

Minutes of the Ormond Angling Club General Meeting

Meeting opened at 8:00 pm with the President in the chair.

Members present: 14 Visitors: Nil
Apologies: Gaynor Morris, Sergei Lepikhin, Alex Lepikhin, Walt Firestone
Illnesses: None noted

Administrative Matters:

Nominations: Nil
Elections: Michael Torcasio's election held over as he was not present
President's Report: Nil

Exec. Committee Actions:

An Executive Committee Meeting is scheduled for next Wednesday 10th August.

Angling Matters:

Members' Angling Reports (including any reports from previous Members Night):

1. George Green watched anglers on the Murrumbidgee, who had 2 redfin on freshwater yabbies. River was dirty and running a banker.
2. Lou reported pinkies to 30cm off Brighton pier, plus a 2nd hand report of snapper to 5 kg

Angling Secretary's report – Trevor Thommers

Next Competition: E1 Estuary comp and first leg of Ernie Hunt Trophy – Melbourne Rivers

Date: Competition will be held over two Saturdays - Saturday 6th and Saturday 13th August 2016. Members to fish one Saturday only.
Lines Down: 7 am Lines up: 2:00 pm
Weigh-in: Club Rooms (or other location as notified by Trip Captain) ASAP after Lines Up
Trip Captains: Saturday 6th August – Mario Procopiou
 Saturday 13th August – Peter Manning

Following Competition: S1 Surf comp, at Local Surf Beach, Saturday 20th August

Likely to be Williamsons Beach/Kilcunda, or Gunnamatta
The trip sheet is on the board. Details to be advised at next meeting.

Following Competition: F1 Freshwater comp, on Goulburn River, Saturday 10th September

Following Competition: F2 Freshwater comp, at "Western Lakes", Saturday 24th – Sunday 25th September

"Western Lakes" will be Lake Fyans (near Halls Gap). Need to start planning accommodation.

Social Matters: - Ian Morris

1. Raffle prizes for this evening include gardening equipment (loppers, etc).
2. Also, Lochie Barker has donated his fishing equipment for raffles in subsequent evenings.
3. Ian Morris mentioned that the social committee is canvassing ideas for suitable raffle prizes – if a member sees anything that suitable at a bargain price, then go ahead and buy it and the Club will re-imburse at the following meeting.
4. The raffle at the Presentation Night raised in excess of \$400, a very good result, and thanks to Gaynor for her persuasiveness.
5. Next social function is the Sinker Making Day and BBQ Sunday 28th August, from 11am, at the Club Rooms – a great opportunity to replenish your stocks of sinkers.

Delegates' Reports:

Hall hire & Pro. Report – Walter Firestone was not present.

1. Tom Nadebaum reported that the gas has now been reconnected but the Gas Company (they missed the Club when they were renewing the high pressure gas main in the street)
2. Tom Nadebaum reported that the aircon units had been left on after the last meeting, and reminded members that they have to be switched off before departing.
 - a. A recommendation was made that the units be turned off at the end of the meeting, rather than waiting until departing the hall
 - b. A reminder sign has been posted alongside the light switches above the switchboard.
3. Kerry Kennedy give Tom Nadebaum a recommendation on how to complete the splashback, after this meeting.

MAA/VR Fish. Representative— members were asked to consider nominating for this vacant position.

General Business:

1. John Healy left lemons on the table for whoever wants.
2. George Green had contacted Ray Chirgwin, who asks to be remembered to his old fishing colleagues.

The Lucky Number Members draw was won by Peter Manning. As Peter WAS in attendance, he won \$60. The prize money will revert to \$20 at the next General meeting.

Meeting Summary:

- Saturday 6/Saturday 13 August – E1 Melbourne Rivers
- Wednesday 10 August – Executive Committee Meeting ¼
- Wednesday 17 August – Members Night (and possible auction of old gear)
- Saturday 20 August – S1 Surf, Local Beach (Williamsons Near Wonthaggi?)
- Sunday 28th August – Sinker Making + BBQ, from 10am

- Don't forget to sign the Attendance Book.

In closing, Lou cooked up a lovely fish dish of Sea Bass, with diced tomatoes, onions and balsamic vinegar – delicious – I hope we can get the recipe published on Facebook

Meeting concluded at 8:50 pm

Guest Speaker or other interest item:

No Guest Speaker at General Meetings

Passed as a true and accurate record of the meeting:

Signed.....

Date.....

Next Meeting Members Night
When Wednesday 17th August 2016
Time 8.00 pm OAC clubrooms

Next General Meeting When Wednesday 7th September 2016
Time 8.00 pm OAC clubrooms

Next Executive Meeting When Wednesday 10th August 2016
Time 8.00 pm OAC clubrooms