# **MINUTES 2018 AGM**

# **AUSTRALIAN ASSOCIATION OF EQUINE PODIOTHERAPISTS**

# **Incorporations Act 1981 A0057947R**

Held: Hawkesbury Race Club, 1 Racecourse Road, Clarendon, NSW,

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Date: Friday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Meeting opened: 13:20pm

# **APOLOGIES:**

Karen Taranto (By Email)

- Sietske Nobel (By Email)
- Kirsten Davie s(By Email)
- Peter VanderBosch (By Email)
- Martin Godwin (By Email)
- Lauren MacNab (By Email)
- Ian Wilson (By Email)
- Cindie Ursen (By Email)

# PRESENT:

#### Members:

- David Leigh
- Libby Franz
- Joanne Hill
- Sally Cherry
- Eva Snelson
- Danielle Grumont
- Maja Stocker
- Brigitte Winter
- Nathan Marshall
- Susan Gill

- Susan Leigh
- Suzanne Barton

#### Others:

- Shakira Mustchin
- Brett Mayer
- Guy Packard
- Teresa Emery
- Mandy Pritzkow
- Liz Inder

The president advised those present that the meeting would be recorded. Minutes would be transcribed at a later stage.

The president welcomed everyone to the meeting and thanked everyone for attending.

The minutes of the 2016 AGM were read and accepted by everyone.

Moved by: Libby Franz

Seconded by: Nathan Marshall

#### **REPORT FROM THE PRESIDENT:**

#### **PRESIDENTS REPORT**

It has been a challenging year exploring different ways in which we can grow the association and assist members with further education and improve an d encourage communication amongst the members.

We have now got 65 members on our register to date.

# Things that we have done so far this year:

FACEBOOK PAGE: Australian Association of Equine Podiotherapists.
David asked for the members to put interesting posts forward to put on the association page

# 2. SECRET PAGE ON FACEBOOK FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION:

Please provide the secretary with your Facebook name.

#### 3. INSURANCE

- **1.** Students doing case studies and practical work at the college are covered by the college insurance.
- 2. Student trimming friends or families horses and not charging can obtain student insurance from AJ Gallagher. Students collecting payment cannot be insured.
- **3.** Qualified Trimmer: can be insured as a practioner through AJ Gallagher at a discounted rate if a member of the association.
- **4.** No longer a student and have not completed their case studies will not be able to obtain insurance at a discounted rate if they are a member of the association from AJ Gallagher or you would have to work as an apprentice with a qualified member (the qualified member would need mentor insurance)
- **4.** HORSE COUNCIL: It was decided to join the horse council and a member of our committee would endeavour to represent us at committee meetings of the horse council.

#### 5. WEBSITE:

# **Under the members area:**

A password is issued to each member.

- 1. Minutes from Annual General Meetings will be able to be viewed.
- 2. Membership renewal form online
- **3.** List of qualified and student trimmers(being updated at the moment)
- **4.** More things being added all the time

#### 6. SUBSCRIPTION:

This is now a yearly subscription and we are busy setting a date that it needs to be paid by.

#### 7. STICKERS:

This have been designed by Nadine Marshall and will be provided to all members (whether Qualified or Student). Thanks to Nadine for arranging.

#### 8. FLYERS:

These were designed by Nadine and will be provided in all the booklets at the conference. Thanks to Nadine for arranging.

# 9. ARTICLES TO MAGAZINES TO ADVERTISE THE ASSOCIATION AND ALSO GET THE ASSOCIATION IN THE MEDIA:

Any information about rehab centre etc and images to be sent to David to compile into an article.

In order to move forward and grow we need a larger active committee and membership who can offer some time and skill to facilitate the progression of these ideas.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR FROM JULY 2015 TO JUNE 2016

#### **FINANCIALS:**

As at December 2017 we have \$

\$1506.89 carried from Jan 2017

+\$650.00 memberships

+ .00 interest

\$ 2156.89

-\$ 55.80 CAV Tax year July 2015 to June 2016

-\$ 55.80 CAV Tax year July 2016 to Dec 2016

-\$144.00 Virtual Access

#### \$1901.29 TOTAL

MOVED BY: David leigh

Seconded by: Nathan Marshall

#### **ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS FOR YEAR 2018 – 2019:**

All Positions were declared vacant.

**<u>President:</u>** David Leigh. Nominated by Maja Stocker. Seconded by Libby Franz

<u>Vice President:</u> Nathan Marshall. Nominated by David Leigh. Seconded by Libby Franz

<u>Secretary:</u> Susan Leigh. Nominated by Libby Franz. Seconded by Maja Stocker.

<u>Treasurer:</u> Libby Franz. Nominated by David Leigh. Seconded by Nathan Marshall

### **Committee:**

- 1. <u>NEW SOUTH WALES</u>: Nathan Marshall. Nominated by David Leigh. Seconded by Maja Stocker.
- 2. <u>VICTORIA:</u> Brigitte Winter. Nominated by David Leigh. Seconded by Jo Hill
- 3. **QUEENSLAND:** Maya Stocker. Nominated by David Leigh. Seconded by Nathan Marshall.
- 4. **SOUTH AUSTRALIA:** Michelle Linke. Nominated by David Leigh. Seconded by Nathan Marshall.
- 5. **TASMANIA:** Libby Franz. Nominated by David Leigh. Seconded by Maha Stocker.
- 6. There was no one available to cover Western Australia and Northern Territory at the moment.

As there were no further matters to be discussed the meeting was closed at 13:45pm