

SOUTHERN DOWNS POULTRY CLUB ALLORA INC

General Meeting: 11th February, 2017

OPENED: 7:30PM

PRESENT: Keith & Ernie Young, Keith, Brett & Lisa Schelbach, Leanne Doepel & Keryn Case

APOLOGIES: Shirley Cornhill & Jane Leeson

MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETING were read & accepted as being correct by Brett Schelbach & Seconded by Ernie Young

CORRESPONDENCE IN:

- Heritage Bank statement
- Calendars from FCAQ - 10 copies, 2 were for Robert so now we have 2 spares if anyone would like more.
- FCAQ AGM nominations etc for upcoming season

CORRESPONDENCE OUT:

- FCAQ Junior member registration for Grace Lennon

GENERAL BUSINESS:

- Ag show results, Lisa to e-mail these to Brett Bender to put on the website
- New date for the Auction now will be 30th March, 2017
- No more date changes for next year as this makes us look totally unprofessional especially since being advertised in the FCAQ Calendar & Australian Poultry Magazine & our website
- Can we get a Judge's contract drawn up like the Ag show does & hopefully it may stop our judges letting us down at the last minute. See Brett Bender.
- Keryn has contacted Noel James re the Annual Bird Show to judge the Soft Feather, this is OK for him at the present time,
- Club members not too keen to have the Judge organized for the Hard Feather, will have to get another one

- Dates for next year's shows :
- Allora Ag Show - 2nd Saturday in February, 2018
- Young Bird Show - 1st Sunday in May from now on
- Annual Bird Show - last Sunday in August from now on
- Annual Auction - Last Sunday in April from now on
- No changes will be allowed & Judges are to be organized 12 months in advance
- Judges to try & get for 2018 :
- Ag show Luke Hancock
- Auction Midge
- Young bird show Soft Feather Ian Pask, ianpask@outlook.com
- Hard Feather & Waterfowl ?
- Annual bird show Soft Feather John Gibson, medlyn5@bigpond.com
- Hard Feather Henry Surtees, 07 4992 2296
- Feature for the Annual show will be Rhode Islands. We will also have the Robert Sackley Memorial Trophy for best R I R bantam & the George Garton Memorial Trophy for best Hard Feather Pit Game Bantam
- Shirley Cornhill has advised that the Allora Show Society has agreed to us having a 1metre x 1 metre sign made up to advertise our shows . Keryn to see Brett Bender re this. Black lettering on a white background with some chooks on it. Needs to be able to be changed for different shows. To go on the fence 1 month prior to our shows.
- Brett Schelbach has said that he would like to donate a decent prize for the exhibitors of our shows. There would be 1 ticket only per individual that is entered to show on the day. The draw would take place at the presentations.
- Keith Young will also get a Meat Tray to raffle & Brett Schelbach will organize a Fruit Box to Raffle
- The Allora men's Shed are to give us a Quote for a Trophy Cabinet, Leanne is organizing this.
- **Meeting Closed:** at 8:20pm