MEETING OF REDCLAWS SOCIAL BOWLS CLUB, PLR BARGARA HELD AT THE OCEAN BREEZE CLUB HOUSE ON MONDAY 9 JANUARY 2023

MEETING OPENED: 9 am

ATTENDEES: Joan Lembcke, Marilyn Power, Julia Fagg, Wally Power, Sandra Marshall, Cathy Jenkins, Ken Galvin, John Beeck

APOLOGES: Nil

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING: Meeting held 14 November 2022

Read and accepted.

Moved:	John	Seconded:	Cathy
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BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MINUTES:

1. John mentioned that he had approached people that are dropping their bowls upon delivery. Some were not very receptive to this approach, which is a shame. Residents must understand that Palm Lake Resort has supplied the greens for Residents' use. We doubt we will get any replacement in the near future. "NON DROPPING OF BOWLS" is a PLR directive and therefore must be adhered to.

Moved: Julia Seconded: Sandra

CORRESPONDENCE:

Incoming Correspondence:

- 1. Copy of email sent to Keith Arnfield from Mick Muscat in regards to purchase of TV for the Ocean Breeze Club House.
- 2. Application For Membership: Karen Petersen villa 439
- 3. Application For Membership: Frankie Gregory villa 372
- 4. Application For Membership: Carmel Pearson villa 485 (Social)
- 5. Application For Membership: Alan Pearson villa 485
- 6. Application For Membership: Geoff Hill villa 454
- 7. Application For Membership: Jim & Donna Sanders villa 396
- 8. Application For Membership: Robert & Barbara Fairweather villa 395
- 9. Application For Membership: Jenny Tyler villa 378 (Social)
- 10. Application For Membership: Barry Hughes villa 165 (Social)
- 11. Letter from Harold Riley regarding change to money board.
- 12. Copies of emails from sponsors in regards to 2023 Sponsorship (7).

Outgoing Correspondence:

- 1. Copies of emails to sponsors in regards to 2023 Sponsorship.
- 2. Booking sheet to Caretakers with Meeting Room dates for 2023.
- 3. Booking sheet to Caretakers covering dining area in OBCH for 2023.
- 4. Booking sheet to Caretakers for Travel Managers presentation in the Theatre 5/2/2023.

Moved: John Seconded: Ken

REPORTS:

President's Report:

President Joan wished to thank the Committee for all the hard work for 2022 and especially Christmas Days.

Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer's report. As there was no meeting held in December 2022, Sandra handed out copies of expenditure for Oct/Nov 2022.

Moved: Sandra Seconded: Cathy

Accepted.

Games Director's Report:

Julia will be away from 17 Feb 2023 until 20 March 2023. She will approach Harold to act during this time. If unavailable, backups will be John and Ken. (Maybe Marilyn if backups not available).

Greens Director's Report:

Greens were kept reasonably well during the Christmas break. Greens volunteers now back full time.

Committee Member's Report:

- 1. Ken will be away from 6 February 2023 until16 February 2023. Also 10 May 2023 until 15 June 2023.
- 2. The Rules & Etiquette book requires an update, also more copies made. This leaflet/book is handed out to new members.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

- Mick Muscat has written to Keith Arnfield in regards to purchase of a TV for the Ocean Breeze Clubhouse. This is a replacement for the TV that was previously at the Oasis Bar and was removed during the renovations. Mick has approached both the Caretakers and the Residents Association. The Redclaws Social Bowls Committee are in agreement with Mick that a TV in the Dining Area of the OBCH would be an asset.
- 2. Darren McCracken has purchased "Crackers" which is a locally owned Bowls Shop in Bundaberg. In assisting Darren in his new endeavour, the Redclaws will hold a "pop up" shop on Wednesday 15 February 2pm to 4pm. Sea Breeze back verandah (and/or inside on dance floor near craft rooms). A flyer will be placed on noticeboards, letterbox drop. Mick please put on Residents TV channel. Marilyn to put on both Facebooks.

Action: Marilyn & Ken (flyer)

3. Sandra suggested that a listing of costs be handed to the incoming 2023 Committee (17/9/2023 AGM) to assist them. Christmas costings to be updated and made available for reference.

Action: Marilyn

4. Ian Long, Travel Managers will sponsor Sunday 5 February 2023. He, as usual, will be holding a presentation on the Sunday morning 9am in the SBCH Theatre. A flyer will be placed on noticeboards, letterbox drop. Mick please put on Residents TV channel. Marilyn to put on both Facebooks.

Action: Marilyn & Ken (flyer)

- 5. Past Presidents Day will be held Wednesday 22 March 2023 with a sausage sizzle. Visitors to be charged \$10 green fees, this also covers cost of sausages serve. Residents to pay \$3/serve.
- 6. The Committee agreed that the three (3) special events will be sausage sizzle events. Also the Past Presidents Day.
 - (a) Past Presidents Game, Wednesday 22 March 2023
 - (b) State of Origin 1st game, Wednesday 31 May 2023
 - (c) Ladies versus Mens, Sunday 2 July 2023
 - (d) Odds versus Evens, Sunday 24 September 2023.
- 7. Letter received from Harold Riley in regards to changing the prizes for the money board. His suggestion of a \$50/board instead of a \$40/board was discussed. It was agreed that as sometimes it was hard to fill a sheet, that a larger number sheet would be even more difficult.

Residents prefer the money board to be drawn on that same day. It was agreed by the Committee that we would stay with a \$40 sheet with prize money of \$20/sheet. A trial on sponsor days for the 100 number sheet will be set up. Stay with 3 money prizes. Cost of numbers will be \$2/number.

- 8. Discussion took place on where we were headed with attendances on Wednesdays and Fridays. Harold's Golden Bucket has not be overly successful in attracting more players, so a trial of:
 - (a) First Fridays of the Month will stay but with 3 x \$20 Woolworths vouchers handed to random positions, ie winning skip, losing skip, winning lead. These positions will change per month.
 - (b) Winning Rink \$20 each player
 - (c) Losing Rink \$15 each player.

Costing \$165 per month.

Wednesday will stay as a normal bowls day ie wine/vouchers only if over 30 players. Also Fridays will now be called "Variety Friday" which will incorporate different sequences ie Paddle pop draw, barnyard draw, etc.

- 9. Beachmere trip 19 & 20 April 2023 will be advertised to ascertain numbers. Bowlers to make their own travel and accommodation plans. There is a list on the noticeboard. Please put your names down if you are interested in attending. Sandra Marshall will be the contact Villa 232. Please be aware that Beachmere do not have a bar in their clubhouse. Drinks are BYO.
- 10. Committee please note that Easter's Meeting will be held on Tuesday 11 April 2023.

The meeting closed at 10.12 am.

NEXT MEETING: Monday, 13 February 2023 at 9am

Joan Lembcke President