

# Blue Gum Squash Club (Inc)



## Committee Meeting

Monthly Meeting

When 13-03-2017 at 03:00

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

Chairperson Steven JONES

Minute  
taker Steven JONES

## Minutes

### 1. Membership Update

We currently have 87 (88) paid members - 7 life members, 1 social, 32 non-pennants, 48 pennants.

Note - 1 person has paid, but we don't know who this belongs to.

Outstanding Pennant Payments - Craig Geer, Darryl Carpenter, James Crawshaw, Julio de Jesus (paid after meeting), Adrian Randall, Paul Sawyer, Lewis Wegner, and Chips Northcott (day pennant)

The following players were nominated for pennants, but have not yet played a game. We will have been billed for these people so will have a credit at WA Squash if they don't play this year - David Ligovich, Louis Meyer, Peter Rinaldi, Eduardo Cosa, Kenneth Lim, and Corey Smith

## 2. Entertainment Books

Steve Tapley will be the contact for this year. Ric was contacted to see if he wanted to continue, but hasn't responded. (Ric responded after the meeting and advised that he didn't want to continue.

Gemma, from Entertainment Books, will contact Steve to discuss the process and what we need to do.

### Tasks

- ✓ Steven to advise Gemma of new contact details  
Assignee: Steven JONES  
Due date: 16-03-2017
- ✓ Steve to liaise with Gemma  
Assignee: Steve TAPLEY  
Due date: 31-03-2017

## 3. Funds for centre improvement

We have collected \$2000 from members fees to use towards improvements for the facilities for members. At this stage we are looking at potentially purchasing a new / bigger Fridge, BBQ, Ovens or contributing somehow to the refurbished centre. We need an update on the current progress for the centre before making any decisions. Kane to be contacted and invited to the next committee meeting.

(Post meeting - suggestion from Ric for the club to purchase a defibrillator)

### Tasks

- ✓ Steven to invite Kane to the next committee meeting  
Assignee: Steven JONES  
Due date: 10-04-2017

#### 4. 40th Function - Update

Room has been booked - River Room - and looks great. Checked the initial invoice and it confirms that the room fee was waived, and the \$425 was for the dance floor. Bar is available, possibly at members prices for this event, this is to be determined.

Discussed the menu options and decided to go for the top buffet menu rather than a served menu, mainly due to it providing more choice for people, and people could choose what they wanted to eat, rather than an alternate drop menu.

Maybe offer Life Members the option to say a few words, or at least send some words to us to convey. No speeches planned

Past members are welcome to attend, hoping to get at least 100 people attending. Need to develop a poster to start advertising.

Need to organise - Music - Irene is following up with a band, decorations, door prize, maybe photo booth.

Tickets - explore the use of Eventbrite to manage tickets

Cost of attendance - will be \$20 for members, \$70 for non-members

Time - 6.30pm to midnight

Date - Saturday 14th October

#### **Decision**

Costs - \$20 members, \$70 non-members

#### **Tasks**

- ✓ Follow up music options  
Assignee: Irene PETKOVICH (Deceased)  
Due date: 30-09-2017
- ✓ Get prices for photo booth  
Assignee: Steven JONES  
Due date: 15-05-2017
- ✓ Develop a poster for the event  
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Due date: 31-03-2017

## 5. Music Quiz Night??

It was suggested that we have a Music quiz night by a couple of Thursday night regulars, maybe between seasons, towards the end of May. Committee were in favour of this happening, as it would be a good family event.

Discussed that this could be opened up to the whole centre (Tennis & Squash) and possible use the rooms downstairs, and have access to the bar. Steven to contact the Tennis Club to see if this is an option.

Cost for attendance would be a nominal amount of \$10 per person, this money would be used to fund prizes for the evening.

People could bring their own food, or we could look at joining with the Tennis Club and providing some food as part of the evening.

### Tasks

- ✓ Steven to contact Tennis Club to see if they are interested in doing a joint function  
Assignee: Steven JONES  
Due date: 31-03-2017
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## 6. Pennant Teams - numbers for next season

Several Men's teams are struggling for players this season, due to players leaving, or not informing us that they are unable to play. This is the worst season for some time, and it's disappointing given that Jordan contacted all the teams, and most of the players prior to the season commencing.

Before next season, we will contact all the teams again and try to get a better picture of who is available next season.

### Tasks

- ✓ Contact all teams (maybe send a survey) by the end of the season to establish who is playing next season  
Assignee: Jordan HUGHES  
Due date: 10-04-2017

## 7. Life Membership

Discussion around the current 'benefits' of life membership, does this just refer to Club Fees, or also pennant fees.

Committee discussed that over recent years it has been restricted to club fees, and that this seemed to be appropriate, as extending it to pennant fees could create an ongoing expense to the club that isn't sustainable.

This decision will be updated and clearly stated as an addendum to the new constitution.

### Decision

Life members will receive free club membership, but all other fees are payable.

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*End of minutes.*  
*Summary of matters arising are tabled on the following page.*

# Minutes of Committee Meeting on 13-03-2017

## Summary of Matters Arising

### Decisions

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