

DRAGONBOAT SA MINUTES



Racing Committee Meeting

8pm Thursday 3 December 2020

Via Zoom

1 MEETING OPEN – 8pm

2 PRESENT:

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| ▪ ASA 1: | Michele Lennon | ▪ KIDS 1: | Apology |
| ▪ ASA 2: | Michael Rehbein | ▪ KIDS 2: | Nil |
| ▪ ACDC 1 DF 1: | Sharon Knights | ▪ Mannum Dragons 1: | Colleen Walker |
| ▪ ACDC 2 DF 2: | Apology | ▪ Mannum Dragons 2: | Julie Metcalfe |
| ▪ Adelaide Phoenix 1: | Nil | ▪ Powerblades 1: | Neil Parker |
| ▪ Adelaide Phoenix 2: | Leigh Woodrow | ▪ Powerblades 2: | Dalia Sweeny |
| ▪ Black Sea Dragons 1: | Lyn Payne | ▪ SADA 1: | Heather Wingard |
| ▪ Black Sea Dragons 2: | Apology | ▪ SADA 3: | Pat Doogue |
| ▪ Blade Runners 1&2: | Apology | ▪ Subsonix 1: | Julie Lister |
| ▪ Blade Runners 3: | Sandy Douglas | ▪ Subsonix 2: | Ronnie Lane |
| ▪ Blue Water Raiders 1: | Raelene Fuller | ▪ Waiwilta 1: | Nil |
| ▪ Blue Water Raiders 2: | Nil | ▪ Waiwilta 2: | Nil |
| ▪ Copper Coast 1: | Valda Cooper | ▪ Water Warriors 1: | Nil |
| ▪ Copper Coast 2: | Chris Wolf | ▪ Water Warriors 2: | Chris Kelley |
| ▪ Coorong Dragons 1: | Sue Jones | ▪ Vicki's Pride 1: | Sandra Bennett |
| ▪ Coorong Dragons 2: | Brigitte Chapman | ▪ Vicki's Pride 2: | Julie Davies |
| ▪ DAPL 1: | Apology | ▪ Victor Dragons 1: | Rob Bowen |
| ▪ DAPL 2: | Nil | ▪ Victor Dragons 2: | Maxine Timbs |
| ▪ DA Adelaide 1: | Jo Hamlyn | ▪ DBSA: | Mick Cahill |
| ▪ DA Adelaide 2: | Nil | ▪ SADA 4: | Sue Smith |

APOLOGIES:

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| ▪ ACDC 2 DF 2: | Chris Wood | ▪ Black Sea Dragons 2: | Cheryl Watson |
| ▪ Blade Runners 1: | Julie Clinch | ▪ DAPL 1: | Sandy Jansen |
| ▪ SADA 2: | Rick French | ▪ DBSA: | Maria Darby |

The meeting was chaired by Pat Doogue (SADA).

3 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

MOTION:

THAT the Minutes of the previous meeting held 17 November 2020 be accepted as a true and accurate record.

MOVED: Neil Parker and SECONDED: Ronnie Lane

4 BUSINESS ARISING – ACTION ITEM STATUS

NO	NEW	DUE	WHO	STATUS
52	Check if there is a Council requirement for a safety boat to be used for the Peter Bristow race. ▪ Noted there was a requirement.	ASAP	DBSA	Done
53	Review number of volunteers required on race day and their assigned tasks to reduce inactivity. ▪ Noted the Board position was that the intention behind having additional volunteers on a race day is to assist with rotations and breaks. ▪ In response some committee members felt this was an exception rather than the rule and there has been little rotation to date of volunteers.	ASAP	DBSA	Done

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Noted one role could be for the car park attendant to monitor the cars parked across the road. Suggested Board revisit. 			
54	Add 10 Mixed – Senior A&B categories to 1000m race for Copper Coast Challenge.	ASAP	Marie	Done
55	Advise Valda of the expected time of last race so that Kadina Rotary (BBQ) can be advised to cater after this point.	ASAP	Ronnie & Valda	Done
56	Include standard Agenda item of Provisional Sweep for next race day as a reminder to Clubs.	Next Agenda	Marie	Done
NO	ONGOING	DUE	WHO	STATUS
30	Review rules and standards for the Peter Bristow race around starts and penalties to be imposed.	Next meeting	Sweeps' Com.	Done
47	Take up prizes (wine) to Wallaroo.	07-Nov	Maria	Done
50	<p>Look into issue with buoys coming adrift due to hooks needing replacing.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Noted four new hooks are in the maintenance locker and will be used to replace any that come adrift. 	B4 next race day	Mick Cahill	Done

5 GENERAL BUSINESS

5.1 07/11/20 – Race day #4 – Wallaroo Marina Challenge – feedback

- Positive feedback received with good weather and ability to complete all races.
- Appreciation extended to Valda Cooper and her crew for organising such a good event.
- Noted an issue with BSD not being around in time to load the dragon boat on to the trailer and task was completed by helpers from several Clubs.
- Aim next time will be to have a Finish line in place.
- Aim next time will be to have all boats return to the shore for presentations before paddling them back to the lock up.

5.2 07/11/20 – Reports

5.2.1 Chief Official

Tabled as read.

5.2.2 Copper Coast – Valda Cooper

Tabled as read.

5.3 Wallaroo Task List – updated

Tabled as read.

5.4 Peter Bristow Long Course - reschedule

Alternate dates were discussed and it was agreed to reschedule to Saturday 16 January 2021. New meeting date to be set, Race Calendar updated and Council advised.

Action: Marie (#57)

Clubs to think about their position on the starting times for each crew for next meeting as to whether should remain at 2 minutes apart or be shortened to 1 minute to allow for some close and tight finishes. **Action: Marie (#58)**

5.4.1 Update – Julie Clinch

Held over to Peter Bristow RC meeting.

5.4.2 Umpire Boat – placement

DBSA Board meeting 11/11/20

Discussion was held on where best to position the Umpire Boat during this event with it agreed that it should follow the last boat.

All Sweeps are to have the radio placed around their neck so they can contact the Umpire's boat on any issues with boats around them and have a mobile phone. Spotters to be positioned on each bridge with a mobile phone to report on any incidents.

Held over to Peter Bristow RC meeting.

5.5 13/12/20 – 20s over 500m + 2000m

5.5.1 Planning

As follows:

- Noted ASA would enter a “non qualifying” team and would be happy to arrange a composite team with paddlers from other Clubs.
- Noted would be a short race day given the number of entries and most likely finish around 12:30pm-1:00pm.
- Noted 2km Open Womens race would not be held if only one entry (SADA) so suggested they compete in the Open Mixed category.
- Clubs encouraged to enter in other categories.

5.5.2 Sweeping up requests

Nil.

5.5.3 Provisional Sweeps – any?

As follows:

- Larry Tomes – Powerblades
- Maria Darby – Subsonix

Reminder given for them to arrive 5-10 minutes early to complete the necessary paperwork and to wear a yellow vest whilst sweeping.

5.6 31/01/21 – Corporate Challenge reminder

Noted Genesis Care has withdrawn from participating due to OH&S COVID-19 risk assessments and insurance / liability concerns as organised work events are not allowed currently.

5.7 06/12/20 – Sweep & Drummer course - reminder

Noted course is scheduled for Sunday 6 December 2020 with 13 participants and a small number being Drummers.

Noted the quality of AusDBF notes for the Drummers’ course component are of a high standard.

5.8 16/05/21 – Vogalonga Down Unda – new date

Noted new date.

6 DBSA – update

- Noted Max Stevens (Copper Coast) has been appointed as Race Announcer for the remainder of the season.

7 AusDBF – update

- Nil.

8 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- Noted that the police warned ASA after training for not having a COVID Management Plan available at the Boatshed. Noted it had been circulated to all Clubs previously and follow up would be had with Peter Button for a hard copy version to be maintained on site.

Action: Neil (#59)

9 NEXT MEETING

The next meeting is scheduled for 8pm on Tuesday 29 December 2020 at The Sailing Club and via Zoom. Water Warriors to Chair.

RC MEETING DATE	CLUB	RACE DATE	CATEGORY
Tue 29-Dec	WWs	Sun 10-Jan	10s
Wed 06-Jan	PBs	Sat 16-Jan	Long Course
Wed 20-Jan	PBs	Sun 31-Jan	20s + Corporate
Thu 18-Feb	Phoenix	Sun 28-Feb	10s
Wed 03-Mar	BSD	Sun 14-Mar	20s
Wed 17-Mar	DBSA	Sat & Sun 27&28 Mar	States

10 CLOSE OF MEETING

The meeting closed at 8:48pm.

ACTION ITEMS

NO	NEW	DUE	WHO	STATUS
57	Set new race day for Peter Bristow of Saturday 16 January and advise Council and RC meeting beforehand.	ASAP	Marie	
58	Clubs to think about their position on the starting times for each crew for next meeting as to whether should remain at 2 minutes apart or be shortened to 1 minute to allow for some close and tight finishes	RC meeting for Peter Bristow	Clubs	
59	Follow up with Peter Button re SAPOL advice to have an COVID Management Plan on site.	4-Dec	Neil	Done