

Australian Bowhunters Association Inc
Northern Territory Branch A
Committee Meeting



Wednesday 14th October 2020 at 7.00pm
Venue: Via Skype

Minutes of Meeting

1. Attendance –, Chris Manners, Ken Henderson, Sonja Wegert, Stuart Renwick, Brad Hawkless, Geoff Stagg.
2. Apologies, Steven Ings
3. Acceptance of minutes of 3rd June 2020
Moved: Brad Hawkless,
Seconded: Stuart Renwick.
Minutes approved.
4. Matter Arising from the Minutes
 - Covid 19 Update (Ken advised there was nothing to add and that clubs were complying with their plans.
5. Correspondence In:
 - Email ABA executive minutes August 2020
 - 25th September Request for Archery Action Field Stories
 - 8th August Club Information- Insurance
6. Reports:
 - Branch Controller: Ken advised the Branch was operating well after a busy first half year and he thanked members for their contribution in hosting the NT titles, the introduction of the new web site, purchase of targets and facilities upgrades.
 - Treasurer: Stuart's report attached.
 - Field Rep: Peter was unavailable. Brad advised two pigs and a buffalo have been recorded in the previous period.
 - Risk Management Officer: Steve presented as an apology. It was noted that Field Archery Instructor training and requalification training will be followed up in 2021.
 - Club Reports: FPFA: Attendances at recent shoots have been 30 plus. There have been no grading shoots because of the hot weather making a two round shoot difficult.

- DCBH: Report attached.

7. General Business

- 7.1 Archery Action: An on-line version of the magazine will be produced in 2021 with a hard copy yearbook produced annually. This will result in significant savings. Note Jenel is seeking Branch stories to go in the next magazine,
- 7.2 Shoot Calendar 2021: Sonja reported extensively on this matter in the Score Recorders report.
- 7.3 Complaint regarding range safety during the NT titles. Issues of concern were addressed immediately by the Branch A President, the Branch A Risk Management Officer and the Range Master. The Branch is mindful of the tight courses at FPFA with constant work to improve range layout.
- 7.4 The new Branch A website is up and running. The webmaster is Sonja Wegert (overall responsibility) and Lana Civelles for Freds Pass Field Archers.
- 7.5 From the ABA AGM the following is noted: the ABA constitution is to be changed to a simpler version to expedite processes and Archery Action will be going to an on-line version.
- 7.6 Stuart has been advised by Abbey Archery that a container of targets will be arriving in the country in November. We live in hope.

8. Next Branch A Committee Meeting will be Wednesday 3rd February 2021

9. Meeting closed at 8.10pm