



Armidale District Football Association Minutes of General Meeting

Held 13th March 2012 in the Errol Browning Room Rologas Complex, Armidale

Present: Glenn Druitt (Chair), Jean Bone, Tony Drozdowski, Evan Quaife, Graham Parsons Dave Logan, Matt Davis, Rob Bedford, Luke Polson, Barry Hackett, Steve Watts, Lindsay Grigg, Mark Farrant, Quinten Dillon

Apologies: Michael Leahy, Werner Schwarz, Ryan Marshall Apologies accepted on motion by Evan Quaife, seconded Barry Hackett

Minutes of Previous Meeting accepted on motion by Tony Drozdowski, seconded Graham Parsons.

Correspondence:

IN:

- Letter from The Coffee Club re sponsorship
- Tender for Line Marking
- Tender for Canteen Operation

OUT: None

Correspondence accepted on motion by Tony Drozdowski, seconded Barry Hackett

President's Report given by Glenn Druitt

- ADFA Draft Football activities Calendar for 2012
- ADFA Email Address
- Referees Fees for 2012
- Kanga Cup
- Girls Football Week
- Grassroots Certificate Course
- Armidale Show
- Painting & Repair of Goal posts

Treasurer's Report was tabled by Rob Bedford who moved that the Statement of Accounts for 17th February 2012 – 13th March 2012 be accepted and all payments approved, Seconded by Barry Hackett. Accepted.

Senior Convener

- Mann Cup to be played 21st & 22nd April, nominations to close 10th April 2012
- Sport UNE New England Open competition to commence 28th April with the Grand Finals to be played on the 15th September – Venues for Grand Finals need to be decided soon
- Steve Watts will visit each club along with a Referee to discuss with coaches/players any law changes etc. clubs to send to the ADFA secretary their training information (days, times) so that visits to clubs can be arranged.

Junior Convener

- Junior Nominations due 10th April with the competition to commence on the 5th May
- Jack Vallance Memorial Carnival will be held Sunday 12th August with nominations due on 30th July 2012
- Newcastle Permanent Gear will be delivered soon and will be distributed to clubs with a list of the qualifying recipients.

Referees Report:

- AGM will be held this Thursday
- Seminar with State Coach is being held on 24th March
- "Law Course" is now online, Level 4 course can then be done for a person to become a referee.
- Referee numbers will be 'light on' this year
- Date for next referees course is still to be set will advise as soon as available.

Publicity:

• Show Stand – worked well for the first year – a lot of ideas have been put forward for next year.

NIF:

- A Query form for Intertown has been sent out to all associations Glenn to fill in and return
- Next Board meeting will be a face to face with David Eland and Bill Walker attending
- Graham Parsons has returned to fill a casual vacancy on the NIF Board

General Business:

- Date for brainstorming meeting still needs to be set
- Query re the amount of money in the ADFA investment account
- Tenders for the Canteen and Line Marking have been accepted
- Chris Horneman will visit each club on the juniors training days to assist the coaches, club to advise of day and time of Junior training days so visits can be arranged.
- Query has been received asking if we are able to donate any unwanted soccer boots for distribution in the Philippines.
- Some issues have arisen with the new online registration system but has generally been well received.

Next Meeting to be held Errol Browning Room Tuesday 10th April 2012 commencing at 7pm