

# Airwaves



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**Catering**

Therese Ross

**The July General Meeting will be Friday 25th July at the Community Hall on the corner of Todds Road and Ellis Street Lawnton commencing at 8:00 pm**

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The Annual General Meeting will be held on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> August at the Hall.

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The next working Bee will be Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> July to prepare for the Airshow .

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Giddy All,

The Airshow is this Sunday 27 July. If you haven't contacted Graham Tattersall or Artie Philips to volunteer to help or to arrange to fly, DO IT NOW! There will be the usual Working Bee on the Saturday to prepare.

The Annual General Meeting will be held on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> August. If you are nominating for a Committee position you must lodge your nomination with the Secretary no later than 15<sup>th</sup> August, so the nominations can be notified in the August Airwaves.

I am also looking for someone to take over Airwaves, I think it is time for some new blood. This is not a committee position, so just let me know if you may be interested.

Bring your transmitter to the Meeting on Friday if you would like to be given some idea of its performance. Alf Koch will have a Spectrum Analyser with him. Some have already seen this machine in operation at the field and it is very impressive. Unfortunately it does not have the necessary certificates for testing, however it will show you how accurate your radio frequency really is.

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Committee nominations to date:

President: Joyce Rowland.  
Secretary Treasurer: Bill Rowland.

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General Meeting 27 June 2003

Apologies: Eric Pond, Bob Porter

New members: Noel Murrey, Bob McKary, Barry Englfelt.

Attendance: as per att. book 34

Minutes as printed in Airwaves were moved to be correct.

Business arising from minutes: Nil

Correspondence in: MAAQ, PRSC, Members fees, Col Parry, Peter Summerfeldt, Peninsular Fair, Dept. Main Roads, Kingaroy Soaring Club.

Correspondence out: MAAQ, Members fees, Extra insurance, Peninsular Fair.

Treasurers report: Read and accepted

Maint report: The fence posts are gradually sinking.

We need to do a concrete base for our new tank.

The pound needs either pavers or cement put in front as it is a heavy traffic area. The table near the pound needs moving as it cuts down the angle of approach to the pound.

Working bee on Sunday 6/7 and another on Sat 26/7 to tidy up before the Air show.

CFI Report: The club should look to implementing the safety point as printed in Airflow. Every member must police the field rules, to help stop any claims this is the only way to keep our ins down.

Peter Summerfeldt is our latest instructor in our club.

We still need more PRAMS members to fly and help with the air show.

Just remember that safety is our no 1 priority from now on.

PRO Report: Air show preparations are all in hand, main roads have been approached for a banner on the north approach at Brays Rd and the radio stations are already running the ads for the show.

General Business: Col Parry is stepping down, as President, so Graham Tattersall is stepping in until the AGM when a new team can be elected.

Will Dyer has just gone solo in full size aircraft congratulation to Will.

The insurance has been finalized for this year, Jnr. \$90.00, Pens \$125.00 General Members \$140.00.

The gate is still being left unlocked, if you leave the field and there is still someone flying make sure that they will lock up

Don't forget if there are any freq keys in the board, to make sure that they, have the blue stickers on for this year otherwise they might not be insured.

Dave Anderson put on a demonstration of servo power draw, which was quite astounding.

Our librarian has quite a few books and magazines for us to borrow.

The question was asked do the Helo pilots have to obey the 30m law the answer is YES. The Helo area is only to practice hovering if they are flying circuits they must fly from the pilot area, when hovering they must be 30m from the shed and also from the pit area.

The raffle was won by G. Ross meeting closed at 9.31pm

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What a great day I had at the Gold Wings Competition on the 5<sup>th</sup> July! The weather was in our favour, with just a light breeze.

The winners in the outright sports division were:

1<sup>st</sup> Simon Atkinson

2<sup>nd</sup> Geof Jenkins

3<sup>rd</sup> Harold Smithard

After a fly-off for first place in the trainer aircraft division, Peter West won. Patrick Hethermann's spectacular flight won him first prize in the Irish Aerobatic division.

I hope you all had a great day and I'd like to thank Graham Tattersall for judging and Hobby Garage for their support. I hope to see you on the 20<sup>th</sup> September for the Fun Fly Competition.

Don Barber



**PRAMS Management Committee Nomination**

**Name:**.....

**Position:**.....

**Nominee Signature:**.....

**Secunder Name:**.....

**Secunder Signature:**.....

**Nominations must be received by the Secretary no later than Friday 15 August 2003. Nominee and Secunder must be financial members of PRAMS. For further information contact the Secretary.**