



TAMMTB Meeting Minutes

Call to order

A meeting of Tamworth Mountain Bikers Inc was held at 7pm at The Tamworth Hotel, on November 13, 2023.

Attendees

Elsie McKenzie, Ross Aylwin, Michael Crummy, Jeff Benson, Shannon Sipple, Sophie Anderson, Alyssa Rogan

Apologies

Glen Bramley, Sharon Sipple, Ben Marsh

Approval of minutes

Motion: To accept the minutes from the previous meeting as a true and accurate record of the meeting held 9/10/2023

Moved: Ross Aylwin

Seconded: Shannon Sipple

Matters arising

- Ross to follow up membership and licenses for events with AusCycling
 - To follow up
- Ongoing - Ross A to complete final submission for DeFib grant.
 - Ross is working on the submission

Reports

Club Activity and Park Activity:

Working bee has taken place, Thanks to Shannon and Glen for finishing the drops. Jumps on creekline and secret valley plateau have been worked on. Tree limbs have been cleaned up on the driveway to allow better access for vehicles with bikes on.

Treasurer's Report:

Please find attached the latest finance reports. We currently have \$28,820.76 in the Main Acct and \$323.40 in the Debit card accounts.
Significant income \$1,371 EntryBoss Term Fees and Race 1
Expenditure Auscycling \$185 - Affiliation
Bunnings \$262.60 - Build Drop offs

Moved: Ross Aylwin **Seconded:** Michael Crummy

Secretary's Report:

Club Builder News

AusCycling Newsletter

AusCycling Information Sessions

NIAS Newsletter

TRC Grants Hub

Destination Tamworth Newsletter

Spam - Twitter, etc

Google stats

Email from Mccarthy about access for school sport

NIAS Report:

NIAS 2024

Induction was carried out on the 12Nov23, a couple of athletes were away with sickness and training opportunities. The remaining athletes participated in the induction which included Goal Setting by Psychologist Marnie. Athletes will have an opportunity to conduct strength and conditioning with RuralFit on Mondays at Tamworth, many athletes are taking the Track opportunity on Tuesday with TCC, Wednesdays are Twilights. NIAS 2024 Trials were held in Armidale in October, all athletes who attended and nominated were selected for 2024. Base testing, skills and a ride were carried out to ensure suitability. 2024 State Series

General business

- Google Business Profile Manager has been removed from CrummyMTB and is now available for a future Manager.
 - Elsie has now taken this over until someone else wishes to take this on
- 2024 All Schools - we've had our first person reach out in regards to a date.
 - Email asking date for next year. Sharon and Crummy to have a discussion about a date in the coming weeks
- Community Better Partnership Fund - Grant application lodged for the Automatic front gates
- Crown Lands Improvement Fund
 - Grant close this week. Jeff is lodging this request. Ross to write a statement for this grant.
- Ideas on increasing members and volunteers
 - Auscycling ran 2 sessions on generating additional volunteers and members.
 - Trial a monthly ride during term 2 and 3
 - Andy Dehm has offered the use of timing to run an enduro style event
 - Running working bees where people can see things are happening
 - Open day in the school holidays
- Angry Goat Trails has reached out to see if the club have any work they would like done. He is coming out to do some work on Mt Borah and could make himself available. I have thrown a few ideas at him to see what his price points would be to bring to the meeting. Cheers Alyssa
 - Ross to speak to Alyssa about a price do some maintenance on the existing trails.

- Lots of new riders for twilight rides which is great, do we need to be more formal in checking Auscycling registration that they are covered (so we are too). I was thinking of doing up a simple form for new riders to fill out just with basic info, not over the top.
 - Ross and Crummy to talk to Sharon about running a report to check membership details
 - A form is not required as Auscycling membership needs to be completed by the rider
- Christmas, i'd like to put the idea of doing a 'Christmas Party' event on a Sunday arvo, similar to the Winter Solstice and Welcome to Summer event. A ride, a couple of team games (tug-o-war). Kids could decorate a gingerbread house or something similar in groups.
Catering - Club supply a ham and we ask people to bring a side dish to share (no cost for dinner).
Dates - Sunday 10th or Sunday 17th December 2023?
 - Sunday 10th for this event. Will flesh details out closer to the date

Next meeting

Our next meeting will be held at the Tamworth Hotel at 7pm on Monday December 11th, 2023

Meeting close

Meeting closed at: 8:55pm

President

Date of approval