

DRAGONBOAT SA RC MINUTES v2



6 pm Wednesday 23 October 2024

At Aquatic Meeting Room / Zoom

1 MEETING OPEN – 8 pm.

2 PRESENT:

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| ▪ ASA 3: | Steve Holt – Z | ▪ KIDS 1: | Nil |
| ▪ ASA 2: | Mary-Ann Holt – Z | ▪ KIDS 2: | Nil |
| ▪ ACDC 1: | Chris Wood | ▪ Mannum 1: | Jason Kuhlmann – Z |
| ▪ ACDC 2: | John Holland | ▪ Mannum 2: | Julie Nattrass – Z |
| ▪ AP 1: | Apology | ▪ PBs 1: | Sharon Etherington – Z |
| ▪ AP 2: | Nil | ▪ PBs 2: | Neil Parker – Z |
| ▪ BSD 1: | Lyn Payne | ▪ PDs 1: | Angela Yates-Taylor – Z |
| ▪ BSD 2: | Nil | ▪ PDs 2: | Apology |
| ▪ BWR 1: | Nil | ▪ SADA 1: | Margaret Davidson |
| ▪ BWR 2: | Nil | ▪ SADA 2: | Heather Wingard |
| ▪ CC 1: | Marcia Dunne – Z | ▪ Subsonix 1: | Ronnie Lane – Z |
| ▪ CC 2: | Judy Haydon – Z | ▪ Subsonix 2: | Nil |
| ▪ CDs 1: | Roylene Nixon – Z | ▪ Waiwilta 1: | Nil |
| ▪ CDs 2: | Apology | ▪ Waiwilta 2: | Nil |
| ▪ DAA 1: | Jo Hamlyn | ▪ WWs 1: | Veronica Maidment – Z |
| ▪ DAA 2: | Apology | ▪ WWs 2: | Salomon Slabbert – Z |
| ▪ DAPL 1: | Sandra Jansen – Z | ▪ VDs 1: | Rob Bowen – Z |
| ▪ DAPL 2: | Nil | ▪ VDs 2: | Michael Lowe – Z |
| | | ▪ VP 1: | Apology |
| | | ▪ VP 2: | Nil |

APOLOGIES:

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| ▪ ASA 1: | Sigrid Thompson | ▪ DAA 1: | Lynsey Johnson |
| ▪ AP 1: | Kearney Sieberhagen | ▪ PDs 2: | Melanie Garland |
| ▪ CDs 1: | Sue Jones | ▪ VP 1: | Sandra Bennett |

The meeting was chaired by: Judy Haydon (Copper Coast).

3 MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

- Agreed that the Minutes of the previous meeting held 1 October 2024 be accepted as a true and accurate record. **Action: Marie #361**

4 BUSINESS ARISING – ACTION ITEM STATUS

- Action items reviewed.

5 SEASON 2023/24

5.1 Sun 13/10/24 – Race day #2 – 10s&20s over 500m + 2000m– feedback

- Perfect weather.
- Event ran behind time somewhat.
- BCS ceremony – noted will have more time to prepare next year. Field of Women did not arrive in time so used the one provided by ASA. Announcer to be provided with a radio next time so she can be aware of when to start announcing.
- Reminder given for boats to be loaded quickly and to move away from the shore when ready.
- The advice on the program for boats to go to the start in number order will be removed as this causes additional delays when some boats are not ready.
- Rob Bowen advised that two clubs, in particular, caused some delays as the B-Grade crews were waiting for sweeps, drummers and paddlers to finish the previous race. In response, it was noted that this was sometimes unavoidable, and some Clubs were supporting it.

- Rob Bowen advised that they were hurried to go to the start line on numerous occasions and had to wait while some boats were still loading on the beach. Stated it would be better for all boats to wait behind the start line and move up together and they did not appreciate being yelled at by an official.
- Noted this was discussed at the C&S meeting that Powerblades would be supporting other teams.
- MA Holt advised that ASA had a sweep who qualified that day and he enjoyed the experience.
- Agreed that the BBQ should start a bit later next time and finish later to allow those finishing late to still eat lunch.

5.2 Task List – any amendments?

- Nil required.

5.3 Sun 2/11/24 – Race day #3 – 10s&20s over 200m + 1000m

5.3.1 Wallaroo Marina Challenge – race day planning

- Categories being raced were reviewed.
- Reminder given for crews to be entered in by midday of the race committee meeting to assist with planning during the meeting. The final deadline is 11:45 pm on the following Friday night.
- Agreed as there are only x4 boats and x5 Premiers teams there will be a heat and final for each category with the slowest crew dropping out.
- PDs – may have x3 additional paddlers if a team needs extras.

5.3.2 Composite teams – approval/s

- Mannum – will have x3 paddlers from ASA.
- ACDC – will have x5 Sports B paddlers race up.
- BSD – will do the same.

5.3.3 Sweeping up requests – approval/s

- BSD – Robert Voss from Premier to Senior A.
- PBs – Tamsyn Dos Santos – Premier to Senior A.

5.3.4 Race Day Official

- John Holland.

5.3.5 Other – Copper Coast planning

- MA provided an update of the officials and volunteers on the day.
- Boat driver – still needed – PBs agreed to follow up Sue Power and Ali Goss to assist.
Action: Sharon #362
- Timekeepers – x2 needed for the entire day.
- Boats / trailer towed - Neil Parker offered to bring the trailer around to Aquatic on the Wednesday night prior for loading by Clubs training and then tow the boats to and from the event. **Action: Neil #363**
- Reminder email to be sent to Clubs training to assist with boat loading at Aquatic and also on the Friday in Wallaroo when the ETA of the boats is known. **Action: Chris #364**
- Course umpire – can be done from the sideline.
- Umpire's boat – needs x2 people always – can rotate volunteers.
- Catering – BBQ will be provided by the Soccer Club along with a coffee van and ice cream van.
- Lunch – volunteers and officials will be provided with vouchers.
- Chris Wood advised she was maintaining the list of equipment and items that needed to be placed into the boats for transport to the venue.
- Mannum advised able to assist with offloading of boats and paddling them around to the Marina on the Friday.

6 DBSA

- Nil update.

7 AusDBF

7.1 Level 1 Coaching course – Sat 22 & Sun 23-Feb '25

- Dates noted.

8 SAFETY

- Margaret Davidson advised that a trial of the placement of wedges behind the seats is being done to stop them wobbling.

9 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

- Nil.

10 NEXT MEETINGS FOR 2024

Thu 14-Nov	PBs
Wed 27-Nov	BSD

11 CLOSE OF MEETING

- The meeting closed at 8:42 pm.

ACTION ITEMS – NEW				
NO	NEW	DUE	WHO	STATUS
361	Upload 1-Oct RC Minutes	ASAP	Marie	Done
362	Follow up if Sue Power and Ali Goss can assist as boat drivers when not racing at Wallaroo.	25-Oct	Sharon	
363	Arrange for trailer to be taken to Aquatic on Wed prior to Wallaroo for Clubs training to load x 2boats.	30-Oct	Neil & Clubs	
364	Send an email to Clubs training on Wed night to help load x2 boats on the trailer and for those in Wallaroo to help offload the boats and paddle them around on Friday once the trailer has arrived.	30-Oct	Chris	