

Windsurfing NSW General Meeting Minutes **7:05pm 5/09/22**

By video conference

Present

Lissa McMillan, Richie Reynolds, Tom Plodr, Berowne Hlavaty, Greg MacInnes, Keith Single, Jason Juretic & Martin Stone

Apologies

None

WNSW Calendar

Lissa has lodged the Annual Summary of Financial Affairs with Fair Trading.

Lissa noted that the calendar is being populated with events. See [Calendar – WindsurfingNSW](#)

Tom noted that Australian Kiteboarding are organising a wing race at PBSC on 5/11 & 6/11 as part of their AK winging series. See Kiteboarding Australia for further details. The WCAA website notes that the NSW windsurfer championship are scheduled to be held 18 & 19th February at Saratoga Sailing Club.

Berowne noted that foiling calendar was looking good other than no response from KCC. Richie, as WNSW admin, is happy to change the entry details and event pricing set up by Glenn last year.

Richie reported that WA suggested Revolutionize be used by all States but that doesn't appear to be an improvement to the current conditions and would be an additional expense for WNSW.

Tom that the roll over of AWA insurance on 1 September had occurred. Every club other than **Hunters Hill SC** and **Stormriders** had submitted membership lists to the secretary. Follow up emails will be sent to both clubs mid September if no member lists have been received.

The AWA Event has organised “event only” insurance for \$20 per event. The persons details are to be forwarded by the WNSW club who sold the event insurance to the secretary@windsurfingnsw.com.au. There is no limit on how many events can be entered by an individual. The secretary will forward the details when received to John at the AWA and an invoice will be raised at the end of the season.

Lissa moved the topic on how to increase participation and enjoyment of the sport, given the current budget.

Berowne suggested GoPro 360s for start and finish boats as well as putting some on gybe marks. It would also be good to host a training day on prior to events with a paid coach. Jason says the Wave sailors are hosting development sessions and had been looking for grants to purchase equipment such as a Starboard Go.

Keith thought it would be more encouraging to have prizes as a lucky draw, to increase the possibility of different people benefitting, rather than having the winners take all. We could seek prizes at cost from sponsors eg Sam at WSS Boards.

Greg suggested perpetual trophies for different classes.

Martin suggested classes should make proposals to use funds to the WNSW committee. Lissa noted that up to \$2,000 from each class would be an appropriate sum for consideration. Submissions should be in to WNSW by the next meeting end for consideration at that meeting. The idea is to attract windsurfers of all ages and sexes.

The next meeting will be late October, early November, at 7.30pm..

The meeting closed at 8.00pm.