

Rockhampton Netball Association

Management Meeting

Minutes

Date:

Thursday 24th July 2025

Time:

6.00pm

Venue:

RNA Clubhouse, Jardine Park

Attendees:

Simone Hitchcock, Diana Pettett, Julie Easton, Julie-Ann Thackeray, Melissa Weder, Kalie

Green, Carrie Bennet, Angela Ross, Sam O'Brien

Apology:

Elizabeth Blyton Minute Taker: Diana Pettett

Chair:

Simone Hitchcock

Agenda Items

1. Meeting open

6:15pm

2. Apologies

Elizabeth Blyton

Moved – Julie-Ann Thackeray

Second - Carrie Bennet

Carried

3. Confirmation of minutes of previous meeting

No changes made.

Moved –Sam O'Brien

Second – Julie Easton

Carried

4. Business arising from the minutes of the previous meeting

Business Arising	Person Responsible
DTIS Grant Funding	Di and Simone
BT Builders will commence works on 30th June, Di and Simone to examine impact on fixtures. Look at alternate venues if necessary. Update: Work continuing with minimal disruption to fixture, expected	
Timeline for the completion of the works for Courts 1 & 6 are:	
3-4 weeks for the excavation and rebuild of the courts through to cementing.	
 3-4 weeks for the cement to cure properly. 2-4 days for the painting of the cement to be completed. 	



on the night, but formal complaints require written submission.	
Suggestion to maintain an umpire warning register.	
Review of work arrangements hours/delineation of duties	Simone & Angie
Angie and Simone had scheduled a meeting following the Management	
Meeting on 24.07.2025.	
Corporate Shirts	Liz, Boney and Di to choose shirts
Ongoing	
RRC - Rep Shed Update	Di
Electricity for Shed	
Ongoing delays and confusion regarding who is responsible for the	
electrical reconnection — council recommended engaging specific	
contractor, but group pushed for council/JB to cover costs since power	
was previously available. Plan to lobby JB for intervention and	
confirmation that lighting and outlets will be provided at council's	
expense.	
Multi-Sport Precinct	
Updates from stakeholder meetings — push for increasing netball	
courts from 16 to 20 to attract major events, improve parking, ensure	Simone/Di/Liz
toilet placement and security, and plan for future tech/facilities (e.g.,	
AV, livestream for show courts, spectator seating). Feedback on layout	
and amenities relayed to council; follow-up meeting scheduled.	
Court Maintenance	
Contractor having trouble sourcing equipment for washing courts within	
original quote; revised quote to be obtained.	
Season Invoice Audit	
	Di and Julie Easton
Ongoing	
Umpire Dissent	
Message is being done over the PA.	
Marc Henning Visit	
Games were not of standard for B Badge testing	

5. Finance

Attached Report (June 2025)

Julian-Ann provided a comparative nine-month report provided for info only, showing improved gross profit year-on-year. Discussion covered rep team expenses (fuel, laundry), allowances, and future outlays for group accommodations.



- b. Xero App Inquiry: Brief discussion about Xero app's invoicing/payments capability, concluded not required for current uniform processes but could be useful for other club payments if invoicing structure changes.
- c. Fixture Requests: All special fixture requests must be put in writing via email from a club official (not just a coach/parent), and permanent requests must be approved by management. Players' availability, coach, and age-based priorities established for consideration.
- 8. Next Meeting date Thursday, 21st August 2025 @ 6.00pm

9. Meeting Closed

8.55pm

Simone Hitchcock

President

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