



Adelaide Canoe Club

General Meeting

Held at Canoe SA, 20 April 2017

Present

Eddie Andriessen, Peter Carter, Ben Collett (visitor), Bernard and Frances Goble, Don McDonald, Tracey Matzka, David Mausolf (Chair), Charles Walker, Kim Wooning

Apologies

Meredith Blessing, Ian Brunning, Ian Heard, Noel Holmes, Mark Loram, Geoff Moore, Helen Stewart

Minutes of the previous meeting

The minutes of the 16 March meeting were confirmed as circulated.

Reports

Secretary

Received: *Ocean Paddler* No 56 print edition, No 57 digital
Adventure Kayak Spring 2017, print
Seekajak No 150
TSCC: AGM notice, program
MCC: Back 2 Back race flier
Hody (Hungary): Sprint boat price list

Global Paddler: Bookpurnong and Tanyaca and Rumpagunyah creek guides now available.

Queensland incident: A ski paddler had been rescued after his boat was bitten by a shark.

Recreational access to reservoirs: Recreation SA was seeking information on potential use of reservoirs, should one or more be opened. (There had been such a proposal in the 1970s, abandoned at a change of government.)

Treasurer

Current balances remained healthy.

Website

There were questions regarding links to some resources. There was an increasing number of followers.

Polo

The current season had ended and a venue was being sought for a winter season.

There had been a training camp at Nagambie at Easter before the Oceania championships in May.

Australian Canoeing

It was hoped that membership payments by credit card would be implemented for 2017–18.

General business

Short Range Operator Certificate of Proficiency

SA Sea Rescue Squadron would be holding a marine VHF course on 27 May. The application form was available.

Forecasts

MetEye on the Bureau of Meteorology site was noted as the most useful for trip planning: www.bom.gov.au/australia/meteye/?ref=ftr.

Trip planning

Forthcoming events were briefly discussed (see calendar, next page).

Trip reports

Images and video of the recent final evening paddle, Floatfest, Flatwater course, holiday program, and coastal paddles were screened.

	Club	Canoe SA	Other
May			
Sat 6–Sun 7		Back 2 Back, Murray Bridge	
Sat 13– Sun 14	Kingston on Murray, with Charles Walker		
June			
Fri 9–Mon 12	Second Valley, with Ian Brunning		
Sat 10–Mon 12	Riverland, with Eddie Andriessen	Riverland Paddling Marathon	
November			
Mon 13–Mon 23	Goulburn River (Vic)		