

ORANGE AERO CLUB Inc.

EXECUTIVE MEETING MINUTES

Held at Orange Civic Centre, Orange 2800
At 8.00 p.m., Thursday, 5th November 1998.

Apologies: Adam Thomas, Doug Mackay, John Swain, Rowan Williams, Gerald Ingham, James Yeats, Stephen James.

Minutes

The minutes were accepted (Proposed: Ken Pidcock, Seconded: Robert Alford).

Reports

Treasury report indicating 47 members and \$18,500 pledged for a new aircraft accepted. (Proposed: John Slade Seconded: John Sainsbury).

Newsletter

The new newsletter is due for publication. Thanks were offered to Daniel de Vries.

Correspondence

Correspondence In: CASA
Tumut Aero Club

Flying Competition

There have been three competitions; 10.5.98 – 9 competitors, 19/7/98 – 12 competitors, 13/9/98 – 11 competitors.

Next competition 15/11/98. On the 14/11/98 the Rural Fire Service will be present. Steve Curtis will be coming with an aerobatic aeroplane.

Roster

Next weekend roster to be arranged by R. Alford, who also reported that the new fuel bowser will be installed directly.

Recommendation for Visitors

It was recommended that a list of members willing to make accommodation available to visitors be compiled.

Australian Air Control

It was reported that approval has been given for training in Orange for AAP with funding from the Commonwealth Government for helidrops and SAR rescue training.

Olympics 2000

It was suggested that Orange may be able to become a base for light aircraft with arrangements for transport to the metropolitan area during this time with the council co-operation.

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New Treasurer

Adam Thomas was elected as the new treasurer unopposed.

Aircraft

Aircraft Officer Stuart Porges outlined a project for the purchase of a Cessna 172. A motion was proposed by Stuart Porges, seconded Ken Pidcock as follows:

It was proposed to continue with the purchase of aircraft ARK on terms as outlined by Bob Nash on the basis of an offer received by the vendor and that the executive committee be empowered to proceed at its discretion, the purchase price being \$37, 000.

This was passed unanimously.

House Officer

Discussion took place regarding catering and supplies. The Christmas party on 13/12/98 was discussed at \$50 per couple and \$30 per single. It was reminded that there would be a barbecue on 14/11/98. The committee is now to find a new house officer on the resignation of Adele Cook.

Internet site

The internet site is shown in the monthly bulletin.

Signed,

Chairman

