

131 Locators Association Inc.



Minutes for the General Meeting of the 131 Locators Association Inc. held at Canley Heights RSL and Sporting Club at 11.05AM on Tuesday 25thst August 2015

Attendees were: Allen Morley, Grahame Dignam, Ernest Newbold, George Lane, Ged Carroll, Ian Amos, Bob Billiards, Bert Blink, Des McGuiggan, Nick Proskurin, Terry Westerway.

Apologies: Paul Dickson, Vic Danko

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Welcome	Allen opened the meeting at 11.05 AM by welcoming all the attendees				
ltem 1	Minutes of the previous meeting and Correspondence were circulated with the Agenda and deemed				
	to be read and correct except as mentioned in Issues arising below.				
Item 2	Recent Correspondence (uncirculated) included NIL				
Item 3	Issues arising from All Correspondence and the previous minutes were :				
	Items were reviewed however issues arising were Nil.				
	Moved George LaneSecond Rob BilliardsAgainst NilAccepted				
Item 4	Financial Report.				
	Current Balance at the Bank is \$13237.03				
	Financial Membership is currently 141				
	Associates 9				
	Affiliates 2				
	Total 152				
	New Members - Nil				

	Merchandise. Car Decals - stock: 288 – Cost \$759. ROI is \$927 – Surplus \$168 Car Ribbons Stickers original stock 100 -Cost \$300 ROI \$65 short -\$ 235 Caps/Hats - stock : 32 caps/33 hats/7 surf. Cost - \$1654 - ROI is \$1783 Surplus \$129				
	Moved G Dignam Second George Lane Against Nil Accepted				
Item 5	 Presidents report. Allen reported that Bankstown Sports Club hosted the Sydney Vietnam Veterans Day event in its usual professional fashion. Next year s evbent will be in Canberra. Reported that planning for ANZAC DAY 2016 in Enoggera is underway with Terry Erbs acting as Planning OIC. A message from Maj. Russell Hamsey with some suggestions was discussed and will be actions as considered appropriate. Allen contacted the RAAHC requesting a concession on the cost of the proposed paver donation for the unit size paver we will sponsor in the North Head Walk. 				
Item 6	Public Officer Report. Vic has Apologised for his absence to-day and advised that he will o/s 3/9 till 10/10/15.				
Item 7	Webmaster Update. Bob provided stats via email. He has placed 2 OCs recollection items on the website in the "Through their eyes" tab and albums have been arranged for relevant photos				
Item 8	 Special Events items 2016. A unique 50 year insignia has been developed by Ern Newbold and a complete listing of Det 131 DLB personnel who served in SVN will be presented to 20STA in ceremonies marketing the 50 year anniversary - See last page. 				
Item 9	Other Matters. • Ern Newbold has been scoping the issue of photo sizes for use in the Presentation Album previously mentioned and submitted examples of a size (5x7)that would work well and include some text . We required about 200 good quality photos covering the entire detachment period 1966-1971. • AGM will be held on 17 November 2015 commencing at 11.00 at: Canley Heights RSL and Sporting Club 26 Humphries Rd Wakeley NSW 2176				
Item 10	Next General meeting will be on: 15 th September (amended) 2015 at 11.00 AM Canley Heights RSL and Sporting Club 26 Humphries Rd Wakeley NSW 2176 Club RHONE [02] 9604 9975 or				
	Club PHONE [02] 9604 9975 or Sec/Treas 0437 361 602				

Item 11	Meeting Closed 12.20PM		
	Signed A Morley	Chairman	

Addendum A

131Locators Meeting Action Items August 2015 Prior Action Items

- 1. Projects worthy of Support of 131Locator Association Members. **Ongoing** details of proposed & current projects and their status to be identified. Suggestions George Lane suggested 2 x \$500 scholarships be offered to a Locator's family annually.
- 2. Fund 131 Div Loc Bty historical memorabilia and present to 20STA Regiment Enoggera Qld.

Current Meeting Topics

1. Ongoing: Arrange for Meeting Minutes to be placed in Members Only area of Website (Sec/Treas to arrange pdf files for webmaster).

Updates Completed on Prior Action Items

- 1. OCs recollections project is close to fruition with 1 outstanding.
- 2. Implement website tabs to accommodate OCs recollections and photographs

50 Year Commemorative Insignia by Ern Newbold

