



# **Associated Birdkeepers of AUSTRALIA Inc**

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**GENERAL MEETING 340 18/6/2024**

**Held at Mittagong RSL Old Hume Highway MITTAGONG NSW**

**MEETING OPENED** at 8.15

Attendance .C. Jeffery, C.Tsintarakis

R.Downton, S.Young , R.Young, D.Gowland, M.Cannon

**APOLOGIES.**

E.Wilson ,J.Hughes

**MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING** were emailed out and available at the meeting.

Moved that Minutes be accepted as correct Moved. D.Gowland          Seconded. M.Cannon    Carried

**BUSINESS ARISING.**

**Nil**

**.CORRESPONDENCE IN**

Member Clubs newsletters and magazine

Membership Renewal

Talking Birds magazine

NP&WL service receipt of ABA submission

CGU public liability insurance

**CORRESPONDENCE OUT.**

Minutes of previous meeting emailed out.

ABA submission to NP&WL moving to a code of practise

Maceys insurance annual return

Email to Hawksbury show ground for 2025 dates

**TREASURERS REPORT.....18/6/2024**

Opening balance                    \$9,129.05

INCOME                                \$10,029.34

EXPENDITURE                        \$2,835.50

Closing Balance                    \$16,322.89

ACCOUNTS for payment

ABK \$110.00  
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C.Jeffery po box \$270.66

LIFE member fund .....\$45,502.66  
Fighting Fund ..... \$85,397.55

Reinvested for 6 months at 4.78%

Moved that Treasurer's report be accepted R.Young Seconded M.Cannon . Carried

**STEERING COMMITTEE.**

It seems that the federal government has no interest in biosecurity for our native birds. The Danish guy caught red handed at the airport with native parrot eggs has been bailed and without question was reissued a passport and has returned home with no punishment for his crime.

**GENERAL BUSINESS**

Mike Cannon reported Bird FLU in Victoria is a low pathogenic strain this strain is spread by migrating birds such as sea birds and duck species.

Bird FLU in NSW is a H5 and H7 strain DPI is doing a lot of work to contain this outbreak there is information on their website including some exclusion zones around the affected areas.

The ABA Bird sale and Expo on Saturday 11 May 2024 the Hawksbury Show Ground was a great success, proceeds from the day was \$4,500.00. Many thanks to all our volunteers our committee is now planning the same event next year.

CCBFA newly elected President Bob Barnes invitation to the ABAs AGM.

Sean Young requires content for the next communicator

Next meeting is our AGM supper will be in the dining room at 7pm, AGM will start at 8pm followed by a general meeting. Contact Craig on 0448 479925 to book

MEETING DATES ....., 2024... 20<sup>th</sup>aug ( AGM )  
Meeting Closed.....10.00pm

NEXT MEETING TUESDAY 20<sup>th</sup> AUGUST 2024

**MITTAGONG RSL meeting rooms 8pm start**

