



Adelaide Canoe Club

General Meeting

Held at Canoe SA, 17 August 2017

Present

Ian Brunning (Chair), Peter Carter, Matt Condon, Bernard and Frances Goble, Bruce Gregor, Noel Holmes, Chris Kemp, Mark Loram, Don McDonald, Catherine Opitz, Helen Stewart, Hugh Stewart, Charles Walker, Kim Wooning

Apologies

Eddie Andriessen, Meredith Blesing, Rob Bowen, Nicky Brunning, Paul Clutterbuck, Wayne Hooper, Ian Hume, Tracey Matzka, David Mausolf, Brian Slater, Libby Robertson,

Minutes of the previous meeting

The minutes of the 20 July meeting were confirmed as circulated.

Reports

President

A number of projects had begun:

- Training and leadership: Chris Kemp
- New membership: Catherine Opitz
- Facebook: Kim Wooning
- Brochures: Kim Wooning and Helen Stewart
- Waterways Guide: Ian Brunning
- VHF radio promotion: Mark Loram
- Flatwater program: Charles Walker
- Constitution: Rob Bowen
- Operations Handbook: based on WA model.

Secretary

Received: *Ocean Paddler* 59 (PDF)
TSCC: Program
S Mullighan MP: Fund My Neighbourhood information

It was now 30 years since the Scout accident on Lake Alexandrina.

Committee

Discussion was continuing on the Polo proposal.

The change of name to Paddle Adelaide was contemplated, and the domain paddleadelaide had been bought.

Two projects for membership growth were being planned: publicity material and come and try sessions.

A list of current SA Instructors was being researched.

Treasurer

A report was tabled.

Bank signatories were still being organised, and until there was access to the accounts memberships could not be finalised.

Auditing of the accounts had been completed.

There was some discussion of fees and introductory memberships.

Website

Facebook stats were encouraging. Kim Wooning would take over control of the site.

There was some discussion of boost, which required payment.

Polo

Noel Holmes reported that the current season was at Westminster and the summer season would be at Payneham.

State level training would begin in October for competition in January and Easter, and the 2018 Australian Championships.

Canoe SA

Planning continued for the Paddle SA launch event: Saturday 21 October

There would be a Paddle SA combined event, including regatta, on 29 October on West Lakes

The Team Paddle Challenge was 4–5 November, in the Roonka area

The 2017 AGM would be held Tuesday 14 November.

Australian Canoeing

The new CEO, Phil Jones, had been appointed.

The Gold Coast was venue for the 2018 AGM, 4–5 November.

General business

Presentation: Marine VHF for sea kayakers

Trip reports

Sunday paddles were continuing. Mark Loram spoke briefly of recent paddles with NSW Sea Kayak Club.

Calendar

Sunday paddles would continue, and events at Second Valley and Punyelroo were being considered.

	Club	Canoe SA	Other
September			
Fri 8–Sun 10	Blanchetown		
Thurs 21	Club meeting		
October			
Saturday 21		Paddle SA launch	
Sunday 29		Paddle SA combined event	
Fri 27–Sun 29	Kingston on Murray		
November			
Sat 4–Sun 5		Team Paddle Challenge	AC AGM, Gold Coast
Sat 11			SASRS: SROCP course
Mon 13–Mon 23	Goulburn River (Vic)		
Tues 14		Annual General Meeting	