

ROSEWORTHY OLD COLLEGIANS ASSOCIATION

Committee meeting 21-7-97

Minutes of the meeting of the ROCA committee held at Microbial Technologies Ltd, 18 King Street Norwood, on Monday 21 July at 8.00 pm.

Present

Allan Alcock, David Cooper, Peter Fairbrother, Brian Hannaford, James Holland, Dale Manson, Andrew Michelmore, Harry Stephen and David Taplin.

Apologies

Peter Dunn, Bardy McFarlane, Mia Stephens and Jennifer Trott.

Minutes

The minutes were amended to record Bardy McFarlane as an apology. The minutes were then adopted.

Moved: Harry Stephen Seconded: Allan Alcock

Business arising from the minutes

Mark Rodda is back in Adelaide. James Holland will contact him to see if he wishes to continue on the committee.

Andrew Michelmore will check medal prices again now that gold prices have dropped.

James Holland has had name tags made.

President's report

A letter had been received from Lyn Lehmann, Secretary of the Roseworthy Campus Students Union, seeking sponsorship for several sports teams at Roseworthy. Bronze, silver and gold sponsorships available.

After some discussion it was resolved that ROCA sponsor the teams to the extent of \$100 (bronze sponsorship).

Moved: Dale Manson Seconded: Brian Hannaford.

Rembrandt Ties submitted designs and prices for ROCA ties. Prices for 100 ties \$19.55, 200 \$15, 300 \$13.00 and 500 \$12.00 each.

Moved: Brian Hannaford Seconded: Dale Manson that the matter be passed on to the Centenary Committee for a decision. Carried.

Trophy recipients Rebecca Tonkin, Tara Hage and David Sloane have sent letters of thanks and these will be passed onto the Digest editor.

A letter had been sent to the Dean concerning the Open Day. This will now be held at Roseworthy on October 19. It was intended that the open days be rotated and held at Roseworthy every three years.

Andrew Michelmores attended a funeral ceremony for Ken Arnold who graduated in 1937. His ashes were scattered on the Mitcham Reserve.

Brian Hannaford attended a funeral service for Hugh Bray who graduated in 1945.

Mortlock Library have been contacted about old minutes and ROCA Digests for the archives. The boxes held at Roseworthy will be checked to see if all the material is there.

Treasurer's report

Life memberships are now \$60. Will advise Bardy for Digest.

The outgoings for the latest issue of the Digest totalled \$1617 (1680 posted).

There was some discussion about the venue for the dinner and the cost. For this year we are locked into the Feathers at the price negotiated.

Faculty report

The Bachelor of Environmental Management will now have school assessed subjects for entry.

Diploma in Natural Resources - two year program.

Professor of Animal Production - a recommendation has been made.

PR & Liaison Committee. The Rural Media Association visit to Roseworthy Campus was successful with favourable comments made by those attending.

College report

8 students leaving, 5 coming in. Now 150 students in residence. Conference trade is good. Recently 220 residents from Quilter's Guild.

Alterations are proposed for inside the main building.

Additions to ROCA Honour Board. David will follow up.

Future of ROCA

Membership declining. Finances deteriorating. Mia Stephens raised this issue at a previous meeting. As she was not present it was decided to hold this over to another meeting.

The motion tabled at the last College Board meeting requesting that students opt out rather than opt in of ROCA membership was tabled but not passed.

Centenary committee

This committee should meet soon. Mia Stepheris and James Holland had met and come up with some suggestions for the committee to consider.

The meeting closed at 10,30 pm.