

## Minutes of Meeting of 2022 AVGU National Championships

**Meeting Opened:** 12;15 P.M. 4 May 2021

**Present:** Peter Green, David Scott, Steve Spencer, Colin Thorniley, Tom Grimston, David St George, Ross Hancock Graham Bourgault and Kim Horne

### General Business

DS asked for feedback on the website, incl grammatical errors. ? when we go live. \$ 400 over original quote to take account of extra work done incl. new domain name for 2022. Suggested that we don't launch until 2021 champs are under way. Suggested that we could sell the template to Canberra for 2023, but to run it past them before going live, on the basis that we want to recover some costs from Canberra if they are happy with the format.

The only reason to go early is to pre-empt Go Golfing tournament in March 2022. Check with Victoria if they are happy for us to go live with the website early. Also, possible to send out a "Save the Date" email via AVGU state associations.

RH suggested putting our website up the search categories. TG said this could be done for a price.

DS said Canberra are nervous about the results package for 2023. DS said we have a package with Mi Club for the results and we could sell this and the website as a package deal to them.

CT will speak to Victoria and tell them we want to go early and ask them to send out a Save the Date email.

### Budget

CT is looking at \$320 incl carts or \$ 380 after Jan. 2022. [ early bird offer]. Doesn't incl/ presentation dinner [ about \$120] or transport. Should not make dinner compulsory. Limit of 450 anyway. Green fees and cart compulsory. Shirt optional. Welcome function incl in Registration. [ No charge for non-players]

Welcome Pack: Ball [ Drummond Golf], Tag, Draw sheet for your grade, Sponsor type info. ? drawstring type bag.

Accommodation: simply have a link from the online registration to our preferred accommodation providers, with a voucher number to quote to get a 5% discount.

GB. Generally agreed that airport transfers too difficult for us to manage. Suggested that transfers be an option which people can tick on their registration. Mandurah Bus Charters very keen for the business. Can supply 12-seater mini buses plus trailer. Will need 3 at least for the 3 courses. No bag tags, people to handle their own bags.

Possibility of Victorians flying to Busselton on Jetstar. This would help our Regional Development Grant.

CT has budgeted for 345 people at present. Once we get over \$ 150,000, we can claim back GST.

### Results

Have to make sure we have administrative access to Mi Club. Draw is uploaded to their system. We need a log in so we can make any changes to details or send out alerts.

Registration data gets loaded onto Mi Score, creating a database into which results can be

loaded. Requires use of the app. \$17 cost for whole of Aust. use of the app. Still have to have cards available from the courses, which will require someone to load this data. Suggest we employ existing course admin staff for a few hours each day at each course. Maybe need to have a box on the rego. form as to whether the person has the app. Have to make sure from Andrew Naylor at Mi Golf that the scanners at the clubs are linked to our comp. Should be able to give progressive as well as daily scores. Try and leave contract with Mi Club until 1 Dec 2021 as there is an annual fee. \$. 950 upfront with annual fee of \$ 600. \$ 2000 in the budget for this and \$ 2600 for data inputting.

Only Kim Horne and Tony Farrow as Course Managers so far.

DS to speak to a local band about their rates for the Presentation dinner

Venue hire is \$1500 plus cleaning costs.

**Next Meeting: 13 July 2021 @ 12:00**