

**RCFG Agenda**  
**7.30pm June 18<sup>th</sup> 2020**  
**Virtual meeting - Zoom**

Meeting opened: 7:35 pm

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**GENERAL MEETING AGENDA**

**PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES CONFIRMATION**

Acceptance of minutes from last meeting <http://www.rcfg.org.au/archive.html>.

Motion: That the minutes of the meeting held on April 23<sup>rd</sup> 2020 be accepted.

Moved: Carolyn

Seconded: Matt

**REPORTS**

**Correspondence**

Inwards: Darren Hill regarding current issues along the rail trail regarding illegal firewood, trail and hut construction and meeting with Matt – see below feedback from Matt.

Matt met with Darren Hill to look at possible options for 21 km run. Looked at clearing and illegal firewood cutting, also series of illegal trails, hut constructed in this area, drove along Pilgrim Creek track, getting additional corflute signs to be made up re anti firewood.

Received email from Warragul and District Special school – re opportunity for planting trees, weeding. Carolyn to reply to this and follow up, could be future opportunities and also closer to Warragul

Email from James Allan regarding information about tree species that are native to the area, email forwarded to Carla at the shire to provide advice.

The group also noted during meeting that Shane Atkins (Parks Vic) also on long term leave.

Outwards: Replies to above emails

Rail trails Australia - Damien will contact them after August regarding contribution to a feature article on the rail trail.

**Financial**

Deposits - nil

Expenses

Cups twilight run \$63.24

Domain hosting \$50

Total \$113.24

Rail trails Australia to be renewed

\$12514.32 closing balance

Moved: Rob

Seconded: Carolyn

**EVENTS**

**1. Rokeby Twilight Trail Run**

- 2020 event update – Damien/Matt/Les

Quiet at this stage in relation to planning. Awaiting CoVid-19 restrictions to ease before there can be approval of event. Have had a few addition people interested in registering for the November

event but will need to wait until we are certain run will go ahead. Awaiting contact back regarding hall booking.

## **PROJECTS**

### **1. Crossover Bridge Restoration**

- Update – Carolyn - Nil

### **2. Pilgrim creek track closure - All**

- Damien has spoken to David Vaskas and left message for Darren Hill. David was going to get in touch with Darren. RCFG prepared to purchase the materials to build the gates.

### **3. Rokeby Flora and Fauna Picnic area**

- Small working bee to fix picnic table and edging
- Carolyn and Tyson going to have a look and come up with a plan

## **GENERAL BUSINESS**

- Illegal firewood removal & reporting – Extensive discussion about illegal firewood removal in rail trail area. Matt will provide some details to Darren Hill
- People counter – Damien presented graph of the users of the Rokeby/Crossover rail trail showing the increase in usage over time.
- Explosive device was discovered in the bush since last meeting, not on trail, a lot of media attention, bomb squad from Melbourne came down.
- Crossover platform – continued discussion re cleaning up this area.

### **Items/Notes for next agenda:**

**Next meeting: 20<sup>th</sup> August – TBC pending restrictions**

### **Future meetings:**

- 15<sup>th</sup> Oct 2020
- 10<sup>th</sup> December 2020

Meeting closed: 8:51 pm