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**General Meeting MINUTES
Wednesday 15th November 2017**

@ Doubletree by Hilton
82 Barrett Drive, Alice Springs NT 0870

Meeting opened: 1900hrs

1. Attendees:

Rhys Boehm, **Ian Clarke (Treasurer)**, **Steve Dominguez (President)**, Leo Gepperth, Kirsten & David Johnston

2. Apologies:

Simon Brown & Trina Wood-Brown, **Stephanie Dominguez (Public Officer)**, Rachael & Todd Grierson, Jim Heyward, Neville & Lisa Heness, **Jan Horsfall (Life Member)**, Kathryn Howitt, Stephen Humphrys, John Mayberry, Krysten & **Michael McCready (Vice President)**, Bernhard Kuepper, **Jen Noble (NT Gov. Gaming Rep)**, Paul & Dayle Svensen, John & Ann Wilkinson, John & Jenny Wood, Matt Wyatt

3. Absent:

Diane Alford, Rainer & Sylvia Balzer, Rebecca Bradley (Guest), Eric Brodrick (Guest), **David Bruce (Life Member)**, Sue Bunge, Gavin Connaughton, **Grant & Heather Cawthorne (Life Members)**, Robert & Angel Cecil, Martin Childs, Wayne & Georgina Davison, Carmela De Livera, & **Jol Fleming (Life Member)**, Deb Gent (Guest), Yvonne Ginifer, **Terry Hobbs (Life Member)**, John Hubner, Natasha Hughes, Terry & Geraldine Jackson, Ian Jones (Guest), Andy Kenyon (Guest), Jessica & Calvin McAdams, **Ken & Carmen Metcalfe (Life Members)**, Lisa Meyerhardt (Guest), Andrew Nankinvell (Guest), Alison Nicholls, Dan North (Guest), Alison Pyper, Nick Rieper, Ray & Michelle Rowe, Mark & Brynessa Schild, Shane Schinke (Guest), Suzanne Schmidt, **Ian & Sue Shepherd (Life Members)**, **Karen Shiell (Life Member)**, Danica Sterk, Sally Steiner, Angelique Tassios (Guest), John & Anne-Marie Turnickey (Guests), **Steve & Ingrid Walton (Life Members)**, Graeme Watson, Darren White, Toby & Sarah White

4. Previous months minutes:

Moved: Ian Clarke

Seconded: David Johnston

5. These meeting minutes entered into the record at the: January 2018 General Meeting

Signed President:

Signed Secretary: position vacant

Date:

Blatherskite Park Track Subcommittee - subcommittee has met at the track and been arranged to discuss and plan for track building over the coming months. Discussion was had about whether we can source large mining truck tyres and logistically can they be positioned at the site with a reasonable/minimal cost?	Johno to contact a source in trucking/transport to determine viability of exercise.
Tag Along Trips - the various intricacies of running club tag-along trips with the general public/tourists was discussed amongst attendees, and whether the club would be able to engage sponsors to offset the cost of running one of these trips for club members. Could the trips be supported by NTG via Tourism? Multicultural components to add to the trips to widen the experience for attendees?	Nil - Much more discussion needs to take place regarding this, and insurance coverage will need to be confirmed prior to arranging any ticketed events within the club.
DECEMBER GENERAL MEETING - A motion was put forward to skip the December General Meeting - scheduled Dec 20th 2017 in light of its proximity to Christmas and unavailability of members.	Motion: Johno Second: Rhys Vote: passed unanimously
JANUARY PLANNING MEETING - A motion was raised to alter the format of January's General Meeting - scheduled Jan 17th 2018, to include extra time for trip planning. Committee to source access to a whiteboard or paperboard for next meeting.	Motion: Ian Second: Johno Vote: passed unanimously

9. Trips/Events:

Please register on Team App for all trips you are able to attend, and remember to change your registration if you cannot make it. It's ALL members responsibility to help populate the calendar with trips – contact Bernhard (Trip Coordinator) via email: outback4wdTRIP@gmail.com with trip / date suggestions, or if you need assistance forming a trip plan.

- Owen Springs NIGHT Sat 18th Nov
- Redbank Gorge Sun 19th Nov
- Mt Dare OVERNIGHT 25th Nov
- Blatherskite Driving cnld, arrange on request

10. Incoming correspondence:

- nil

11. Dobber's Diary: \$ 4.00 from around the table, thank you

12. Meeting closed: 1948hrs

Next Meeting: January Planning General Meeting
Wednesday 17^h January 2018, 7pm (19:00)
@ Doubletree by Hilton

Thank you Todd Grierson & DoubleTree by Hilton for your continued support.