in 2022 will also coincide with the club's 45th anniversary.

Pennants winner, club champions, volunteers, golf winners, etc will be highlighted and honoured at the event, followed by dancing and frivolity!

We are aiming for 88 (11 tables of 8) people to attend this event!

Bernice Gryguc nominations - we have received 5 nominations for this trophy.

TICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE, see any committee member for tickets. Get your tables of 8 together and let us know if you are coming, as we need numbers to make this happen!

Decision

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3. Pennant Teams

The Spring season has commenced, we have 13 teams this season - 1 x Monday night, and 12 x Tuesday night (includes 3 x Ladies Tuesday). This is an increase of two teams from last season.

Scoring for the Spring season is PAR, to 15, win by 2 points (except State & Div 1 Tuesday - play to 11)

Day League - Spring season has commenced, we have 6 players competing.

Monday Night Ladies League - Spring season has commenced, we have 4 players competing.

Fees for WA Squash 2022 - Seniors \$70, Juniors \$30, Insurance only \$40

4. Grants

Mar 2021 - TAB Sports Grants - \$2000 towards equipment for the Junior program

Apr 2021 - Volunteer Grant (via Federal MP) - \$5000 requested for equipment, coaching courses, and furniture. Advised that approved for \$4,400. Final application provided to Federal department, now waiting for confirmation of funds. Decision due in November, funds to be released in December.

Funding application was for coaching fees, new tables and chairs, training for the committee, junior equipment.

GRANT UPDATE - GIRLS ONLY SQUASH CLINIC

The acquittal has been finalised, and we were required to refund the remaining funds - \$2160.

5. Child Safe Organisation

As part of the grant funding acquittal the club has to develop a Child Safe Code of Conduct. This has come out of the Royal Commission into Child Abuse, and is aimed as ensuring organisations are protective of children accessing their programs, and have processes in place should abuse occur or be disclosed.

Steven has drafted a Child Safe Policy, and Code of Conduct, based on templates available and these have been circulated to the committee for input. Discussion at the next meeting.

6. Committee Members

The following committee members were elected for 2021-22:

Steven Jones - President,

Mike Hipkins - Secretary

Audrey Lazaroo - Ladies Club Capt, Anthony Campbell - Mens Club Capt

Committee - Rob Blackett, Frank Lupis, Brian Searles, Elliott Sawyer, Louis Meyer, Brett Hainsworth

Vacant - Vice President, Treasurer

Clare Slyth - will continue to manage the juniors

Steve Tapley - will continue to manage the website / entertainment books

End of minutes.

Summary of matters arising are tabled on the following page.

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