



## Tasmanian Fly Tyers' Club

### Minutes of the General Meeting 20 September 2021 held Lenah Valley RSL and via Zoom

**Present:** Andrew Reed, (chair) plus 32 members, Denis Abbott, Tony Abel, Mark Aspinall, Anna Bellette, Wayne Bellette, Andrew Blackwood, Michael Bourne, Stephen Butler, Norm Cribbin, Malcolm Crosse, Tony Dell, Craig Granquist, Scott Haslock, David Hemmings, Chris Hilton, Andrew Hood, James Jones, Peter Langton, Tim Lewis, Mark Links, Dave Long, Paul Markey, Chris Medwin, Doug Miller, Tim Munro, Peter Murphy, Peter Rasmussen, Andrew Reed, John Spencer, Ian Stokes, David Travalia, Tim Urbanc, Noel Wilson.

**Guests:** Kate Ward – guest speaker.

**Apologies:** Ashley Artis, Chris Berndt, Shane Broadby, Rob Brodribb, Lyndon Cubbins, Rob Dineen, Martin Exel, Jason Garrett, Stephen Luttrell, James Mackay, Brian McCullagh, Neil Pinkard, Murray Proctor, Stuart Spotswood.

**Remembrance:** Tony Dell spoke fondly of his long-time friend Phil Fisher who died recently.

**New Member:** Mark Links was presented with his membership badge via Zoom. He was welcomed into the Club.

**Minutes of the General Meeting** held 16 August 2021 Moved Tony Dell seconded Tim Lewis that the previous minutes be adopted as a true record. Carried.

**Business arising:** Nil.

### Correspondence

**In:** Applications for membership Fabian Halton and Daniela Dorney have been approved by the committee.

Letter via Malcom Crosse from Phipps Onslow re the declining insect life in Penstock lagoon. Malcolm said he had been told that the problem can easily fixed by reducing the use of outboards on the lagoon. The outboards stir up sediment. Chris Hilton said they had also found this sediment problem in England. Denis Abbot also spoke about the silt problem in the Macquarie River after the collapse of a dam.

**Out:** Nil.

### Treasurer's Report:

Access Account	\$ \$ 9,012.82
Term Deposit Account	\$ 7,103.33
Term Deposit Account	\$ 6,226.25

Date	Description	Credit	Debit
	Shack fee	\$140.00	
	Subs	\$1,300.00	
16/08/2021	Entrance fee and s	\$400.00	
9/09/2021	AURORA AC 50211584		\$160.86
8/09/2021	Stove installation-S and JD Electrical		\$726.00
23/08/2021	BOC LIMITED REF: 0001859018		\$6.89
19/08/2021	General Insurance-Arthur Gallagher & Co Limited		\$443.00

**Membership:** The Club membership is totally full.



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**Activities Report:** Wayne Bellette said the next field event was the Lake Leake weekend. He said there are 19 going.

Anne Bellette gave a detailed report on the upcoming Great Lake Tie-In.

Andrew Blackwood said he is looking at accommodation at Hadspen for the Northern Rivers and Four Springs weekend.

Steve Butler said that Craig Cranquist had reached out to Davie McPhail, the international fly tyer, and Davie has agreed to tie at our next Zoom session, this is a major coup for the Club.

The farm dams weekend date has been confirmed for 12-14 November. Members were asked to mark when booking as to where they will be staying.

Tim Lewis has confirmed the Fergus date, 5-7 November 2021. He may organise a barbeque for the Saturday night.

### **Shack Update:**

Tony Abel the shack at Sorell is usable, the curtains have arrived, and they will be installed shortly.

Steve Butler gave a run down on a government grant we looked at applying for at Lake Sorell, unfortunately we didn't quite qualify, but we will keep looking for other grants.

Tim Urbanc said the rangehood still needs finalising. The toilet has been fixed.

### **General Business:**

The Fowler Trophy was drawn.

Tim Lewis  
Secretary

After the meeting Kate Ward, Project Officer with OZfish spoke.  
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