



TAMMTB Meeting Minutes

Call to order

A meeting of Tamworth Mountain Bikers Inc was held at 7pm at The Tamworth Hotel, on February 2, 2026

Attendees

Elsie McKenzie, Angela Phillips, Sharon Sipple, Shannon Sipple, Mel Siddons, James McDonald, Chris Newsome, Steven Roberts

Apologies

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Approval of minutes

Motion: To accept the minutes from the previous meeting as a true and accurate record of the meeting held 1/12/2025

Moved: Sharon Sipple

Seconded: Shannon Sipple

Matters arising

- James to research cctv to monitor the picnic area and containers
 - James has received a quote from Advanced Inland Security. Committee to discuss further
 - Sharon to contact Richard at TRC about whether we are covered by TRC insurance or if this is an option prior to making a decision about cctv

Reports

Club Activity and Park Activity:

Greetings fellow mountain bikers!

Christmas already feels like a distant memory as we all roll back into work, school, and—most importantly—the joy of riding. There's a great buzz around the club heading into 2026, and I'm keen to keep that momentum spinning!

With our AGM just a few weeks away, it's the perfect time to think about the future of our club and the hands we leave it in. Our committee worked incredibly hard throughout 2025—managing events, finances, grants, and trails—and like any small club, a few people often carry a big load. I'm deeply grateful for their efforts.

As several positions will become vacant, I encourage all members—especially our many new faces—to consider stepping up. If you love this club and want to help shape its future, please stay for the AGM and put your hand up. Fresh energy keeps us moving forward.

Racing returns this week at last, now that Mother Nature has eased off the heat pedal. The extreme weather has been tough on our trails, but thanks to those who've been out doing maintenance over the

break, we're in good shape—and we even have some new lines to explore soon. Your efforts haven't gone unnoticed and are genuinely appreciated.

I'm excited to see the racing calendar unfold and to plan some away trips with our talented riders. The NIAS squad is already charging ahead under the guidance of their fantastic coaches, and I can't wait to watch their skills and confidence grow this year.

As always, new ideas are the lifeblood of a thriving club. Whether it's suggestions, constructive feedback, wild concepts, or fundraising plans—bring them on. Keeping our coffers healthy is essential, and creativity is always welcome.

A trail-maintenance working bee is high on the agenda once the weather cools a little. Our expanding toolkit is ready to go, so keep a bit of energy in reserve—we'll announce a date soon.

We're also continuing to explore the Adventure Race through the Nundle forests and will share updates as things progress.

Best regards, **James McDonald**

Treasurer's Report:

Please find below and attached the report to the 31/12/2025;

Statistics to date (January 2025 - December 2025):

Income	September	October	November	December
Membership fees collected	\$2746.22	\$294.14	\$154.44	\$80.00
Entry Boss		-	\$1074.13	\$127.64
Twilight Racing (Square & online)		\$130.00		235.98
Park hire/donations/grants		\$1057.76	\$46.30	25.00
BBQ & Twilight dinners (cash)	\$476.50		\$152.00	80.00
Other	\$550.00	\$705.00	\$165.00	10.00
Totals	\$3772.72	\$2,186.90	\$1597.87	\$494.68

Expenses	September	October	November	December
Track maintenance		\$227.88	228.30	17.99
Domain Name/Marketing			2,750.00	553.00
Equipment Purchase		\$1169.10		555.30
Twilight Dinner Expenses				
All schools/Race Day Expenses			63.00	
NIXS/NIAS	389.25			
Rates/Service NSW			1257.18	
Auscycling/Tidy HQ fee				
BBQ/Working Bee Expense	100.00			470.27
Totals	489.25	1396.98	4298.48	15

Account Balance (December)

General Acct	\$ 19,319.13
Debit Card	\$ 0.00
Square	\$ 500.00
Cash float	\$ 171.20
Total	\$ 19,990.33 (decrease of \$832.3)

Please find below and attached the report to the 31/01/2026;

Statistics to date (January 2026)

Income	January			
Membership fees collected	52.23			
Entry Boss	10.00			
Twilight Racing (Square & online)				
Park hire/donations/grants	50.00			
BBQ & Twilight dinners (cash)				
Other				
Totals	112.14			

Expenses	January			
Track maintenance	17.99			
Domain Name/Marketing				
Equipment Purchase				
Twilight Dinner Expenses				
All schools/Race Day Expenses				
NIXS/NIAS				
Rates/Service NSW				
Auscycling/Tidy HQ fee				
BBQ/Working Bee Expense				
Totals	17.99			

Account Balance (December)

General Acct	\$	19,319.13
Debit Card	\$	0.00
Square	\$	500.00
Cash float	\$	171.20
Total	\$	20,157.38

Moved: Seconded:

Secretary's Report:

Spam, spam, spam, spam!

AusCycling Newsletters

Club Builder Newsletters

GrantGuru

TRC Grants Updates

Square - Reports and Sales Summaries

NIAS Newsletters

Andrea Keel - Party booking 15/3/26

NIAS Report:

Couple of training sessions at the park since Christmas.

Squad to head to Armidale first weekend in Feb for a squad session.

General business

- Ongoing - 2026 Events
 - Twilight - Ready to rock and roll. First week back to racing 4th of Feb due to cancelling week 1 having 40C temps
- AGM
 - Next AGM - Wednesday February 18th after Twilight racing
- Working Bee
 - 14th or 21st of March. Sharon to check for any conflicting events prior.
- Pump Track Grant
 - Steven and Mel to speak to Lisa Roberts to find a grant suitable
- Fundraising
 - Committee so investigate some options prior to next meeting.

Next meeting

Our next meeting will be held at the Tamworth Hotel at 7pm on Monday March 2nd, 2026

Meeting close

Meeting closed at: 8:20 pm

President

Date of approval