

TEMORA FLYERS INC

General Meeting 13 May, 2017

Location: Temora Flyers Head Quarters

Time: 6.00 pm

Present: Bob & Lynn Blaine, Ian & Lise Bell, Frank & Marlene Lovell, Martin & Val Susans, Jill & Norm Bailey, Garath & Robyn Otley, Grant & Kelly Booth, Leah Wells, Keith & Michelle Bradshaw and Mike Cleaver

Apologies: Nick Wills, Carol & Sam Richards and Rob Matthews

Chairperson: Emma Bowley

Overview

- Fly Outs – Harden- cancelled due to weather and Broken hill- great weather and packed in a lot of sightseeing.
- The WOAWW event- great success. Jill and Emma heading to Vancouver next week to collect the organizer award. More on page 2.
- Lease is signed, kitchen quote being updated and plans going into council.

Vice-Presidents Report

- Country Hope Weekend great time had by participants. Would like to thank Rob Matthews for all his help with flying, driving boat, movie and more flying. Ian suggested we help with the hire of the Tecnam for the Sunday flights. Thank you to Carol and her team on the arrangement and service of the food for the weekend and cleaning up afterwards. See page 2 for more on the weekend.

Secretary's Report

- Bob Blaine has retired as secretary, thank you Bob for your hard work. Looking for a new secretary to fill this position until the next AGM. (Position open to all members).
- Membership is now at 51 members.
- Forms are available at the TFI building and on the web site.

- New membership payment options.

| Ordinary Membership | | Associated Membership |
|---------------------|----------|-----------------------|
| 1 Year | \$50.00 | \$25.00 |
| 2 Year | \$90.00 | \$45.00 |
| 3 Year | \$135.00 | \$65.00 |

- Website update and Facebook pages have been set up to share TFI news and details for special events.

Treasurer's Report

- Report tabled by Emma. Who is taking on the Treasurers role while Carol is taking on Secretary.
- Cost of the kitchen is covered by the kitchen donations so no money will come out of TFI funds.

WOAWW 'Fly it Forward'

Sub Committee Report

- WOAW was a tremendous success with over 60 women taking the opportunity to take flight for the first time. Participants came from local areas like Temora and Wagga, and even from Sydney and Canberra.
- We had 14 aircraft and pilots.
- We are very thankful for the huge support from the ADF with a King air, CT4 and the Hornet simulator along with the Defence Force recruiting team
- We will certainly continue this amazing journey next year and thank all involved for their assistance and help. Temora Flyers Inc is a great initiative, and shows how commitment and enthusiasm with a willing group of people can achieve amazing outcomes.
- Temora flyers Inc won the Most Acclaimed Organiser Worldwide for this year's event.

Country Hope

Sub Committee Report

- About 35 participants attended with more only coming for one of the days.
- The event was held on the weekend of March 30, 2017
- Temora Aviation Museum provided free admission to children & carers / family for the flying day and lunch.
- Ski boats were available at Centenary lake

- Dr Lehmann donated \$500.00 and the Temora Aeroplane Company donated \$300 towards the event to help cover some of the costs.
- Temora Quota Club supplied breakfast on the Saturday morning after the early flights.
- Generocity Church supplied and cooked dinner on the Saturday evening.
- Council are providing the Estate Camping ground and town heated swimming pool free of charge
- The Aeroclub supplied and cooked breakfast on the Sunday morning and conducted three glider flights.

General Business

- Potential Fly Outs. Middlebrook station (11/12 August or 8/9 September)
- Proficiency days, Navigation competitions.
- Pancake breakfast roster- pancake breakfasts will be put on hold until the kitchen is ready.
- First proficiency day will be the 17th June 11am