

Tomerong School of Arts

Minutes Wednesday 4 July 2007

Present

Chris Senior, Debbie Brkic, Sandra Lee, Michele Smith, Bev Stewart

Apologies: Jan Sweetnam

Correspondence In

4. Letter from Peter Hickson. He is prepared, at no cost, to draw up a contour plan on the 3 properties to be a basis for our future development plans.
5. Information from Department of Fair Trading about a seminar to be held on incorporation. Sandra indicated she may be able to attend.

Minutes of the Previous Meeting

Minutes read. Moved Sandra, seconded Chris that the minutes be accepted.....carried.

Business from the Minutes

6. Council has agreed to fund and repair the car park and upgrade the street guttering. Sandra will follow up with Richard Bates on the time frame.
7. Sandra has completed the application for funding for lowering the levels at the front of the hall. Bev moved a vote of thanks for her efforts. Seconded Debbie.
8. The metal ramp has not yet been installed. Debbie will ring John Gough to see what is happening.
9. Bev will make a 'sausage' draught stopper for the back door.
10. A volunteer from the Men's Shed has measured for seating around the spotted gum. He will draw up a design to present to us.
11. Chris is still continuing on quotes for the ceiling work.
12. Debbie has bought bins, liners and a new mop.
13. Following the discussion at the June meeting Sandra has met with Dennis Argall about setting up a website for the School of Arts. As a result we now have a website to cover the whole of Tomerong with its wide diversity of community activities.

Treasurer's Report

Debbie presented the Treasurer's Report. Closing balance \$21,159.30. See attached report.

General Business

14. Sandra suggested that prior to laying pavers at the front of the building we should offer, to community members, the option of buying pavers engraved with their names. She has sourced a company who does this kind of engraving. She has made a list of prospective buyers. She will also check out Berry Public School who has undertaken a similar project. Chris moved that Sandra continue to pursue this. Seconded Bev. Sandra will email the list of prospective buyers to committee members so others can add to it.
15. The idea of the engraved pavers sparked a discussion on the need for a logo for the School of Arts. The names of people who may be able to design this were suggested. Meeting agreed to give this matter further thought.
16. The hall heating issue was again discussed. One Way Christian Fellowship is particularly affected by the cold. Chris suggested a gas bayonet point be installed. Debbie indicated the Church was willing to pay for the installation and to buy its own heater to be kept in the locked storeroom. The meeting agreed.
17. AGM publicity.....Bev will send notice to school bulletin and email members. Sandra will print out notices to be placed at the shop and hall etc. Bev will also make a list of tasks and responsibilities for the positions of Secretary and Public Officer.

Meeting closed 9.30 pm. Next meeting AGM Wednesday 1st August, 7.30 pm.