

Airwaves



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

Sunday Flying now from 8:00AM

Working Bee Sunday 3rd November 2002

Sporty Forty

The Sporty Forty event was held on 20 October. Bill tells me that all who attended and or took part had a great time. Seven PRAMS members competed, results as follows:

- 1st Harold Smithard.
- 2nd Geoff Stopher.
- 3rd John Waller.

Bundaberg

The Bundaberg club held its fly in over the weekend of 19/20 October. About 8 PRAMS members and some of their families attended. We had a great time. There were quite a few aeroplanes there considering the club has only 40 members. The most impressive model would have to be a four .46 engined B17 Flying Fortress. This was a BIG model that flew beautifully. There were a few crashes, one quite conveniently in front of the local TV camera, thankfully we all brought our gear home mostly intact.



General Meeting 27/9/2002 meeting opened 8.07pm

Apologies G Tattersall, B Porter, G Jenkins, D Anderson.

Visitors Ros Hollis, Therese Ross.

Present as per att book 26.

Minutes as per Airwaves moved to be correct Artie Phillips, sec Graham Kennedy.

Correspondence In: MAAQ, Members.

Correspondence Out: MAAQ, Notice to members re extra insurance for member to member cover.

Treasurers Report: Read members. Agree to go to Credit Union Australia with our investments.

Field Maintenance: Not a lot to be done just general maintenance and mowing etc.

PRO Report: 2 weeks ago we looked at some land at Narangba, but there were a few problems with that particular block, so it would not be a viable proposition, so we are still looking. It seems that most members do not want to go too far west, the problem is finding land locally. A letter of thanks has been sent to all our sponsors for the Air show.

Catering Report: Last week end we only broke even at our Fly in.

General Business:

Sporty Forty weekend is 20 Oct and will be run as per airwaves, it will be a serious/fun competition with some good prizes. It will be judged by 3 judges over 3 flights only.

It has been suggested that if members would like to open the shed as a canteen of a w/end by volunteers. Volunteers who do the canteen would have this credited as a working bee. Perhaps members who do this could buy the sausages or whatever, take the cost from what they have made the balance going to the club. Members would have to watch what they are buying and selling so that they are not out of pocket.

Dave Harper stated that he has read that computer radio's could upset a pacemaker, although this has not been substantiated.

G Kennedy is going to price a 1000 gal water tank, and Alex Adomovics has said that he will pay for the tank and donate it to the club.

We are hoping to put the smaller tank on the container to give us a better head pressure to put in shower's and also run water to the toilets.

The raffle was one by A Adomovics meeting closed at 8.55 pm

Christmas Party

The Christmas Party will be held on Sunday 8 December. This is a major event on the club calendar so please keep this weekend free to attend.

Early next month the invitations will be sent out for the Christmas Party. When you RSVP, please include your payment. The invitations will contain pricing and other relevant details.

It is imperative that you RSVP as soon as possible and certainly no later than the due date. The catering and organisation of the party requires a lot of work and pre planning, and unfortunately if we don't hear from you, you will not be catered for, or your children allowed for in any activities.

Everyone who comes to the Christmas Party comments on what a great time we all have, so don't miss out. This year's membership numbers look like being a record year, so we are expecting a big party.

If you need any early info contact Bill Rowland.
